

R.C. LaPerche PTA Meeting

Date: March 7, 2019

Board Members present: Jamie DiLorenzo, Kathy Libutti, Julie Dorsey, Kerri McMahon, Elaina Lavallee

8 other PTA members present

Time in: 6:35 pm

I. Welcome and Introductions

- Jamie DiLorenzo welcomed the group and introductions were made
- 2/6/19 minutes were provided to members for review and approval
- Eileen Tobin made a motion to approve the minutes. Michaela Evans made a second motion, PTA minutes were approved.

II. News from the Principal, Julie Dorsey

- Commissioner of Education and Deputy Commissioner to visit LaPerche 3/29
- LaPerch 50th Birthday Celebration, 4/11
- RICAS Testing for 3rd, 4th, 5th graders, ELA, 4/3 and 4/4
- Volunteer training by Mrs. Dorsey is needed to volunteer at LaPerche.
- BCI checks are needed to volunteer at LaPerche as well.
- **Check out the LaPerche website, rles.smithfield-ps.org, to get the latest news and information.**
- **Check out our School Calendar on our website for important upcoming dates and activities.**

III. Treasury Update, Elaina Lavallee

- Girls Choice Dance totaled: \$3648.64, Dance surplus: \$161.36
- Amazon Smile Credit: \$51.41
- Flowers for Mrs. Forte: \$48.14, Irish Step Dance Assembly: \$100
- 5th Grade balance: \$2606.77

IV. Spring Events

- Boys Choice Dance, 3/8
- Spring Music Concert, 3/26
- LEAP starts 3/26
- Variety Show, 5/10
- Gallagher Middle School Orientation, 5/16
- PawSox Game, 5/17 Use your Feinsein Cards!!
- PAWS to start in the Spring!!!

V. Other Family Event Ideas

- Bowling
- AERO Trampoline Park
- FORECOURT, outdoor obstacle course
- Whiskers, Build-A-Bear
- Movie Theatre Rental

VI. Miscellaneous

- All Event Coordinators are required to become members of the PTA.
- All volunteers are encouraged to join the PTA as well.
- All volunteers need a **BCI Check** and **Volunteer Training** with Mrs. Dorsey.
- All flyers, including 5th grade flyers, must be approved by Joanna Stepka, laperchepta@gmail.com and Julie Dorsey, JDorsey@Smithfield-Ps.org prior to distribution.

Next PTA Meeting—Wednesday, February 6th at 6:30 pm!
5th Grade Committee Meeting to follow!
Upcoming Meetings: 4/2, 5/1, 6/6

Time out: 7:27 pm

Kerri McMahon,
2018-2019 Recording Secretary