Welcome and Call to Order: President, Rob Elliot, called the Fairview Elementary PTA Board meeting to order at 8:05 a.m.

Members in attendance: Rob Elliot, President | Mory LaVoie, Secretary | Kenya Hoffart, VP of Fundraising | Molly Sherrill, Treasurer | Andi Elliot, Nominating Chair | Jen Alonso, VP of Programs | Lynn Getty, Teacher Rep | Kim Matyskiela, Advocacy Chair | Jonathan Borntrager, At Large

Item:

March Minutes Approved

Principal’s Points

● There will be a teacher march on May 1st, not sure how this will impact our school yet
● Memorial Day will still be observed
● 2 new teacher positions posted (K & 2)
● EOG
  1. May 29-30
  2. There will be fewer questions
  3. 3 hours max
  4. There will be more breaks throughout the test (ELA & Science)
  5. June 13 ELA & June 14 Science - retaking dates
  6. No retesting for math this year
● Special Ed
  1. Letters will be going home regarding blue hall changes soon.
  2. There will be a meeting at Haw Creek for affected families on April 25th; Fairview, Haw Creek and district staff will be present to answer questions and address concerns.
● SIT meeting on June 13th, need all PTA proposed dates by June 6th.
● School needs a new printer for the yellow hall ($4500) and a new microwave for the teacher’s lounge ($500)

Treasury

● $64,432.41 - total available as of today
● $32,000.00 - Estimated Boosterthon Payment
● $ 8,902.74 - Book Fair Final
● DI has been paid out
● Budget meeting will be on May 2nd and Board meeting moved to May 9th.
● Teacher requests due on April 26th.

Programs

● More volunteers are needed for Cardinal Press, 5th grade is incomplete

Spirit Wear

● Spirit Wear forms were sent out, 3 responded

Fundraising

1. Logistics are still in discussion for HNG fundraiser
2. Fall Festival date needs to be locked down soon
3. Boosterthon Fun Run was SUPER successful!

Nominating
- Positions for SIT team members and next year's PTA board will be voted on at the volunteer breakfast on April 25th.

Garden
- Expressed concern about it, more discussion needed

New Business
- Discussions about getting volunteer sign ups back into the classrooms at Meet the Teacher - an effort to get more parents involved.
- Discussions about holding at least one general PTA meeting in the evening so working parents can attend.
- Material presented on the Muddy Sneakers program, a program designed to encourage outdoor education. Program includes 6 excursions, costs $5500 and affects 5th grade students.
- Mrs. Tatum presented on behalf of 5th grade for funds that will cover Discovery Education subscription. PTA will have to pay the entire amount of $2600, Dr. Jackson will know in July if the school can share the expense. **Will be decided at the Budget Meeting.**
- Haw Creek PTA President would like to come sit in FES PTA Board meeting soon.

Upcoming PTA & School Calendar Events
- Kindergarten Registration - April 11th (PTA members, please try to attend)
- Volunteer Breakfast - April 25th (Board members voted on)
- Staff Appreciation Week - May 6th - 10th
- Spring Arts Celebration - May 9th
- Special Olympics - First week in May

Meeting Adjourned at 10:45 am