

# TROPICAL ELEMENTARY PTA GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Date: February 15, 2023

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8:32 am	<p><b>PTA Presidents Report</b>            Read N quiz party 4th grade- was a success            Trek is in full swing            Brainstorm ideas on how to use the earned money – possible new marquee for outside, new murals, increase teacher grants            Have around \$77K currently prior to trek</p>	Laura Zatkowsky
	<p><b>Recording Secretary</b>            Review and approve minutes from last meeting, (1/11/22)            Motion to approve: Jami Bosse Second: Chelsea Kalish</p>	Jen Dittoe
	<p><b>Treasurer's Report</b> (balances as of 2/13/23)            Checking: \$40,485.01            Savings: \$37,272.22            We have \$2850.48 that has been deposited for Trek from Memberhub with another \$1,952 waiting to be paid out            Profit Loss Statement Review            Teacher grants updates</p>	Bobby Marsh
	<p><b>VP of Fundraising</b>            Discount Cards on sale \$10- cash or online            Zona Fresca estimate around \$200            Next family dinner 3/7 – place TBD            Possible fundraiser Worlds Finest Chocolate            Kona Ice coming back 2/17</p>	Laura DeAngelis
	<p><b>VP of Volunteers</b> –            Remind app- Code: text @7kccad to 81010            Reminder; Background checks asap even for PTA meetings            Next event- Trek 3/10</p>	Mirynne Iguialada
	<p><b>Corresponding Secretary</b>            Seage retired and we gave her a great gift</p>	Liza Khan
	<p><b>Membership</b>            Update on classes signed up and total numbers            Peralta family assisted to update the lists from Memberhub</p>	Meredith Feder (Laura Zatkowsky)
	<p><b>Principal's Report</b></p> <p>-Broward County Caliber Award Teacher of the Year –            Ms. Haley Shurack</p> <p>-Construction Updates - Media Center, music room,            playground equipment, bathrooms, landscaping</p>	Robert Schneider/ Dr. Brown

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	<p>-Upcoming Construction- Fire alarm &amp; sprinkler system            -Ms. Chrystie- Curriculum Updates- May will be next FAST testing period with practice testing for 1<sup>st</sup> grade soon. FAST testing is promotion criteria #1            Training for Benchmark was given to teachers</p>	
	<p><b><u>Calendar Updates</u></b></p>	
	<p>2/17- Grade 2- Museum of Discovery Trip</p>	
	<p>2/17- Kona Ice Truck by the Marquee 2:25 PM</p>	
	<p>2/20- No School- President's Day</p>	
	<p>2/22- Kids of Character Awards</p>	
	<p>2/24- Grade 5- "GRADE" Awards</p>	
	<p>3/6- Spring Pictures</p>	
	<p>3/7- SAC/ SAF</p>	
	<p>3/10- Tropical Trek</p>	
	<p>3/16- Hurricane Make-Up Day - NOT an Early Release Day</p>	
	<p>3/17- No School - Planning Day</p>	
	<p>3/20-24- No School - Spring Break</p>	
	<p>3/27- School resumes</p>	
	<p><b>Faculty Report</b>            Brainstormed ideas for grants</p>	<p>Karen Gordon</p>
	<p><b>Lollipops</b>            This Friday 2/17</p>	<p>Charlotte Kramer-Leathem</p>
	<p><b>School Store</b>            Nicole Haller and Monique Brown            Next date is Friday 2/17</p>	<p>Laura Zatkowsky</p>
	<p><b>New Business:</b>            Butterfly Garden- the sprinkler is still broken</p>	<p>Kelly Weschler</p>
	<p><b>TREK</b>            3/10            Envelopes went home 2/1            2/13- 2/17 collection of envelopes            3/5 week of need volunteers to start making bags            50%+ or more class participation gets amazon gift cards and lunches</p>	<p>Jami Bosse</p>
<p>9:49 am</p>	<p>Adjournment</p>	<p>Laura Zatkowsky</p>