

November PTO Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, November 7, 2023
7pm in the Red Mill School Library

Welcome - Mari welcomed Mrs. Squillace, and parents and teachers in attendance.

Treasurer's Report - Camille reviewed with the group, numerous expenses and proceeds that have been discussed and accounted for within the treasury for the 2nd month of school. Topics that were covered: Fundraising, School Spirit Activities and Events, Backpack Program, 5th Grade Activities, Enrichment, Equipment and Durable Good, Events, and Other Expenses.

Principal's Update - The day after Halloween being off for a Professional Development Day was well received. Information on the Online assessments for 5th graders and its rollout plans for the other students was also discussed. Updates on the library and its ongoing renovations were also discussed. And Wednesday, November 8th, 2023 is the Veteran's Day Parade, and all students have been encouraged to wear their Red, White, and Blue to aid in celebrating the day.

Roller-Skating Recap- There were 180 tickets sold (YAY to that!!!). The next Skating event will be held on Sunday, March 24th, 2024 from 1-4pm.

Fall Fundraiser- Everything is going well. Items should be delivered by the 1st week of December. Total sales were amazing!

Holiday Shop - Sale will take place December 4th through the 6th. Sign up genius and flyers will go out soon so that all parents' students will have time to prepare.

School Pictures Make Up Day - Scheduled for Wednesday, November 29th, 2023 and reminders will be sent out to alert parents.

Snow-Cone & Popcorn Sale - Snow cone date is scheduled for Friday, November 17th, 2023 to benefit 2nd grade and Popcorn will be sold to benefit 3rd grade in December on the 15th.

Family Bowling - Bowling went well with a few minor hiccups; but Amy has already come up with ideas to make the next event more successful.

Santa's Magical Express - This fun filled Red Mill event will take place Sunday December 10th @ 6:20pm through Yankee Trails. Use the code Redmilleg5 to save \$5!

Winterfest - This fun filled town event is scheduled for the weekend of January 13th, 2024 but kicks off Friday January 12th. The PTO sells popcorn and volunteers will be needed.

5th Grade T-shirts - Nicole H. is busily compiling and organizing this project and Principal Squillace will be assisting with getting the proper links out to parents in early January.

Dance, Movie Night and More in 2024- The Red Mill Dance will be January 26 and Movie night is pushed until March this year.

The next meeting will be Tuesday 01/09/2024