

SES PTSA General Meeting

September 26, 2012

6:30pm

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- Introduction of the tables displays
- Swap Shop
- 4 H Club
- Kids Like Languages
- Trackers NW
- Campfire
- Learning Gardens
- SMMS Preschool
- PTSA Membership
- MUSE Afterschool Band
- Mary Shannon with the School Bond
- Math Club

Dian Christensen—Physical Education demonstration in the gym

Dian will be offering four PH classes this year in October, November, December, and January. The first four classes will be about learning the game. Then she will have a spring series. The spring series will be competitive games.

7:10

Principal Amy

Major School Goal: Diminishing the predictability of success by looking at color of child.

Math

As parents the best thing you can do is to encourage your child to enjoy math and to project out that math can be enjoyable.

We need to draw on the skills that we naturally have.

Showed a short TED video about math, Dan Meyer (Equity of access of math for all kids)

7:35

Elizabeth—PTA 101

Purposes of PTA

SES PTSA--

Motion to approve the Standing Rules 2012-13

Motion is approved

SES—PTSA overview

Some of the programs that PTSA supports

- Sustainability
- Music with MO for K-12
- Recorder lessons with Mia
- Pie night
- Stone soup
- Harvest Faire
- Westwind family camp
- Seismic upgrades
- Spring musicals
- Overnight trips—GO Fund

What parents can do to support PTSA

1) Join PTSA

2) Share your time

- Volunteer at an event
- Volunteer in class
- Phone bank for the PPS Bond
- Fill out a volunteer survey

3) Embrace the fundraisers

- Back to School Ask
- Scrip
- Buy a Chinook Book
- Support PTSA events

7:45

Heidi

Presentation—overview of SES and fundraising

8:00

Cindi—Budget and Treasurers report

Starting year with \$84,000

We had a good year last year: expected to raise \$92,00 but raised \$107,000.

The PTSA is asking for a revision from the adopted budget last year.

Motion from the Board

The PTSA Board referred the following motion to the full membership at the request of Principal Amy Kleiner, to help fund a middle school coordinator:

Motion to Amend the Budget: The SES PTSA membership hereby amends the 2012-13 SES PTSA budget to include an additional line item of \$10,000 to transfer to

the SES Foundation Account for use by the school to help fund a coordinator in the middle school.

If this motion is approved, it will permit the PTSA to transfer up to \$10,000 to the School's Foundation account. Approval of this motion will decrease by \$10,000 the end-of-year rollover projected under the current budget.

Jill moves to pass the motion

Justine seconds

Motion is approved