

**Simpson Elementary PTA  
Meeting Minutes  
January 9, 2017**

Meeting was called to order by Ashley McCall at 6:02 pm

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Meeting Minutes from Previous Meeting (November 28, 2016) to be approved

Teresa Lunsford made a motion to approve the previous minutes

Draga Lindsey seconded the motion

Members voted, motion carried

**Treasurer's Report**

Beginning Balance	\$ 6,285.16
Total Revenue	\$ 14,022.06
Expenditures	\$ 6,209.00
Ending Balance	\$ 14,098.22

**Principal's Business**

- Celebrations / Rewards

Mrs. Steele discussed how students are rewarded and recognized. Currently done during Iprincipal show. Would like to put in place a program/system for long-term reward. Possibly end of 9 weeks, end of term, end of year.

**Teacher Business**

- None

**Old Business**

- Santa's Workshop

Santa's Shop was very successful. Will increase product for next year to meet with demand based on shopping during school hours. Approx. profit was \$1202.00, reported by Kristy Marshall.

- Teacher Bulletin Boards

Bulletin boards & paper rack have been purchased & will arrive mid January.

- Playground Update  
Playground installation is finished. Looks great, can't wait for spring weather for the kids to get to use it.

### **New Business**

- Band-aids for Classrooms  
Band-aids have been purchased for each classroom. Previously they have been donated by MedExpress. They have decided not to donate anymore due to a conflict of interest with the in school clinics.
- Spring Parties  
Spring parties are starting to be planned.  
Mother / Son – Sarah Dodson  
Mother / Daughter – Cyndia Smell & Anna Matheny  
Father / Son – Miranda Carpenter  
Father / Daughter – Brittany Jenkins & Tracey Messenger
- Field Day  
Teresa Lunsford will chair field day. Want to make sure it will not be scheduled on the same day as Pre-K picnic. That was hard for parents last year. It will be held on Wednesday, May 24<sup>th</sup> at the Rec Center. She will contact Harrison County Parks & Rec about working with us on it again.
- Dome Theater  
Would like to look at possibility of having Dome Theater program for this year. It would need to be held at Simpson Creek Baptist Church Building. Ashley McCall will look at available dates and report back.

Briefly Discussed: Spirit Week (maybe held in January), 5<sup>th</sup> Grade party (planning and allowance), Spring Parties (Mother/Daughter, Father/Son events, etc.) and Field Day.

### **Meeting Adjourned**

Teresa Lunsford made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:46pm  
Miranda Carpenter seconded the motion  
Members voted, motion carried

### **Members in Attendance**

Ashley McCall – President  
Brittany Jenkins – Vice President  
Kristy Marshall – Treasurer  
Draga Lindsey  
Cindy Baker  
Miranda Carpenter  
Latricia Wolfe  
Tracy Messenger  
Teresa Lunsford  
Cyndy Smell  
Jill Steele

**Next meeting will be held February 27, 2017**