

Foothills PTA Executive Committee Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, August 17, 2021, 9:05 AM
Foothills Elementary

Members Present: McKenna Christensen, Whitney Joseph, Alexis Tanner, Mary Meyer, Jennifer Gallagher, Elizabeth Smith, Tanner Purser, Maddie Purser, Kylie Devey, Becky Short, Doug Borrurso, Laura Roberts, Zaya Lyu, Deborah Brown, Tierra Beard, Tammy Wardle, Angie Haynie, Kim Haussler, Karen Pew, Tara Jackson, Arianne Coltrin, Clarisa Wanlass, Lauren McDougal, Holli Tharp, Heidi Benson, Tina Nelson, Kenzie Hunsaker, Tabitha Herd, Savina Lindsey, Chaly Jones, Cindy Steggell, Jennifer Gallagher

Call to order: 9:05am

Substitute Principal

Has been a substitute in the cafeteria, recess, and classrooms since she retired. Mrs. Wilson will be back Monday.

Assistant Principal: Michelle Kilcrease

Michelle is working part time at Foothills M/T and every other Friday and part time at Blackridge Elementary. She loves to help and hopes to stay at Foothills for a while. If you need anything, please email her or call the school. michelle.kilcrease@jordandistrict.org

2021 School Theme: Reach for the Stars

Drama Teacher: Jodi Howell

Jodi collaborates with the teachers each month and integrates core curriculum into the dramatic arts. This program is funded by the Beverly Taylor Sorenson Arts Program and through the legislature. You can be on an email list to be informed about the arts and info from the legislation - just reach out to Jodi. Research shows that when schools have an arts program, students have higher test scores, better attendance, and more self esteem.

PTA: McKenna Christensen - President

We would love for you to join the PTA. You can purchase a membership online at

<https://foothills-riverton.memberhub.com/store>

Some positions that are still available are:

- Service, Awards, Legislative, Field Day
- If you're interested, please email McKenna at foothillspta.president@gmail.com

Room Parent

- Sign up in the classroom or email your teacher if you're interested
- 1 per classroom
- You'll hear in the next week or so if you're the room parent

Kindness shirts and spirit wear are available to purchase until September 10

- Order forms will be coming home with the students
- T-shirt sample sizes in are in the front office

Treasurer Report: Whitney Joseph

Whitney went over the Annual Financial Review and copies were given to those in attendance who wanted one. The President, Treasurer, and Secretary of this year went over the books from last year. Last year we made \$6500 and spent \$9200. This was because we were not able to have a fundraiser last year due to COVID which is where most of the PTA funds come from. The extra money was taken the previous year's balance.

Motion by Whitney Joseph: I move that we approve the Annual Financial Review. Vote affirmative. Motion adopted.

Motion by Tabitha Herd: I move that we approve this year's budget. Vote affirmative. Motion adopted.

Motion by Tabitha Herd: I move that we approve the proposed bylaws. Vote affirmation. Motion adopted.

Calendar of events for the month:

August

- 17 - 1st day of school
(grades 1-6)
- 17-24 Kindergarten testing
- 25 - 1st day Kindergarten
- 27 - Room Parent Coordinator Meeting @1:30pm

September

- 1 - Bylaws expire
- 6 - Labor Day NO SCHOOL
- 10 - T-shirt orders due
- 15 - PTA Board Meeting @ 9:15am
- 20 - Annual fundraiser

Meeting adjourned at 9:30am.

Next meeting will be September 15th @ 9:15am at Foothills Elementary.

Minutes accepted: _____ Secretary _____(signature)

Minutes placed in binder.

(Name)

(Title)