

Centennial PTA Meeting Minutes

October 7, 2021

Welcome	Britney Wood, President
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Pledge	Britney Wood
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Announcements	Britney Wood, President -No Reflections turned in yet
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Student Rep Report	Paia Christiansen, CMS Student Leadership President -Advertising Reflections contest is underway -Assisting administration with emergency supply kits -Planning Red Ribbon week (half way done with planning dress up days). One idea is doing a plus time activity every day, if PTA has ideas or things they want to do for these activities the student government would love suggestions -Student Government is working on making slideshows for respect in hallways and respect for the school overall
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Treasurer's Report	Kami Su Bird, Treasurer -The new budget was amended and has been shared (see below) -Amazon Smile is a simple way to help the school, so we really want to push getting that set up to help the school -We were able to save money on teacher lunches, birthdays, and other things... -Box Tops have gone way down because they have gone digital -We were able to fine tune the budget after the first meeting -Jennifer Partridge moved to approve and Olivia Goldman seconded the motion -unanimous vote passes the motion
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Secretary's Report	Tesera Tierney, Secretary -Motion to approve the minutes from Britney Wood, seconded by Shannon Gibson -Minutes from 9/2/2021 were approved
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Principal's Report	Brooke Taylor, CMS Vice Principal -New TikTok challenges "To Slap a Teacher" has come up and the school is aware of these and are encouraging everyone to talk to their students about being respectful of the school and others -All the bathrooms were closed but two, vandalism was happening all over the school, bathrooms are now open. -Focus on respect -Positive tardy incentives- if everyone was on time the class gets a reward -Drinking Fountains are now open -It is about respect AND responsibility
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School District Update

Jennifer Partridge, PCSD Boardmember

- Dixon Middle School will be moved to a new site
 - The District brought the test to stay plan, Edgemont is doing a test to stay event on Friday
 - 4 schools were able to get 15 books to help make their libraries more diverse because a student did a lemonade stand to raise funds
 - HVAC at Centennial is being replaced, it is being done in two phases
 - Looking at better increasing safety at high schools, having a closed campus. Schools are struggling with missed class and tardies
 - Communications from the school district is getting better, they have more staff
 - Parents are concerned about social emotional learning at school. The curriculum is a purchased product so it isn't broadly available online but teachers can email out links. Social worker Ben Young said the school will be informing parents what is being taught
 - Jackie moved from out of state and is familiar with the social emotional learning curriculum and feels the Second Steps program is a great program
 - Elementary school kindness retreat happened yesterday, talking about respect is great but also talking about kindness
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Reflections

Shannon Gibson

- Reflections Due October 11th: "I Willl Change the World by..."
 - We finally have Reflections entries
 - Deadline is coming up
 - Facebook and Instagram posts have been made
 - Encourage kids because there are great prizes
 - There generally isn't a ton of entries
 - It would be great to try to shift the thinking of students who are embarrassed to enter and encourage them to participate
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Red Ribbon Week

Lanie Wilkinson

- Red Ribbon with focus on Vaping - new anti vape club
 - Oct 25-29
 - What help needed - help make posters, an informative pamphlet or social media campaign
 - If you are interested to help with Red Ribbon week please get in touch with Centennial PTA and you can help
 - Maybe a theme would be helpful?
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President's Report

Britney Wood, President

- Thanks to PTC lunch committee and parent donations
- Thanks for emergency kit donations - all donations covered
- Open Positions & Committees
- Email or text Tesera Tierney with any concerns or items for the PTA agenda
- Next Meeting is November 4, 2021

-Parents are saying that they would love the school to spread more positive incentives to help counter some of the negative behavior. Discussion about parent responsibility in that too. Ideally we all help foster a community of respect, kindness, and encouragement/praise

Attendees :

Britney Wood
Kami Su Bird
Tesera Tierney
Ashley Rayback
Tanei Henry
JT
Jennifer Partridge
Shannon Gibson
Brooke Taylor

**Centennial Middle School PTA Budget
2021-2022**

INCOME	BUDGET
Membership	635.00
Box Tops	500.00
Sales Tax Refund	30.00
Donations (Beginning of Year)	2550.00
Donations (for Teacher Gifts)	1500.00
Interest	5.00
Total Income	5,220.00

EXPENSES

Education and Family Life

Back to School Faculty Breakfast	110.00
Teacher and Faculty Birthdays	400.00
Teacher Appreciation Lunches (2 lunches-\$300 each, 3 treats-\$100 each)	1600.00
PTC Lunches (no dates yet...2@\$300 each)	600.00
Teacher Appreciation (Christmas and May 3-7, one a day)	1755.00
Golden Apple (district may not do a dinner...)	20.00

Reality Town	466.00
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Total	<u>4,951</u>
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Health and Safety

Red Ribbon Week	150.00
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White Ribbon Week	150.00
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Classroom Emergency Kits	200.00
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Total	<u>500.00</u>
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Individual Development

Reflections	150.00
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Book Club Treats	100.00
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Kindness Club	50.00
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Total	<u>300.00</u>
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General and Administrative

National and State Dues	508.00
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Council Dues	127.00
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Convention (for 3)	120.00
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Legislative Conference (for 2)	0.00
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PTA Day at Capitol (for 4)	0.00
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Administration Fund (Copies, Paper)	20.00
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Boxtop Contest Prizes	50.00
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Volunteer Appreciation	100.00
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Insurance	295.00
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Bank/Admin (Square, checks and stamps)	50.00
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Total	<u>1270.00</u>
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Total Expenses	<u>6,221.00</u>
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BALANCE	<u>-1,270</u>
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