# Rockton 140 PTO August 26, 2021 Virtual Meeting 8:00 PM Community Meeting

Call to Order: 8:03 pm

Attendance at Meeting: Abby Czaja, Alix Backus, Carol Flohr, Justin Bonne, Tanya Davidson, Brittany Watters, Stori Dimke, Aaron Miller, Amanda Basurto, Becki Boeke, Lindsey Lancaster, Melanie/David Fager, Rachel Wolverton, Stacey Borre, Korina Butterbaugh, Misty Jones, Brandon MacDougall, (several people listed just as phone numbers, did not give their names)

## President's Report: Abby Czaja

- Introducing new Co-Director of PR Brittany Welsh and new WPES Teacher Rep Kristin Fish
- Purchasing supplies for schools approve budget, volunteers? Wish list from schools on what is needed most - considering \$600 budget to cover these needs - any community feedback? No feedback was offered. If interested in volunteering to help with this, please reach out via Facebook or Email

### Vice President's Report: Alix Backus

- Mums launching 08/30 same supplier as last year, sales starting next week with pickup at SMMS on Sept 20, price going up from \$13 to \$14 this year no one voiced any objection to that
- What other events/fundraisers would we like to see in the Fall?- reviewed fundraisers from last year to give an idea of our community partnerships, keeping it to local businesses, lots of experiential things rather than lots of "stuff" to buy.
- Suggestions: the Mix for Halloween, spirit wear (November again?), Sugar Britches was suggested for candy, candy apples, hot cocoa balls, candygrams for students? Justin will check into feasibility of that. Lots of support for doing the Mix for Halloween Abby will reach out to them. Suggestion of wreaths for Christmas or does this compete with Boy Scouts too much? Mary's Market pies and cookies (make your own cookie kit?) were popular last year, maybe do this again for December
- Question about Holiday Shoppe and whether this could happen this year this is something we'll be addressing coming up
- Abby will be collecting feedback on meeting dates from the board, and we'll be putting calendar together for the next few months

### Treasurer's Report: Tanya Davidson

 Review and Approve Treasurer's Report: Tanya gave overview of where we are at with trying to get non-profit status renewed. Motion to approve report made by Brittany Watters, seconded by Stori Dimke

### Director(s) of Public Relations Report: Brittany Welsh & Nancy GeRue

 Staff appreciation - partnering with BOE again, combination of virtual recognition and events throughout the year. Anything the staff want to see again? Abby reviewed what has been done last year, asked for feedback - committee is meeting soon to start planning for first appreciation event in October. Teacher & admin reps will get feedback from the staff. Could we get a food truck for lunch one of the staff days?

Secretary's Report: Hillary Fleming

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 Approve June Meeting minutes Motion to approve made by Alix Backus, seconded by Tanya Davidson

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### Teacher Reps' Reports:

- Rockton Grade School (Laura Lueschen & Stori Dimke): Everyone enjoyed the donuts!
- Whitman Post Elementary (Kristin Fish): Yearbook coordinators are in place for this year
- Stephen Mack Middle School (Carol Flohr): Donuts were appreciated by all!

### Administrative Rep's Report: Erin Hauser & Justin Bonne

• Excited about the PTO/BOE partnership again this year

#### Old Business:

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#### New Business:

• Any more feedback from the community? Meetings will remain virtual for now

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn made by Abby Czaja, seconded by Tanya Davidson, adjourned at 8:47 pm

\*The above minutes will be approved at the September 2021 Community PTO meeting