



Skiatook J.O.M Parent Committee

Meeting Minutes: Wednesday, September 9th 2020, 6:30 p.m.

Skiatook Osage Casino – Bluestem Banquet Room

Call to Order Will Kemble, Committee Chairman called meeting to order at 6:31 P.M.

Opening Prayer led by Will Kemble, Chair

Roll Call: Present were Will Kemble- Chair, Melyssa Hight- Vice-Chair, Brooklyn Kemble- Secretary, Mary Hammer- Committee Member and Deserae Blalock- Committee Member
Chairman announced the quorum.

Approval of previous meeting minutes

Motion made by Brooklyn Kemble to approve the meeting minutes for August 29, 2020. Second by Melyssa Hight.
The motion passed unanimously.

Chairman's Reports

- Review of Expense Analysis
- Status of current JOM Awards

Old Business Items

- Review of Skiatook JOM Parent Committee, Annual Planner for 2020-21 school year
- Committee will meet 2nd Wednesday of every month through August 2021.
- Dance demonstration during Native American Heritage Month – November 2020
- Send out Holiday cards to students – November 2020
- City of Skiatook Christmas Parade – December 2020
- Cultural Night- making moccasins and/or Storytelling – January 2021
- Princess Reception – February 2021
- Handgame or Dance – March 2021
- Cookout & Games (Volleyball, Kickball, etc.) – April 2021
- Sr. Reception Night – April 2021
- Stomp Dance demonstration – July 2021
- School supply distribution – August 2021
- Needs Assessment Survey- Osage Nation JOM Coordinator, Avis Ballard said the survey is currently still open. She will email completed surveys to committee secretary to organize and tally the results. Committee agreed to close out the survey at the end of September.
- Osage Nation JOM Coordinator, Avis Ballard stated to the committee she will send a blank copy of the 'Parent Committee Contract' to be completed by the committee and returned to her.

New Business Items

- Status of Indian Education Coordinator position at Skiatook Public Schools- Chairman will follow up with school district to inquire if position has been filled and request contact info.
- Inventory of Storage Unit- Committee would like to request inventory to know contents in the unit and to organize/clean. Committee would like to purchase equipment and signage to store there for float parade supplies, kickball, volleyball net, etc., and extra school supplies left over from distribution.

- Skiatook JOM Princess, Keidra Gay- due to Covid-19 restrictions, many events were cancelled thereby limiting Keidra's involvement and representation at cultural gatherings. The committee chairman expressed his wishes and asked Keidra and her mother (Deserae Blalock), whom were present, to continue as SK JOM Princess for the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year. Keidra and mother accepted.
- Reimbursement Requirements- in light of safety measures, parents will only be required to attend One (1) JOM meeting to submit a Request for Funds reimbursement.

Action Taken on Chairman's Reports:

- 1.) Motion made by Melyssa Hight for Parent Committee to formally inquire with Osage Nation JOM Coordinator regarding overspending FY19 budget. Second by Deserae Blalock. The motion was passed unanimously
- 2.) Motion made by Brooklyn Kemble for Parent Committee to formally inquire with Osage Nation JOM Coordinator regarding \$1500 unreconciled amount in FY17-18 budget. Second by Mary Hammer. The motion passed unanimously.

Action Taken on Old Business:

- 3.) Motion made by Will Kemble to approve the Annual Planner for 2020-2021. Second by Melyssa Hight. The motion passed unanimously.
- 4.) Motion by Brooklyn Kemble to close out Parent Survey on September 30, 2020. Second by Melyssa Hight. The motion passes unanimously.

Action Taken on New Business:

- 5.) Motion made by Deserae Blalock to request inventory of Storage Facility on September 19, 2020 at 10 A.M. Second by Melyssa Hight. The motion passed unanimously.
- 6.) Motion made by Brooklyn Kemble to change requirement from Two (2) meetings to One (1) meeting for Reimbursements. Second by Melyssa Hight. The motion passed unanimously.
- 7.) Motion made by Will Kemble to keep Keidra Gay as Skiatook JOM Princess for the 2020-2021 school year. Second by Mary Hammer. The motion passed unanimously.

Reimbursements

S***** V***** ----- No forms were on hand. Secretary to email form to parent.

K***** G** ----- No forms were on hand. Secretary to email form to parent.

Public Comment

Sunny Vaughn suggested Committee do cultural dance demonstration during halftime at football game since schools are not allowing assemblies. Committee will inquire with school district.

All future scheduled meetings to be held at Skiatook Osage Casino.

Next Meeting

October 14, 2020 at 6:30 P.M.

Location: Osage Casino – Bluestem Banquet Room

Adjourn

Motion by Will Kemble to adjourn at 7:44 P.M. Second by Mary Hammer. The motion passed with unanimous votes.