

MPO MEETING MINUTES FOR FEBRUARY 11, 2021

Shana Myers, Miriam Teifke, Stacy Peck, Sara Jones, Jan Moore, Samia Ghazal, Vanya Courtney, Diana Bernardi, Jeremy, Craig Dishman, Nhi Schumbach, Jennifer Rogers and Anthony Rose in attendance via ZOOM Meeting.

1. Call to Order: The meeting was opened at 12:32 p.m. by Shana Myers.

2. Minutes were approved: Jan Moore made a motion to approve the minutes of the November 19, 2020, meeting. Stacy Peck seconded. Motion approved.

3. Treasurer's Report by: Shana Myers – Expenses as of 01-31-21

a. Beginning Bank Balance as of 01-01-21 -	\$11,535.88
Deposits –	0.00
Total Deposits 01-01 thru 01-31-21	\$ 0.00
Expenses 01-01-21 thru 01-31-21	
Celebration of Excellence Swag Bags	\$ 93.00
<u>\$ 956.00</u>	
Total Expenses	\$ 93.00

ENDING BANK BALANCE – \$11,535.88

4. Principal's Report: No School on Monday, February 15th for President's Day.

Swine Week is going forward with a virtual auction tomorrow, February 12th. Email reminders and links will be resent for everyone to participate. There will not be a Daddy/Daughter dance this year as well as a lot of the usual activities that occur at this time. There will be a "closing assembly" after school at night on Thursday, March 11th on the football field. Details forthcoming.

"**Follies**" is going forward on February 25, 26 and 27th at 7pm. Tickets will be available on-line with assigned seating for families following social distancing guidelines.

March 2, 2021 will be "Virtual" Spring Parent/Teacher Conference. A sign-up genius will be sent out for parents to make virtual appointments with the teacher of their choosing.

Sports are still trying to happen but with "the Quarantine Sweep" of Covid, not a lot of actual playing has occurred. State for swimming and wrestling is happening next week.

Cindy Bickford is a **Finalist** for the *EPS Support Personnel of the Year*. The winner will be announced March 11th. *Go Cindy!*

Redistricting for the new elementary school (**Redbud** – off Coffee Creek and Douglas Avenue) is being discussed. **Redbud** will be open August of 2021. **Scissortail Elementary** (between May and Penn off of 150th) will open August 2022. Memorial is not expected to be affected.

The new EPS Superintendant will be announced by the end of this month or first of March.

A "Special Bond Election/vote" will be held on April 6th. Memorial is requesting Freshman Academy classroom add-ons on the west side of the building as well as a Woodshop and Tech needs.

Construction on the front of the Welcome Center will start this summer with the addition of six classrooms in the front as well as a more secured Welcome Center entrance for entry. Regular classrooms will be added along with a new Art Room, Ceramics room with ventilation as well as a formal Broadcasting room to compete with the other Broadcasting programs in the district. A multi-purpose room will be added upstairs for meetings and presentations.

There will be a Prom this year!! It will be held outdoors for Juniors and Seniors in late April. Fireworks, tents and dance floors are being discussed.

5. Counselor's Report: Enrollment for next year is being approved by Mr. Rose and a rollout will begin next week (barring weather.) Parent notifications will be sent out in the next week or two.

6. Staff Appreciation by: Miriam Teifke – Staff Appreciation for **Valentine's Day** is scheduled for February 12th with Candy, Cookies and chocolate. Due to the impending weather, it may be rescheduled for the next week.

Teacher Appreciation Week – Still in discussion of what we can do but possibly breakfast bags are being considered.

End-of-the-year luncheon will be provided by Earl's.

7. New Business: All positions are open for the board next school year (21-22).

President/Co-president

Treasurer

Secretary

Hospitality/Staff Appreciation

Stacy Peck made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Nhi Schubach seconded, motion approved and the meeting adjourned at 12.59 p.m. **Next Meeting is March 11, 2020 at 11:30am (in-person vs ZOOM is being considered.)**