## March 19, 2025 | 6:30 PM | Floris Library



In Attendance: Katie Sullivan, Jessie Pierce, Rob Gibbs, Josh DeSmyter, Scott Saldana, Hilda Manuella, Vernella Lanham, Ms. Terino, Vannary Thach-Song, Cindy Tillman and Kseniya Strawburg (as well as 7 other attendees via Zoom)

- ★ **Welcome** (Katie Sullivan, *President*)
  - Call Meeting to Order at 6:35pm
- ★ **Principal's Message** (Josh DeSmyter, *Principal* // Rob Gibbs, *Assistant Principal*)
  - VALLSS update, data shows great growth in Language Arts
  - New Math benchmark curriculum is coming in a few years. For now using the iReady and SOL to track progress
  - All data tracking charts shared during this meeting will be shared via weekly email
  - Absenteeism update is that January was a 19.4% rate, dropped to 17.2% in February, and March is at 15.9%. Our Floris goal is to be below 10% before the end of the year
- ★ Teacher Representative (Gail Heidt)
- ★ Treasurer's Report (Scott Saldana, Treasurer)
  - Financial Update
  - Odyssey of the Mind was a huge success, because of the participation we need to increase the budget for Odyssey of the Mind by \$290 (to \$590 in total). Pulling the funds from the Movie Licensing category
    - Katie motion, Jessie second
      - Yay: 10
      - Nay: 0
  - Purchasing 75 Floris Elementary t-shirts for Kindergarten Orientation, if we sell 45
    t-shirts we break even, the rest are sold for profit. Will pull from Special Projects
    - Mr. Gibbs motion, Katie second
      - Yay: 10
      - Nay: 0
  - K-2nd field day is taking place and the PE teachers would like to rent inflatables for the field day activities. It will cost just under \$1,000. Will pull from Special Projects
    - Thoughts on creating an opportunity for the 3rd-6th graders? Revisit next time.
    - Hilda motion, Mr. Gibbs second
      - Yay: 10
      - Nay: 0
- **★** Board Member Updates
- ★ Closing (Katie Sullivan)
  - 2025-26 Treasurer Vote, Kseniya Strawburg as the Treasurer
    - Jessie motion, Mr. Gibbs second
      - Yay: 10
      - Nay: 0
  - Meeting Adjourned, 7:35pm