

Richland Elementary PTO Meeting Minutes

September 13, 2021

Attendees:

Jenna Sloan	Lovern Hayes-Brown	Amy Pierce
Sloan Curren	Russell Patterson	Megan Mariani
Shawni Hunt	Tamia Patterson	Jonathan Steele
Nicolette Guerrieri	Elena Kravits	

I. Call to Order

- Opening Statement – Sloan Curren
- May 2021 Minutes approved by Megan Mariani and Elena Kravits

II. Principal's Update – Ms. Jenna Sloan

- New Student Orientation and Find Your Classroom Day
- School Year Theme "I Can Lead the Way"
-Books purchased for each teacher, "What The Road Said"
- Goal to remain in-person safely

III. Old Business – Updates

- a. Summer Reading Program – Posters and reading log with prizes to be awarded
- b. Spirit Wear Sale – Plan for second event in the spring
- c. Welcome Back Breakfast
- d. Parent Nights
- e. Monthly Newsletter – PTO Updates
- f. Student Directory

IV. New Business – Upcoming Events

- a. Homecoming Spirit Week – Possible PTO table at Homecoming game
- b. Homeroom and Party Parent Sign-ups
- c. Free lunches and breakfasts for the school year
- d. Target Registry for Staff Lounge donations

- e. Amazon Smile
- f. Giant Eagle Reward Cards
- g. Chick-fil-A receipts
- h. Believe Kids Fundraiser kicks off September 24th – Holiday themed
- i. KidsStuff Coupon Books
- j. Zoo Assembly on October 4th – Plan to be held outdoors
 - Possible virtual Carnegie Science Center assembly for November
- k. Moe's Taco Tuesday on October 12th
- l. Halloween Parties to be held Thursday, October 28th
- m. Ice Cream Social November on 12th
 - i. Science Fair November 12th
 - ii Book Fair November 8-12th
- n. Morning Fit Club
 - Goal for afterschool programs to resume
- o. Ideas for enriching the building
 - Nature Trail, murals, stair decorations, etc.