

Blevins April PTO Meeting Minutes

- A. Minutes from March approved
- B. PTO Budget-Currently at \$7682.00 with no activity this past month.
- C. Teacher Appreciation lunch plans are moving along well. The date of the luncheon is May 5th and therefore the food theme is Mexican.
- D. Budget Reduction-For next year, David shared that the budget reductions will play out at Blevins in the following ways: reduction of 3 classified professional positions, a 50% reduction in World Language positions (due to retirement), 50% reduction in Media, 42% reduction in Read 180, and an overall 20% reduction in the Operation Budget.
- E. Science Olympiad funding request is anticipated depending on the competition results and costs for next steps as well as amount the team raises on their own to support them.
- F. Fundraising goals for next year-surveys have not yet been administered.
- G. PTO Leadership Discussion- David expressed a willingness to hear thoughts and ideas on next years PTO structure (ie-President vs Committee set-up.)The discussion will be on-going
- H. Jennifer Buchanan will draft a letter to send to 5th grade parents at feeder schools inviting them to the September PTO meeting. The group agreed that more planning for that kickoff meeting will take place in May.
- I. Calendar and Events
 - a. 8th Grade Celebration-planning is going well, it will be held at Spring Canyon Park on May 7th for \$5.00 per student Scholarships will be available for those who cannot afford the fee.
 - b. Teacher Appreciation Week, May 3-7
- J. Other-Jennifer introduced the idea of purchasing a welcome sign for the front lobby directing people to the lobby. She will research this idea and bring info, including cost estimates to the next meeting.

Next Meeting: Tuesday may 11th, 6:30 PM