**Simpson Elementary School**

**PTA Board Meeting Minutes**

**Friday, September 9, 2022**

**Members Present on zoom:**

Dana Zamuel, Katie Berrigan, Sara Wiggins, Lauren Forester, Megan Skurski, Christina DelGaudio, Julie Miller, Heather Reich, Stacie Olsen, Mary Kathryn Jennings, Beth Goldstein

**Call to Order:**

Dana Zamuel, PTA Co-President, called the meeting to order at 9:30am.

**Approved the previous Board Minutes**

**Treasurers Report: Lauren Forester:**

-Corporate donations are on track

-PTA membership and donations are below our expectations, and we are working to increase memberships

-Discussed adding a communication chairperson next school year to the PTA

-We will start promoting Amazon Smile more for the school

-We are planning to have PTA table at the annual school fall festival

**Academics/Arts: Megan Skurski:**

-no update

**Communications/Publications: Beth Goldstein:**

-Ideas for arts and education events were discussed

-Yearbooks are currently on sale

**Family/Community Outreach: Stacie Olson:**

-All pro dads is going great

-Mother son game night / glow party planning is underway

-Fall Festival planning is underway

**Finance: Heather Reich:**

-Made approximately $3.9K in school kit sales (profit)

-Spirit wear orders are coming in and a new spirit night is planned

-Simpson Singers will not be held at Barnes and Nobel this year, an alternate plan was discussed

**Health/Environment: Sara Wiggins:**

--Made approximately $11.4K in Charleston Wrap profits

-Bike Safety class when great

-Walk to school day will potentially have the fire truck and the mayor present

**Staff/Student Services: Julie Miller:**

-Class coordinators quit after the first meeting to discuss what they were responsible for. A new way of communicating was discussed.

-Grandparents breakfast is being planned

**PTA Business:**

-Co President transition and the board approved the nomination of Mary Kathryn Jennings

-There will be a new playground fence separating the parking lot from the trailers and playground

-Spring fundraiser was discussed, potential a 5k at Dean Field

-A potential Gala was discussed and possibly piggy backing on the Norcross Foundation to make it possible.

-A parent donated copy paper to the school

-The updated school calendar was discussed

**Next Meeting Friday October 14th**

**ADJOURNMENT** Dana Zamuel adjourned the meeting at 11:25 a.m.