

**Simpson Elementary PTA  
Meeting Minutes  
March 20, 2017**

Meeting was called to order by Ashley McCall at 6:01pm

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Meeting Minutes from Previous Meeting (February 27, 2017) to be approved  
Miranda Carpenter made a motion to approve the previous minutes  
Karmen Cravens seconded the motion  
Members voted, motion carried

**Treasurer's Report**

Beginning Balance	\$ 11,284.77
Total Revenue	\$ 11,325.05
Expenditures	\$ 9,668.06
Ending Balance	\$ 12,941.76

**Principal's Business**

Thank you cards were given to the PTA from Mrs. Baker's 3<sup>rd</sup> grade classroom for the Book fair.

**Teacher Business**

None

**Old Business**

- Book Fair was a huge success! Thank you for everyone who volunteered.
- Father/Daughter Event – March 31<sup>st</sup>  
POC: Brittany Jenkins and Tracey Messenger  
The event will be held from 6:30-8:30pm @ Simpson. Over 320 RSVPs were received. Looks to be a good turnout.
- Mother/Daughter Event – May 5<sup>th</sup>  
POC: Cyndy Smell and Anna Matheny  
This event will be held in the High School Cafeteria. More information to come via email from Cyndy.

- Father/Son Event – April 22<sup>nd</sup>  
POC: Miranda Carpenter  
Will be held at the City Park. Waiting on response from T&L Hotdog for donation and still reaching out to other businesses for donations.
- Mother/Son Event - Date TBD  
POC: Sarah Dodson  
Still determining date so it does not conflict with 5<sup>th</sup> grade testing. If we cannot get a date at the Civic Center then the Church was mentioned as an alternate place to ask.
- Field Day – May 24<sup>th</sup>  
POC: Teresa Lunsford  
This event will be held at the Bridgeport Recreation Center. Teresa working on the flyer. Will be reaching out for a lunch count. Pepperoni rolls were suggested as the lunch. Volunteers will be asked for all day and specific colored shirts were mentioned to identify parent helpers.
- Spirit Week - April 17-21<sup>st</sup>  
POC: Ashley McCall  
Text Ashley with any suggestions/ideas.

### **New Business**

- Need volunteers for recycling.  
April - Teresa Lunsford  
May – Cyndy Smell
- Spartan Event  
Flyers have been sent out. Event held twice a week. Will need volunteers.
- History Alive - Sacagawea presentation  
POC: Kristy Marshall  
This event will be for 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> graders. Ashley will greet our guest and set up.
- Ned Show was held March 17<sup>th</sup>  
This event featured a yo-yo show. We opted to pay it forward and merchandise will be sold this week. Kristy needs volunteers for the sale times. Miranda and Karmen volunteered.
- Tracey Messenger asked about donations for the Pre-School Graduation event. In the past, the PTA has donated.

Teresa Lunsford made a motion to donate hotdogs for to the Pre-School Event.

Miranda Carpenter seconded the motion

Members voted, motion carried

- Cyndy Smell brought up parking spaces at the school. At this time, this seems to be a low priority for the School Board.
- Having some sort of Church Appreciation was mentioned as the Church lets us use their parking and supports our Backpack program. Suggestions were cards from the kids or maybe take them a lunch. Still to be discussed.

Teresa Lunsford made a motion to spend up to \$300.

Tracey Messenger seconded the motion

Members voted, motion carried

- Teacher Appreciation - May 1st – 5th  
POC: Crystal Monahan  
Email will be going out soon to all of the people who had signed up to volunteer.
- Spring Concert, directed by Mr. Broadwater will be held directly after our May Meeting on the 23<sup>rd</sup>

### **Meeting Adjourned**

Teresa Lunsford made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:51pm

Karmen Cravens seconded the motion

Members voted, motion carried

### **Members in Attendance**

Ashley McCall – President

Brittany Jenkins – Vice President

Kristy Marshall – Treasurer

Crystal Monahan – Secretary

Draga Lindsey

Karmen Cravens

Kelly Washington

Tracey Messenger

Teresa Lunsford

Cyndy Smell

Miranda Carpenter

Sarah Dodson

Latricia Wolfe

Jill Steele

**Next meeting will be held April 24, 2017**