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CJCP PTSO May 10th Minutes

❖ Meeting called to order at 7:14pm by Viji Vankatashen

- Discussion on the library: Miss Dincer discussed how the library may function on a daily/weekly basis. Tasks would include teaching children the Dewey Decimal System, and/or gathering information for Social Studies classes. The idea was brought up for teachers to sign up to us the library thru google form. We could have a book author come in to read or discuss his/her book.

Suggestions were made for furniture such as Ikea for the soft accent furniture. Also Demco Furniture company was suggested for shelves.

- Discussion on Playground: Miss Cebe discussed creating a fundly.com fundraiser/donation site to raise money for the elementary playground. Those cost could be between \$25k-\$50k.
- Board Meeting: Sonia recapped the Board of Trustee Meeting. Only 5 parents attended. The main topic from the parents was the recent security breach. The Board mentioned additional training or the staff and education for students has been conducted. Parents mentioned that communication was a huge fail. The school should have used text blasts. The communication that is released should have more detail just in case the phones aren't working like the last time. Miss Cebe noted that the retired officer that is on staff is getting additional training. The FTPD also came in and did an assessment of the school and point out what needed improvement. Outside doors are now alarmed.

❖ Accomplishments since last meeting:

- Scholastic Bookfair- We finished with \$3,384.25. \$800 was donated toward the 4th grade library.
- Teacher Appreciation Breakfast-The PTSO provided breakfast yesterday for the teachers and staff. It was the least that we could do to show appreciation for all the things the teachers do.

❖ Treasurer's Report: Please see report

- Opening Balance: \$5,419.19

❖ Upcoming Events

- Mother's Day Plant Sale-Today and tomorrow

- Spring Social/Mommy and Me (Son) Dance-TBD
 - Spring Social-Middle & High School
 - Mommy & Me (Son)-Elementary
- Daddy/Daughter Dance-TBD

❖ **Special Announcement:**

- PTSO will provide refreshments for Field Day. The PTSO will reach out to Rita's.
- PTSO is in search of restaurants that can provide dessert for project graduation.
- Career Day is June 1st. It will be approximately 50 people. PTSO will provide lunch. Hoping to get Subway to donate boxes.

❖ **Q & A:**

❖ **Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm**