PTO- 10/2/2018

- Bylaws sent around and input asked for.

- Volunteer Handbook also sent around for anyone to keep. Please make sure that all background checks are up to date (last 5 years) and needed for anyone who goes on a field trip or eats lunch at the school. There is a link on the website and the background check will be quicker.

- Sign Up Sheets- take a look at what help is needed for all the different events this year.

- Hospitality - gift bags for teachers on their birthdays, cards to be personalized for all our summer birthdays !

- Fundraising - the budget will be put online, and easier to track by PTO. We have somewhere close to $19,000.

- Principal Russell- plans to be out on leave in about 3 weeks. Kerry Lohrman, a retired principal will take over and Mrs. Russell is confident it will be a smooth transition.

- Jog-a thon - t-shirts with local business sponsorships is coming up. If you know of a local business that would like to sponsor, please let Rachel Shepard know (deadline this Friday). Also, we need volunteers for the actual day to count laps and hand out water, etc. Jog-a thon is October 19th.

- Question about actual time of 1st grade pumpkin run…? 1:30 - 2:30 on the 24th.

- Voting on the Parks and Rec Program- YEEP (like an in school field trip, that has a corresponding art project) - PTO voted yes to increase by 200 to a total on $500. $200 can be moved from money that had been allocated for the clothing closet (district is moving away from clothing closets)

- Vote on by-laws, will be tabled until next month

- Discussion of local community and need for coats and shoes for kids, process and if donations are needed.

- Ice-cream cake shared.

- Drawing for gift card….! Rhonda