



BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP SCHOOL

Parent Teacher Organization

Meeting Minutes

June 4, 2024



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Start time: 7:09

President's Welcome: Marissa Nolfi

Thank you for being here. There is not much on the agenda this month. We are going to talk about Spring Fling tonight and the final reports. Thank you to Mr. Swan and also Dr. Omega, as well as our teachers, staff, custodial. Without everyone we couldn't continue to do the things that we do. So excited to welcome the new ladies to the board and look forward to seeing what new ideas they will bring to our school. Thank you everyone for your support through the years.

Elementary Principal's Report: Corby Swan

Since we last met, we completed NJSLA. Big shout out to Dr. Omega who is the testing coordinator and to our students and staff.

I want to thank the PTO for continuing to auction off things like Principal for the Day, PE Teacher for the Day, Art Teacher for the Day, etc. at the Spring Fling event. The students really enjoy it and I know the teachers enjoy having that student with them all day. The student who was with me as Elementary Principal of the day has a bright future if she ever wants to be a Principal. She did an outstanding job.

We are winding down at the end of this school year. Our elementary students are taking diagnostic assessments so that we can look at their growth for the year.

I'm looking forward to working with the newly elected PTO Executive Board. We are going to be meeting next week and beginning the early plans to have a great upcoming school year.

PE Day will be continuing this year on June 13th so look out for info from your child's homeroom teacher regarding that. Hopefully you all received the Google Form regarding the students being served Kona Ice on June 13th and June 17th. Please make sure that you fill it out if you have not already. By the way, our gracious PTO is the one sponsoring us for the Kona Ice.

Tomorrow night, June 5th is our final concert for the school year and it will be our Choir and Handbell Concert led by Mr. Copeland. Students have been working extremely hard, so even if you don't have a child participating, come out and support our music program.

Please be reminded that our last day of school for students is Tuesday, June 18th and it is an early dismissal day.

Lastly, I want to give a huge thank you to the outgoing PTO Executive Board for all their hard work this past year.

Teacher Representative: Beth Rosnell – Hi everyone! The 2nd Grade had a virtual visit with Poet Ken Nesbitt. The students loved studying his style of writing and learning about his writing process. Mr. Nesbitt worked with classes to use rhythm, rhyme, and alliteration while writing a group poem.

Board of Education Report: no report

Secretary's Report– Danielle Fredella

Motion to approve May Minutes

First- Anne Van Druff

Second- Sheryl Roman Picado

Correspondence- from Mrs Isello thanking PTO for helping day of kindergarten screening with answering questions parents may have.

Treasurer's Report – Aygun Gunay

Report is available on PTO website www.bedminsterpto.org

Inflows: \$ 2,999.40

Outflows: \$17,727.84

Main Account Balance: \$87,103.96

50/50 Raffle Balance: \$300

Total Cash Available: \$87,403.96

PTO will be collecting memberships via PayPal friends and family at btsptotreasury@gmail.com

New Business

Spring Fling Recap: Executive Board

Jenn Chang- There is so much work for this event. Amazing volunteers doing calls, baskets, advertising, silent auction, admissions, ect. Overall gross numbers to add up to those efforts – \$39,000

Admissions: \$16,000

Basket Raffles-\$7,400

Silent Auction- \$8,000

50/50- \$3,500

Advertising- \$3,700

Homeroom Parents: Danielle Fredella, Jenn Chang, and Jen Tierney

Thank you everyone who is here that is currently a homeroom parent. We appreciate the time that you give to the students as well as helping teachers in throughout the year in class. We currently have sent out an email for the upcoming school year with a link to sign up if interested to do this again. Please keep in mind we try our best to not turn parents away, but unfortunately we may have to some years.

Public Questions & Comments: 4 to 5 minutes for comments and/or questions in regards to any Agenda point or any other topic related to the PTO. If any written documents are to be given to the PTO Executive Board, please email them to the Board Secretary 2 days in advance of meeting date: pto@bedminsterschool.org

Old Business

Ongoing Committees

Assemblies: Fareeha Rahim

Bulletin Board: Danielle Fredella and Marissa Nolfi

Home Room Parents: Jen Tierney, Jenn Chang, and Danielle Fredella

Spirit Wear: Jessica Pascale and Kelly Lynn Barry

Scholastic Book Fair: Danielle Fredella, Amanda Johnson, and Marissa Nolfi

8th Grade: TBD

Helping Hands: TBD

School Family Partnership Series: Lauren Zugale

Social Media/Website: Anne Van Druff

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Closing Notes: Marissa Nolfi

Thank you everyone so much for your support.

Meeting Closed at 7:33 pm

COMMENTS – We welcome any comments from the floor. However, please direct any questions specifically pertaining to your child(ren) to the appropriate person after the meeting or to the appropriate administrator during school hours. This meeting is recorded for the purpose of writing minutes and to have a factual record of the meeting once minutes are submitted recordings are deleted.

