

Colina Community Meeting

Kyrene de la Colina PTO

August 27, 2019

Board members

Attending board members: Christian Becker, Jessica Workman, Sherece Carter, Jennifer Swenson, Kelly Brunner, Amy Mathis, Kim Hartwell, Sarah Naughton, Megan Herold

Absent board members: Marcella Alvarez, Kevin McDonald

Number of community members in attendance: 7

Discussion Points

- District is no longer requiring fingerprint cards for parents and legal guardians who volunteer at Colina. Volunteer forms are also required and can be found in the office for parents and legal guardians.
- Non parent and legal guardian volunteers REQUIRE a fingerprint clearance card if they volunteer more than once. The fingerprint cards are good for 6 years.
- Colina is 5th on the district list to install water bottle filling stations around the campus.
- Read-A-Thon kick off next Friday evening with a pajama reading night event in the MPR. September 5th through 20th is the duration of the read a thon. Tracking forms will come home with students within the next week.
- PTO event calendar will be sent home with all children. Texas Roadhouse is being added!
- Teacher "like" lists are being sent to each teacher. Once completed, they will be posted on the PTO website for parents and students. This will give everyone ideas for gifts and classroom needs.
- ASU fundraiser for specific sports games that have available tickets. A large portion of the ticket sales will be returned to the school. A flyer will be sent home that provides the directions and website for ordering and how to identify Colina as the school of choice.
- Volunteers needed for upcoming events: Art Masterpiece, Book Fair, Discover Room, Watch Dogs, Harvest Festival, and Multi-Cultural Event. Look for emails and sign-ups that will be sent out looking for volunteers.

Follow Up Action Items

- Create list of places that a fingerprint clearance card can be obtained.
- Inquire to see if the district can put the fingerprint clearance application, FAQ and guidance for all parents/volunteers

- Remind parents to sign up for Fry's and designate Colina as their 501c3 organization
- Make a note about Texas Roadhouse that if any families have peanut allergies they should not attend as the restaurant is full of peanuts/shells.
- Research BOGO passes as a fundraiser. Can be used at many local events, museums, zoos, local entertainment.