

# WTG Board Meeting Minutes

October 15th, 2019 – 7:00pm-9:00pm

Type of Meeting: Board Meeting Meeting Facilitator: Erin Kinch, WTG President Note taker: Stacy

**Attendees:** Sara Bennier, Amy Flinn, Lesley Clawson, Meg Armstrong, Alicia Wetherbee, Ana Ricard, Sarah Anderson, Allison Deusenberry, Connie Resch, Stacy Bowker, Jennifer Van Tuyl, Alyssa Nardozza, Jodi Downs, Emily Robinson

Absent: Sarah Lowell, Kati Ayres

Snack Volunteer: Meg and Jennifer

**Class Coordinator Note Taker: Jennifer** 

## Call to Order: 7:12

## <u>Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting</u> – *Motion to approve September Minutes by Connie and seconded by Ana. September Minutes were unanimously approved*

## **Introductions**

- Name
- Board Position
- Which class are you in
- Tell us about yourself
  - Other children?
  - Where are you from?
  - What are your hobbies?

## <u>Icebreaker</u>

## Board Housekeeping – Erin – 5 mins

- How has it been going?
  - Pumpkin Patch family event—*more expensive than previous years*
  - Membership Meeting and Positive Discipline
    - Some commented that it was a sales pitch for her online class
    - Not enough time to provide feedback at the end
    - Some of the demonstrative activities took way too long

- It would be nice to have more information practical to parenting toddlers rather than older children
- Podium?

## <u>Calendar</u>

- October 24<sup>th</sup>: Parent Book Club, "Joyful Parenting" by C. O'Roarty
- October 28<sup>th</sup>: First Aid with Turn Outs Inc.
- November 5<sup>th</sup>: LWTech speaker "Inclusion in the Early Years" with Rosetta Lee
- November 6<sup>th</sup>: Family Dinner Night for M/T classes at Mi Tierra
- November 11<sup>th</sup>: Veteran's Day—classes WILL be held
- November 12<sup>th</sup>: Family Dinner Night for W/Th classes at Mi Tierra

## WTG Mission – Updates

## <u>Treasurer's Report – Meg – 2 minutes</u>

- Budget vs Actuals—see the written report
- Statement of Financial Position—see written report
- Over \$16K of income and just over \$5K of expenses in last 30 days
- Meg proposes an amendment to the budget to account for the expected tuition income which was calculated incorrectly; Meg will send the proposed budget before the November meeting
- There is unapplied scholarship money from LWIT that needs to be reallocated because the student it was for is no longer enrolled in the program
- Clarify the accounting in Jovial for enrolling second adults who have the fees waived, so there is no confusion when enrolled families see their account

## Registration – Lesley – 5 mins

- 2019/20 Enrollment Update
- No changes since September meeting
- New family in Wobblers this week
- There have been several requests for morning classes (currently full) and one family who may be interested in the afternoon class with openings

## Classrooms/Community Update

- Events Alicia 5 mins
  - Art for Dinner Night Out—Fall Wreath with stickers
- Marketing Erin 5 min
  - Please review WTG on Facebook as Sarah asked
  - WTG Sweatshirts--Discussion about whether sweatshirts for the Board of Directors is an appropriate allocation or marketing funds due to perceived compensation, which is not allowed other than

#### end-of-year appreciation dinner; suggestion was made to subsidize the cost of sweatshirt and open sales to whole Toddler Group

- Please try to wear your shirt outside of class to help us advertise if willing
- Safety and Facilities Allison 5 mins
  - Lights being replaced by church
  - o Mural update
  - o Stinky bathroom
  - Cord in shed that falls in the way of the door
  - Need to install faucet in the blue room
  - Need new mirror for Green Room
- Webmaster Connie 5 mins
- Secretary Stacy
  - Photos and Bios for bulletin board
- Class Coordinators Reports -- CCs
  - How has the first month of class gone?

#### <u>Thoughts from the Teachers</u> – Amy and Sara\_ – 5 mins

- We have a bookcase that still needs to be assembled (parts were missing)
- New rocking boat will be brought in
- Please make sure small toys get returned to where they belong
- So far, the school year is off to a good start

#### <u>New Business</u> – All Board – 15 mins

- Confirmed upcoming Board Meeting dates:
  - November 19<sup>th</sup>
  - January 21<sup>st</sup>
  - o March 17<sup>th</sup>
  - o April 28<sup>th</sup>
  - o May 19th
- We have a new Purchaser: Kelli Plona
- When sending emails, please copy the instructors on every email, every time

#### Adjournment—9:12PM

#### Next Meeting: November 19th

CC Notetaker: Emily Snacks: Sweet—Sarah, Savory—Stacy