

## Hooper Elementary PTA Board meeting minutes

Wednesday, October 7th, 2020 9 a.m.

Hooper Elementary Gym

### Meeting Attendees:

Executive Committee: Stacy Adams, Mrs. Breeding, Kristin Peterson, Cindy Pendleton, Jenny Hirst, Brandi Browning, Shanae Headley.

Board Members: Kelli Brown, Karleen Turner, Trevor Hirst, Celeste Hatch, Holly Draper

Attendees: Elissa Villwock, Becca Buck, Emilee Haslam, Michelle Sargent

**Approval of Agenda and Last Meeting's Minutes:** Given by Shanae Headley. The agenda that was posted on the Hooper PTA Facebook page and the Hooper Elementary website on 30 September 2020 was reviewed and adopted. Minutes from the 16 September 2020 General Membership meeting were posted on 16 September 2020 by Shanae Headley. No changes were made, and the minutes were adopted as posted.

**Treasurer's Report:** Given by Brandi Browning

- Balance in checking account as of 30 September 2020 is \$16,120.81
- Income: Interest \$.68, Membership \$264, Spirit Wear \$1719, Donations \$129
- Expenditures: Community Involvement - Teacher and Faculty Meals and Popcorn Fridays \$308.41. Membership Dues \$405.

**Legislative Update:** Given by Cindy Pendleton. Cindy attended the virtual UtahPTA Advocacy Conference on September 17<sup>th</sup>. During the annual Business Meeting of the Utah PTA Advocacy Conference, Utah PTA members voted, as part of their 2020-2021 Legislative Priorities to support Constitutional Amendment G. This amendment will be presented to Utah voters on the 2020 General Election Ballot. <https://www.utahpta.org/advocacy-vice-president>

Constitutional Amendment G states, "Shall the Utah Constitution be amended to expand the uses of money the state receives from income taxes and intangible property taxes to include supporting children and supporting people with a disability?" Utah PTA's mission and purposes are to help every child realize his full potential and to advocate for laws that further the education, physical and mental health, welfare, and safety of children and youth. Securing funding for services for children and for expanding education funding supports the mission of Utah PTA to advocate for the whole child.

Cindy also mentioned a beta program being developed to help parents approach discussions with their kids concerning everyday sexual messages. Go to [www.upwardreach.org/talk](http://www.upwardreach.org/talk) for further information.

**Membership Update:** Given by Jenny Hirst. There are currently 104 PTA members who have joined. Memberships are currently available to purchase online or check/cash can be sent into the school. [hooper.new.memberhub.store/store](http://hooper.new.memberhub.store/store) Jenny is also coordinating a monthly effort to try to increase memberships.

**Spirit Wear Orders:** Given by Stacy Adams. 226 orders were placed with Intermountain T-shirt and orders were delivered last week. The company did not print youth larges, so that order is being processed now. The PTA made a profit of about \$700. Those who ordered long sleeve have been happy with this new option. Another order will begin the first week of November for those who missed out or for any who would like to order Straight Outta Hooper items to be back in time for Christmas.

**Nomination Committee:** Given by Stacy Adams. Formed in November, 3 members and 2 alternates will be voted in during the December PTA meeting. This committee will be charged with surveying the school committee for those willing to serve on the Executive Board for the 2021-2022 school year. Kristin Peterson is currently President-Elect and will step in as 2021-2022 PTA President. Other positions that need to be filled include 2 VP slots, Secretary and

Treasurer. Brandi Browning, outgoing Treasurer, will serve as the Executive Committee selection on the Nomination Committee. More info can be found here <https://hooper.new.memberhub.store/OfficerPositions>

**Reflections:** Given by Stacy Adams. 17 entries have been submitted on the new online Reflections portal by parents this year. Once entries have been judged, Judi Coburn will contact those students that will move on to Council. Watch for more info on Awards.

**Book Fairs:** Given by Trevor Hirst. Scholastic has not been responding to emails concerning options for the first book fair scheduled for October 12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>. This could mean no Fall book fair! ☹ Trevor will continue to try to get Scholastic scheduled for a virtual event if possible. Thanks for your hard work on this Trevor!!

**Spirit Fridays or Spirit Days:** Given by Stacy Adams. Jessica Smith was not in attendance, but if anyone has any fun ideas to help reward students for wearing spirit wear or school colors, please contact Jessica or email [hooperpta@gmail.com](mailto:hooperpta@gmail.com) with ideas.

**Room Mom/Volunteer Sign-Ups:** Given by Karleen Turner. Attached to the minutes is the Room Moms Training and Info for 2020-2021. Parent Volunteers are not allowed in the school at this time. To help with Halloween, Room Moms will be working with Teachers to provide a party-in-a-box. This box will be gathered by the Room Mom after polling other parents in the classroom and delivered to the school 3 days before the scheduled party. It is very important that Room Moms work closely with their teacher to ensure that activities can be easily managed alone without extra support or clean up.

**Principal's Report:** Given by Mrs. Breeding.

- Parent Teacher Conferences begin next week. Emails have been sent out for parents to schedule meetings with their teachers. Virtual options are available. Coordinate with teachers.
- The school is holding a Couch Potato Fundraiser in October. A no pressure fundraiser and any donation will be accepted. More info will be sent home soon.
- 1 to 1 Chromebooks will be coming in the end of November or the first of December.
- The new furniture (desks and chairs) is here!! It was a much-needed moral boost for teachers and students. All the old furniture was given back to the District warehouse, where it will be sold in the Spring
- The Halloween Parade is still scheduled for October 29<sup>th</sup>! However, it will be outside rain or shine and will be done grade by grade. Parents will not be allowed to attend, but a live-stream feed will be sent to out. The kids are so excited to see each other in their costumes and having too many adults at the school could jeopardize student health and safety. Mrs. Breeding will provide more information as it gets closer.

**Calendar/Upcoming Events:**

Parent/Teacher Conference – Mon-Wed, October 12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>

Fall Break – Thur-Fri, October 15<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>

Halloween Parade – Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup>

No School Professional Learning Day – Friday October 30<sup>th</sup>

**Meeting Adjourned at 9:57 am**

**Next Meeting: *Wednesday November 4<sup>th</sup> 9 am at Hooper Elementary Gym***

Minutes Accepted: \_\_\_\_\_ (date) Secretary \_\_\_\_\_

Sign the minutes with title when they have been copied and put in the permanent binder

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name)

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(title)

# Hooper Elementary PTA

## Room Moms Training & Info 2020-2021

- Head Room Moms help organize classroom parties that take place throughout the year. How Room Moms help at the school and class parties will be different this year, so please coordinate with your Teacher on how they will be doing things this year and what they need help with.
- Please contact EVERYONE if you are able to plan any parties and have your Teacher send out an email to ALL parents with info on parties and any items or help needed.
- Keep in touch with your Teacher often. Teachers really appreciate extra help this year!
- Emails and texts work great. Have your Teacher forward your email on to parents for upcoming parties (if able to have). Please make sure ALL parents are notified of help needed or supplies requested.
- Don't forget to write down the hours you spend volunteering your time and even someone else babysitting your kids while you volunteer. Log your hours in the Volunteer binder by front office or ONLINE here: [bit.ly/HooperVolunteers](https://bit.ly/HooperVolunteers)
- The PTA has chosen to allot \$20 in Classroom Party Supplies for each Teacher for the year. This budget item was created to help offset the cost of classroom party supplies and items used in the classroom for this school year. (treats, plates, napkins, utensils, party supplies) Use what you have or ask other Room Moms for help and ideas. This is not intended to be used for the end of year Teacher/Class gift or gift cards. Please turn in your receipts **by April 1<sup>st</sup>**. Please attach your receipt to a check request form (can be found in the PTA box in the mail room by the front office).
- Mrs. Breeding asked PTA to provide each Teacher with a Halloween Party in a Box this year. Volunteers are not allowed in the school right now but we wanted to help Teachers and Students with some treats & games for Halloween. PTA will be giving you more info on this.

Thanks so much for volunteering to help our great Teachers!

They really appreciate the extra help!!

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