Central Montessori Elementary

P.T.S.A. Meeting Minutes

Thursday, January 21st, 2016

6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

\*Welcome / Thank You / Introductions

* Attendees: Gabe Schenz, Marisa Tembreull, Angie Lundblad, Jessica & Shawn Matyi, Kim Robertson, Kelly Lafean, Rachel Bode, Chad Chelgren

\*Principal’s report –Kelly Lafean

* Facilities Plan
	+ Weekly meeting on building plan for Southwest
	+ Floor plan was shared
		- CME will have its own space with KG and 1-2-3 on the first floor and 4-5-6 on second floor
		- Will have dedicated CME library space
		- Draft floor plan will be available for public viewing in the near future and parent input is always welcome
	+ Will have dedicated outdoor spaces with fencing
		- Will move playground equipment that PTSA members recently made, but other equipment will be brand new
	+ Timing: CME will have 2 more years at the CLC before moving
* Report from Rachel Bode (CME Counselor) on new curriculum that is working well and allowing more time in the classroom

\*President’s Report –Marisa Tembreull

 \*\*Meeting change for our March meeting!!  The new date will be on Tuesday, March

                 15th, 2016 from 6:45 p.m.-7:45p.m.  Sorry for any inconvenience!!

 \*\*I Love to Read month is in February.  In the past we have done some reading related

                 activities during the month.  What are people’s ideas/comments/suggestions for this

                 year??

* Suggestion to make realistic goals so that K and 1-2-3 could compete
* Staff will discuss who may be able to lead and when “reading drills” may be able to be fit in
* Will discussed at Feb meeting

\*Budget-Gabe Schenz

 \*\*Very few transactions since last month

\*Fundraising

 \*\*Poinsettia Sale—Jessica Matyi

* Sale went well and plant quality was good

\*\*\*Pizza Party for Mrs. Gosiak’s class went well!!

 \*\*Flower Sale Information----Jessica Matyi

* Recommending spring flower sales for March with the same company as sold poinsettias – motion proposed & approved

\*Committees/Groups

 \*\*Family Fun Day

 \*\*\*The date is set for March 19th, 2016 with set-up on March 18th, 2016.  We

                                have reserved the large gym, small gym, and cafeteria!

 \*\*\*Ideas for activities, crafts, etc.

 \*\*Book Fair

 \*\*\*Held over conferences. More information at next meeting!

 \*\*\*Volunteers Needed??

 \*\*Teacher Meals

 \*\*\*Conferences are March 3rd and 4th. Jessica and Shawn Matyi have

 volunteered to provide the meals!

 \*\*Peer Leaders

 \*\*\*Sports Day, Mix-It-Up Day, and Slippers Day are coming up in February!

 \*\*\*Ice Cream Party for Mrs. Schulte’s and Mrs. Sykora’s classes.

\*\*Art Adventures: Jessica and Shawn Matyi

 \*\*\*Updates??

            \*\*Art and Academic Expo: Angie Lundblad

 \*\*\*Will look at the first week in May.

 \*\*Box Tops/Labels

 \*\*\*This is a fundraiser that continues throughout the school year.  Keep sending

        in your labels and box tops! Push for them to be turned in in February

 because of special contest going on!

\*Other Topics

 \*\*T-shirts: Nikki Theisen

\*Any Other Questions/Concerns

Our meetings will be from 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

The next meeting is Thursday, February 18th, 2016!

Future Meeting Dates:

March 15th, April 21st, and May 19th