

2022-2023 Officers

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PTO MEETING AGENDA

January 10, 2022 at 6:30pm via Zoom

Welcome

Principal's Update

- A Watertown parent is organizing a Family formal dance at Watertown High in April as a way to get the community together. The event will be for families with students at all 3 elementary schools.

Old Business

- Field Trips – Jen will schedule a time to meet with Mena and ILT to share the budget and gather ideas

New Business

- Finalize dates for Field Day and Fun Run
 - Preliminary planning for both events
 - Fun Run- Friday May 26th (friday before memorial day)
 - We need to allow for 2-3 months for the permit to process from the town.
 - Field Day-Friday, June 9th with a rain date of Friday, June 16th
- Continue discussion about an adult social event and other possible ways to increase membership and future leadership
 - Have an adults only social event at a bar or restaurant (ex. Mighty square) as a chance for parents and caregivers to get to know each other and more of what the PTO is and does.
 - Cindy is going to call places for social event
 - We will decide on a place, date and time next meeting.
 - Create a special smore describing what the PTO does and how to get involved.
 - Family fun game night
 - Custodial cost of approx. \$300

- Higher rates of flu, RSV and Covid make the winter a difficult time to hold this event.
- End of year picnic
- 100th day of school
 - Last year the PTO had a breakfast for the teachers.
 - This year we will do the same with an assortment of items from BJ's, Costco, and Dunkin Donuts.
 - The 100ths Day is Friday Feb 10th (If no snow days)

Treasurer's Report

5th Grade Update

- The date for graduation is set in April when we know when the last day of school will be.
- The slide show shown during graduation in past has been approximately 10 min long.
 - Lee Haley, Jackie Airasian who put it together; Dan Days
- 5th grade is working on a cookie dough fundraiser. They are also looking into selling car magnets and plushies as a fundraiser.
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Next Meeting

- Tuesday, February 7, 2023 at 6:30pm

Family formal at Watertown High in April-
Way to get community together
Organized by another Watertown Parent

Sign up for parents to stock the pantry for the teacher's lounge
PTO sponsors water Polar spring water fountain