

**Rudder Meeting Minutes**  
**August 23, 2016**

**Members Present:** Kelly Crantford, Gina Brenner, Joie Linser, Melissa Volck, Krystan Krailler, Tara Brock, Sadie Bonifas, Stacie Flick, Krista Clark, Paula Houston-Allen, Theresa Martin, Chris Vockell, Sarah Fullen, Alex Linser, David Brenner

**Others Present:** 45 parents present

**General Parent Meeting Called to Order** at 7:05

**Welcome & Call to Order,** Kelly Crantford

**Sarah Lord, Principal's Report**

Thank you for the Maker's Space in library  
Welcome new staff  
Welcome Dr. Elizabeth Johnson, first day today  
Product of CPS, Pleasant ridge, Walnut hills

Working on car line, 20+ new families on A-K side, staff working hard. Please put family last name in window

**Introduction of Rudder Members,** Kelly Crantford

Let us know if interested in business manager in- training

**Melissa Volck, Business Manager –**

Went over budget, (attached)  
Extra \$5000 allows teachers/classroom to request items not otherwise specified i.e. Maker's Space  
Balances: Checking, \$10,662.93 Saving, \$62,715.36  
Budget based on previous years. We will spend 40K regardless and will be covered by reserves if for some reason our income doesn't cover expenditures  
Priorities are field trip buses, teacher support

Direct classroom support

Teacher appreciation

Community events

**Major Fundraising Events, Kelly Crantford**

Sandbox, consignment sale see Krystan for flyers, Joie for info  
Carnival, community wide event, please spread the word  
Read-a-thon, successful last year, winners in each grade got lunch and limo with principal, want more participation  
Adult Only Event TBD, looking for someone to head it up  
No cost fundraising,  
All events and dates are on the SMPO facebook page

Question about a roller skating fund raiser.

Dates bookmark coming home in folder

**Vote to approve budget**

Votes in favor of budget: 60

Opposed: n/a

Abstained: n/a

Meeting Adjourned at 7:30

