

**Simpson Elementary PTA
Meeting Minutes
October 17, 2016**

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

Pledge of Allegiance

Meeting Minutes from Previous Meeting (September 19, 2016) to be approved

Christy Osbourne made a motion to approve the previous minutes

Latricia Wolfe seconded the motion

Members voted, motion carried

Treasurer's Report

Beginning Balance	\$ 14,626.95
Deposits	\$ 7,620.75
Expenditures	\$ 2,082.61
Ending Balance	\$ 20,165.09

Principal's Business

None

Teacher Business

Teachers are needing something to be able to display their classroom children's artwork in the hallway. As each space is different, we would like to find something to accommodate all areas. Suggestion of a hanging board and/or a paper wheel.

Latricia Wolfe made a motion for the PTA to provide \$1000 to this effort

Ranzi Stacy seconded the motion

Members voted, motion carried

Old Business

Fall Party

Party Parents are to report at the school at 10:15 to assist Teachers with student costumes.

Parade at 11:00, Party at 11:15 and lunch served "bag lunch" style in the classrooms

2 hour early dismissal that day (October 31, 2016)

Fall Festival

We made \$6063.93 from the Festival. The event was well received, very organized and enjoyed by the kids. Thank you Kristy Marshall and everyone that made this event happen.

iWalk

Christy Osbourne announced that the West Virginia Mountaineer would be attending this week's iWalk and that the kids should wear orange for the anti-bullying day. Ashley McCall announced that after the iWalk, the WV Mountaineer would be giving a 15 presentation on anti-bullying.

New Business

Volunteers are needed for the Fundraiser Delivery on Wednesday, October 19, between the hours of 2:30pm-5:00pm. Kristy Marshall will send out a request via our Facebook page

Santa's Workshop

We are able to have Santa's workshop during the school day this year (2 days) as well as the evening (1 night) to allow everyone to participate. Kristy Marshall will be chairing this event. Event will take place the week of December 5-9th. More information to follow.

Operation Gratitude

This event is a "Thank You" to our Troops but after speaking to Principal Steele, we are already participating in a similar event. Operation Gratitude is being cancelled.

Reflections Art Contest

Jenny Reed will be chairing this event. Deadline is February 1, 2017.

We discussed when the announcement should go out. The theme of the contest this year will be "What is your Story"?

Meeting Adjourned

Latricia Wolfe made a motion to adjourn at 6:31pm

Ranzi Stacy seconded the motion

Members voted, motion carried

Members in Attendance

Ashley McCall – President

Brittany Jenkins – Vice President

Kristy Marshall – Treasurer

Crystal Monahan - Secretary

Christy Osbourne

Latricia Wolfe

Ranzi Stacy

Guest: Maggie Jedju (Family Coordinator for Head Start. She visits different PTA meetings around the area to observe.)