



**Virtual Meeting Minutes
November 3, 2020 | 7 p.m.
Via Zoom**

Attendees: Virginia Fenstermaker, Stephenie West, Megan Greisen, Erica Smith, Mary Ann Triska, Rachael Rodrigue, Poppy Elshaug

I. Call to Order:

- Meeting called to order at 7:05 p.m. by Virginia Fenstermaker.

II. Guest Speakers:

- Principal Jen Stearns presented:
 - Waiting for approval from the school board before knowing the timeline on returning back to school.
 - Promote the survey to decide on returning hybrid or staying home, will have another opportunity to decide to come back in Feb or not.
 - Hybrid music will stay virtual, PE will be in person on co-hort days, and at home for virtual learning days
 - Recess will be by the classroom teacher, 10-20 minute recess, schedule is in the works, would be opposite of PE time. Grade level recess with no playground equipment, continue wearing masks.
 - Shift funds away from typing club this year
 - No school wide virtual field trip
 - Budgeting in some kits for each kid to keep at desk, asking for an extra \$75 from GWPO for teachers to obtain kits as best as possible, totalling around \$1650
 - Needs to purchase white boards and markers for each student, school wide set of 360 for \$591.48

III. President's Report: Virginia Fenstermaker

- Recap of the Drive-Thru Fall Harvest Festival
 - Thank you to Stephenie West for leading effort
 - 600 bags, using 3,775 pieces of candy
 - Attendance of about 80-100 cars
- Ongoing volunteers needed:
 - Library checkout (1x monthly)
 - Wolve's Den (1x monthly- Need 2 more volunteers for Nov. & Dec.)
 - Box Tops (Needs a lead for March 1st deadline)

IV. Vice President's Report: Megan Greisen

- Monthly teacher appreciation
 - November spotlight:
 - Kim Wentz
 - Sherril Cordell

- Lauryn Powers
- Bailee Magnuson (Powers' long-term sub)

V. Treasurer's Report: Stephenie West

- Account balances [as of 11/1/20]
 - Checking : \$2,233.00
 - Boost Savings: \$32,536.30
 - Savings: \$298.08
 - Money Market: \$7,808.26
 - Certificate: \$19,502.38

VI. 2020 Online Auction: Virginia Fenstermaker

- Unofficial report of results
 - Proceeds including class projects and advertising: estimated \$17,000
 - Total bidders were 80 (108 previous year)
 - Feedback has been positive on the experience with some security questions, but otherwise went very well.
- Item drive-thru pick-up: Nov. 7 (2-6 p.m.)
 - Scappoose Community Center
 - Alternative arrangements can be made by emailing GWPO

VII. Revised 2020-2021 Budget: Virginia and Stephenie

- A brief summary of new Spending Requests for November-June:
 - Sherril Cordell: \$175 BrainPop Jr. subscription for second grade classes
 - First Grade: \$515.87 individual white dry erase boards, or combine with Jen's
 - SPED/Poppy Elshaug: \$285.80 prize vending machine for contactless rewards
 - Mrs. Williamson music request for \$151.30, asking for her to use against \$250 budget
- GWPO presented and reviewed the revised budget per spent to date:
 - Does not include official auction proceeds
 - Final approved budget to be posted to GWPO website following the meeting.
 - GWPO will consider another budget meeting in the Spring, as needed.
- Poppy Elshaug motioned to approve the GWPO 2020-2021 revised budget as was presented and updated. Mary Ann Triska seconded. Motion passed.

VIII. Other school business: Erica Smith

- Yearbook Picture Request
 - Requesting pictures of distance learning while your child engages in Music, PE, "field trips" etc., to be sent to the yearbook email (Grantwattsphotos@gmail.com) for a chance to be included in this year's yearbook.
- Box Tops numbers update from Nov. 2 deadline:
 - School totals in clippings and scans: \$85 (anticipated for Dec. check)
 - \$61.20 in scans from July through October
 - \$22.50 in clipped box tops that were not expired
- Free lunch pickup is for everyone 0-18, no need to qualify



- Pick up at OPE 8:30-10:30 M-F

IX. Additional Discussion:

- Rachael Rodrigue is the winner of our random attendee drawing.

X. Adjournment:

- Meeting adjourned at 8:56 p.m. by Virginia Fenstermaker.