

Wednesday, March 16, 2016
6- 7:30 pm
Gilpin Library



Minutes

In attendance: Jenn Koelliker, Kristi , Victoria Groetweil, Laura Coulter, Cheryl Bicknell, Rocio Cantelli, Kimberly Riggins, Dena Booe
Absent Board Members: Zarah Levy, Kelly Tryer, Camilia Schawel

- I. Email voting Update
 - a. Towergarden- Victoria will bring 3 options to the April meeting for assessment.
 - b. Microwave- Up to \$75. Was purchased for \$73
 - c. Per diem increase to \$74= \$333 per teacher. Teachers will fill out forms to account for the amounts spent to the best of their ability.

- II. Presidents report- Kimberly 10 minutes
The feelings buddies are on back order.
The African troop was not available to come until the Fall. Cleo parker was contacted.
Montessori Conference update- A complete success. Teachers will be doing presentations on April 5th. Hopefully Kimberly found a Montessori consultant to work with the district to be the school assessor.

- III. Treasurers Report- Laura
\$12,551.07 in the bank account. We have \$6601.01 remaining after all voted amounts are paid. The signage account will not be as high as expected.

The Montessori conference seems over budget. The hotel tax seems to be the culprit, Laura will examine and report in April.

- IV. Current School Funding Needs- 20 minutes
 - a. Gilpin Student Garden Club- Cheryl Bicknell

Voting for \$1100 for a garden shed. 5 yes and 1 abstention.

APPROVED

b. Classroom Pets

Ms. Leslie requested \$150 for a new hamster tunnel and rabbit cage/supplies. APPROVED

V. Carnival Committee update

a. Little man ice cream has a bouncy house for free.

“Music together” to be contacted about the music zoo

b. Volunteers and first meeting date- March 20th 1pm @ Spangalang

VI. Open topics

Stephanie:

City Years new director is assesing what he can do to assist at bringing cy back in the future thanks to an email to Stephenie.

How do we create a buddy system for the new incoming families? Welcome team needs to be created by the spring time.

Teacher appreciation May 6th. Ideas requested
Stephanie will make this her last year on the board.