

## Field Park PTO Meeting

**Wednesday, February 14 2024**

1. Welcome – Taylor Groesbeck
  - a. Teacher Rep: Katie Egan
2. Principal's Report – Ashley Burger
  - a. Ashley thanked Teacher Appreciation Committee for donuts and juices this morning
  - b. School laminator has broken
    - i. Hoping we can get a new one through PTO
    - ii. We approved currently in meeting, and Ashley is ordering so we can get it ASAP
3. President's Report – Taylor Groesbeck
  - a. Event Summaries / Thank yous
    - i. Crumbl Cookie Fundraiser
      1. Sold 65 boxes, raised \$474
      2. May try to pass out right after school next year
    - ii. Fun Lunch
      1. Thank you to fun lunch committee for our recent fun lunches – we have gotten great feedback from the kids
  - b. Committee Updates
    - i. Art Appreciation / All-abilities Fair Tie-in
      1. Art Appreciation projects in February highlighted a disabled artist, and the work is hung right now around the school.
        - a. Matisse, George Mendoza
        - b. 2<sup>nd</sup> grade wasn't able to do it because of the tie-in with Passports, but hopefully next year they can time the continent that month to be a continent with one of these artists.
    - ii. Variety Show
      1. 35 acts (last year was 28)
      2. Mr P picked cover art winner – Charlotte Conrath
      3. Jen, Taylor and Doug are working through details of show – getting music, putting it all in the right order, etc.
      4. Drew Kalmuk (1<sup>st</sup> grade mom) is donating Taylor Swift-themed decorations for the show
    - iii. D101 Book Drive
      1. Collecting books for "Open Books"

2. Kids can donation new or gently-used books. Books are sold in the organization's stores and also give books to students who don't have access.
3. Kristi Crawford is sending out additional details that will be included in the PTO email and Ashley's Friday email.
4. There will be a bin in the lobby for collection.
5. 5<sup>th</sup> graders will also include this in the morning announcements.

iv. Fullersburg Woods Half Day Outing

1. April 24<sup>th</sup>
2. Details will be sent out in next week's PTO email

v. OTSC event is same day as Field Park Fun Fair

1. Waiting to see if there is any way the OTSC event could be moved

vi. Jackie Stuut wanted to put on our radar that seed planting day is coming up

1. Will need someone to help her with it that could also take over for next year
2. Looking for a day after spring break to do it – Jackie will work with Ashley and Ryan McLaughlin to find a date that works for the school/gym.

4. Upcoming Events

- a. Emily Kruzel Virtual Meet & Greet – 2/26
- b. Variety Show Run Through – 2/28, 3:45pm
- c. D101 Book Drive – Week of ¾
- d. Variety Show – 3/5, 6:15pm