Salt Lake Center for Science Education

Parent Teacher Student Organization

Meeting Minutes

February 11, 2016

Attending: Lynn Lonardo, Bella Lonardo, Guadalupe Bastilla, Donna Drown, Matt Smith, Jeri Brown, Lacee Brown

* Discussed researching PTA and will research further to determine whether we should switch to that model
	+ Can do reflections if the school is a member of PTA
	+ PTA raises money for different projects
	+ Provided end of year events
* Discuss particular fundraisers for next year
	+ 5k was fantastic!
		- Was for DC this year
		- It will be part of back to school night next year
	+ School yard sale may happen next year
	+ Fundraisers have historically been done by each special interest group
		- DC
		- Choir
		- Seniors
	+ Ideas for parent involvement
		- Parents were just more involved naturally in the other school
		- They say they will come, but then people don’t show
		- What prevents parent from becoming involved?
			* Lack of time
			* Meeting time
			* Distance from school
			* Many reasons
* Feedback from staff indicates that the current structure of the PTSO is beneficial to the school
* Need to plan for teacher meals Tuesday March 1st and Thursday March 3rd
	+ Jeri Brown will coordinate Tuesday March 1st
		- Please text her at 801-671-4177 or email her at mbrown050@comcast.net
		- Menu to be determined
	+ Lynn Lonardo will coordinate Thursday night
		- Please text her at 801-633-3142 or email her at lonardo\_7@msn.com
		- Potato bar