

Eastgate Elementary PTA General Meeting Minutes



DATE AND LOCATION:	February 28 th , 2019 Eastgate Elementary Library
START TIME	Meeting called to order at: 7:05 pm
END TIME	Adjourned: 7:46pm
ATTENDEES	See attached sign in sheet. The required quorum was present.

Note: Notice of this meeting was given to all general members: via email, and PTA calendar but in less than 10 days from the meeting date

Previous Month’s Meeting Minutes: approved as written

Principal’s Report – May Pelto

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School is getting back to a sense of normality after so many snow days and mid-winter break. A big thank you to all the families who came to help with shoveling snow during this time. Special thanks extended to Xuan and Gabriel who were at the school every snow day making sure the school was safe for when students returned. Thank you! Kindy Information night – 22 Families attended.
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President Report – Marc Kirkpatrick

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Previous Bellevue District Meeting cancelled due to bad weather so will have more to report next meeting.
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Co-Treasurer Report – Staci Quashnock & Shekira Shamahamad

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monthly report attached.
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Co-VP of Fundraising – Amber Eadie

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Placed T-shirt order and they should ship around March 14th. Direct Donation Drive ‘Share the Love’ continuing this month Also currently selling Taco Time coupons Looking into Krispy Kreme Coupons as a future option Brown Bear Car Wash Fundraiser scheduled for around May
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Co-VP of Programs – Rahima Somji

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science Fair scheduled for Friday 1st March Talent Show scheduled for 29th March, with a planning meeting at 6pm this Sunday
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Co-VP of Hospitality – Martina Bordsen/ Maria Lau

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Donuts with Dependents (replacing ‘Donuts with Dads’) scheduled for April
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VP of Communications – Tori Eide

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A number of volunteers have now signed up for Science Fair, so the event should be well staffed.
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Committee Report:

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Science Fair – As above • Young Authors Day (YAD) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Changing things up a little bit this year. Author visit will in the morning in Grade Levels (K-1, 2-3, 4-5), hopefully then better targeted to the different age groups. ○ BBQ lunch to follow, then will split into two groups for another activity. ○ Will still need a lot of parent volunteers to make it successful. • PNW Ballet <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Have been working with our Grade 4 students along with a few other schools since January. A combined performance is scheduled for March 23rd from 11.30-1pm. ○ Tickets are \$12 or \$10 for Group bookings. • Kindness Counts Challenge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Eastside Baby Corner is the selected Charity. Looking for new or gently used items (mainly clothes, toys and diapers). Collection bins are in the school entry near the atrium. ○ Challenge extended until the end of March • Seattle Mariners Family Game <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Going to use the opportunity to make a fundraiser out of it with ticket sales. ○ Aiming for a date in May.
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Other Business:

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • none
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New Business

REPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update from Bellevue Schools Foundation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Eastgate has increased its donations by 25% - thank you! ○ May 3rd is the Spring Luncheon – More information to follow • Motions made and seconded to add line items to the budget for our "Share Your Love' Donation Drive and the Taco Time Coupon Books. Details below. • Motion made to add line items to the budget for visiting authors. Details below. • Motion made to sign a 3 year contract with LifeTouch.
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Announcements:

REPORT	<p>1st March – Science Fair</p> <p>7th March – Next PTA Board Meeting</p> <p>Mid March – PNB Performance for 4th Graders</p> <p>15th March – now a 'make up' snow day</p> <p>18th March – Professional Development Day (NO SCHOOL)</p> <p>March 29th - Talent Show tentatively scheduled</p>
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Motions

REPORT	<p>Motion made by Staci Quashnock: (Forms attached)</p> <p>- "I motion that we add two fundraising line items to our budget. One for our Share Your Love Donation Drive, with a budget income of \$15,000 and a budget expense of \$100. The second for our sales of Taco Time Coupon Books, with a budget income of \$500 and a budget expense of \$50." (seconded by Shekira Shamahamad)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">PASSED</p> <p>Motion made by Staci Quashnock: (Forms attached)</p> <p>- "I motion that we add two Learning line items to our budget so that we may conduct book sales for the two authors that Mrs Foster is having visit. The line item for each author's book sales would have a budget expense of \$500 and a budget income of \$500." (seconded by Tori Eide)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">PASSED</p> <p>Motion made by Martina Bordsen: (Forms attached)</p> <p>- "I motion that we sign a 3 year contract with LifeTouch for School portraits and yearbooks." (seconded by Rahima Somji)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">PASSED</p>
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