

# SILVER MESA PTA



Thursday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025

## Meeting Minutes

- Meeting Started at 11:30 am
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Minutes from October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025, were approved
- **Teacher Comments**
  - Winter Fest, instructions are confusing, but a lot of teachers are helping. Student Council is decorating.
  - No complaints about STEAM Night
  - Teachers loved shorter Red Ribbon Week
  - Encourage Teachers to Join PTA. Flyer in their Box (Nicole)
- **Principle Comments**
  - Spelling Bee is Feb 20<sup>th</sup> – list will be sent out soon
  - Snacks – Snacks are being eaten at recess outside. They leave a lot of trash, and they are not monitored. Snacks are banned at recess until solution can be found.  
Solutions: Teachers can monitor snacks; Snacks can be eaten in Office...Aimee would like input from parents before decision is made. Office has snacks if needed.
  - The school has the money for a part-time Art position. It's for 13 hrs. Aimee wants to see if parents who are already doing masterpiece art are interested in it before she opens it to everyone.
- **Fundraiser**
  - Made enough so we don't have to adjust budget
  - **Spirit Wear** - We didn't make enough to do give shirts to everyone. Aimee got Hillcrest to pay for shirts. We can't put business sponsor logos on shirts. The shirts we sold came in & they're nice.
- **Sponsorships**
  - 3 sponsors, we can still accept more
  - Structure is ready for next year. We need to get someone to do the footwork early.
- **Spirit Nights**
  - No December, Raising Canes on February 10<sup>th</sup>. What about January?
  - Other Ideas
    - Uptown Jungle, Handles, McDonalds, Texas Roadhouse
- **Reflections**
  - We were able to advance ALL participants. Becky is making a goody bag & Aimee can announce the kids' names on the intercom on Friday or Monday & they can come & get it.
- **Watchdogs**
  - Donuts & Dogs - January 23<sup>rd</sup>
  - Use Winco \$\$\$
  - Suzie will create a flyer, RSVP, & Calendar Sign-up
  - Suzie, Kendra, Aimee, & Angela will Host

*PTA President: Kendra Burgon*

*PTA President-Elect: N/A*

*PTA Treasurer: Aly Broadhead*

*PTA Secretary: Nicole Wallace*

### Attendance

Nicole Wallace

Suzie Olson

Kendra Burgon

Aly Broadhead

Kristy West

Aimee Wagner

Janet Baer

- **Newsletter**
  - Can't send via website because it goes to spam. Copy and paste emails to our gmail account.
  - When to send?
  - Send emails as needed
  - Send out email after meeting that has everything
  - Send out 1 page parent square message after meeting
  - Send out 1 page parent square message a week before meeting
  - A lot of websites on the short messages
- **Social Media**
  - Include the need for a social media specialist in newsletter
- **Masterpiece Art**
  - Since there will be an official position, no cohesion. Could we have an art show, sell student art, hang up winning artwork at the school?
- **Teacher of the Year**
  - Through a private organization
- **PTA Thank You**
  - Volunteer Luncheon in April, need to advertise earlier
  - A small gift
- **Literacy Month & Night**
  - Literacy Night is kickoff on March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Suzie needs to check with book fair. End month with read a thon.
- **Teacher Appreciation**
  - March 23-27. End literacy month with Teacher Appreciation. Let's celebrate the teachers who teach your kids to read. Monday is a no student day so Aimee thought we could have breakfast. End the week with announcing Teacher of the year.
- **Science Fair**
  - District Fair on January 29<sup>th</sup>. We need to submit our winners by January 23<sup>rd</sup>.
  - Due on the 20<sup>th</sup>. In the KIVA. Kids can look at them during lunch.
- **UPCOMING EVENTS**
  - December 22-January 2 – Winter Break
  - January 20 – Science Fair
  - January 23 – Donuts & Dogs
  - February 10 – Raising Canes Spirt Night
  - February 20 – Spelling Bee
  - February – PTC
  - March 3 – Literacy Night
  - March 23-27 – Teacher Appreciation
  - April – Testing
  - April – Volunteer Lunch
  - May - Carnival
- **Next Meeting** – Thursday, January 8th @ 11:30 in KIVA
- Meeting Adjourned 12:45

Minutes Approved on \_\_\_\_\_

PTA President Signature \_\_\_\_\_

PTA Secretary Signature \_\_\_\_\_