

**October PTO Meeting Minutes  
Corron Elementary School  
November 15, 2017  
7:00 pm**

**1. Call to Order 7:07pm**

- a. Megan Stone, President
- b. Nicole Fraser, Vice president
- c. Lisa Scott, Treasurer
- d. Stacy Rubly, Secretary
- e. Brent Todd
- f. Rachel Gundersen
- g. Gina Wormley

Review of November Minutes

Teacher Report-none

Officers/Committee Reports

Committee Chairs' Reports

Business Partnerships-Dates to look forward to..... McTeacher night is confirmed for February 27<sup>th</sup>, Spirit week for Everything Bundt cake April 30<sup>th</sup>-May 5<sup>th</sup>.... Can pre-pay and pre-order for Mother's Day. Corron will get 20% of orders placed..... and showing flyer. Working on confirming new Italian place for No Cook Night December or January.

Fall Fest-big success..... numbers down from last year, still very successful. Will have final income soon.

Talent Show Update- Paperwork going out this week in coyote tales. Talent show is Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> a Thursday. Rehearsal will be Monday. (Tuesday is 4<sup>th</sup> grade sing). Corron's Next Top Talent..... Looking for Sponsors so can have a decorating budget

Teacher Conference Dinner- Monday all sign ups taken 4:30-7pm..... Dinner Village Tavern Chicken Fingers thanks RC Hutson, soup, cookies, flowers on the table, soda.....

Treasurer's Report- Current Cash on Hand- \$23,374.11

Recent income- Parent/child dance \$588.63, Spirit Wear \$608.00, Fall Fest \$9,603.57 (so far)

Recent Expenses- Teacher Resources \$419.93,

Spend Down- \$2278.50 remaining that has not been allocated. Poster printer? 5<sup>th</sup> grade Books?

Parent/Child Dance- had 152 people..... biggest complaint not being able to bring younger siblings. (non-corron) student. M& M's all over the floor, not have those again.....have had 7 different parents reached out and said what a great night. Fun had by all ☺. Kids loved the DJ. 2 ½ cases water left over, 120 capri sun leftover, leftover 3 muskateers, Made \$588.63

DPTO- Spirit Sticks have done as fundraiser.... At other schools.. Teachers can have to encourage to earn. Ferson Creek use Windy Acres for Mums, and are doing Poinsettia this year. Science Nights..... Northern has a whole program that will do assembly, or do a Science Night. East and North have kits that they can come with experiments to do a Science Night. Thursday, January 18<sup>th</sup> 5:30 at Thompson LRC, discussing enrollment trends. Dr. Pearson came and talked to meeting. District would be at a loss if legislation passes over the next 5 years to lose 30 Million of funding..... Mis-utilization of building usage.....have capacity at all elementary schools. Are going to close buildings most likely..... addressed middle schools

and consolidated..... now they will focus on elementary school and re-address.....looking at Macro problem across the district. Enrollment down..... Asst. Super of Curriculum going to have a STEM night..... a night to code Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> Wredling 6-7:30, December 5<sup>th</sup> Bell Graham 6-7:30pm....., has hosted Google tech questions, Kelly will be at PTO meeting in December..... showed video about Eureka Math. Talked about PLTW Science.

### Principal's Report

1. CogAT Testing is almost finished for ALL students in Grades 3 and 5 and will be a component to qualify for AT Literacy and/or AT Math next year.
2. Veteran's Day Celebration: Thank you to all of the Corron families' veterans, girl scouts, boy scouts, and parents that joined us for our special recognition on Tuesday, November 7. It was a special morning to recognize our Veteran's service, bravery, courage, heroism, patriotism, and sacrifice. We look forward to this tradition again next year at Corron and are considering possibly doing a Live Stream for those who cannot join us in person.
3. Parent-Teacher conferences: Monday, November 20 from 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM and Tuesday, November 21 from 8:00 AM to noon, our teachers will be conducting Parent-Teacher conferences here at Corron. If you have not signed up yet, you must visit "Pick-a-Time" to schedule your own time. Conferences can only be scheduled by you from this site. We look forward to seeing you at these conferences to share the great instructional progress and areas to continue to focus on for your child. Report cards are available on HAC at 8:00 AM on Nov. 22.
4. Winter Party Details for Friday, Dec. 22 from 1:45 – 2:45 PM:
  - K - 3 classrooms will continue to have Winter parties in their classrooms
  - K - 3 room volunteers can sign in at the front foyer at 1:30 PM to set up room parties.
  - 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade classrooms are coordinating details that will be shared out soon to all Room Party Moms.
  - 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade party volunteers can sign in at the front foyer also at 1:30 PM to set up areas in the gym, LRC, and cafeteria for parties.
  - Pack up and begin the Winter Break: 2:50 - 3:00 PM
5. Thanks for the ongoing MakerSpace supports and funding. Kids are having a GREAT time and are learning every other Friday morning from 7:30 – 8:30 in Room 404. Thank you also for all of the donations of "junk" and "treasures" that keep coming in for project creations.
6. 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Sing is on Tuesday, Dec. 12 starting at 6:00 PM here in Corron's Cafetorium. Orchestra concert at 6:00 PM and Band Concert at 7:30 PM on Thursday, Dec. 14 at North High School.
7. NO SCHOOL FOR THANKSGIVING BREAK: Wed., Nov. 22 – Fri., Nov. 24. School resumes on Monday, Nov. 27.

New Business- Decorate Hallways Monthly? Kids seem to enjoy, Got a late donation from Windy City Bulls..... will use for raffle at Movie Night....have each class make snowflakes.... Hang in hallway.....

Announcements- none

Adjourned: 8:45pm

Attendance

Megan Stone  
Brent Todd  
Gina Wormley  
Amanda Clark  
Stacy Rubly  
Erica Hauser  
Lisa Scott  
Nicole Fraser