



**Manzanita Family Faculty Organization
General Meeting
March 2, 2018**

A Family Faculty Organization meeting was held on March 2, 2018 at Manzanita Elementary School. Michelle Ijams called the meeting to order at 8:17 am.

- **Welcome and call to order:**
Michelle Ijams welcomed everyone. January meeting minutes were approved. Michelle just attend the DFFO meeting, she said that there was a letter sent to parents at the High School and the Middle School regarding “Vaping”. Summer brochures will be sent out in the Friday folders this week.
- **Principal’s Report:**
Ms. Boling welcomed everyone and we had parent introductions. Ms. Boling introduced OGMS Principal Mark Rubin-Toles.
- **Special Guest Speaker:**
OGMS Principal *Mark Rubin-Toles* – Mr. Rubin Toles gave a short presentation to the FFO and parents about OGMS. OGMS have 6th, 7th and 8th graders in their school. They are the Panthers, Panther Pride. It is a KIND Campus, this school teaching kindness and empathy. The students receive an enormous amount of support to be successful. The offer ZAP, Zero’s Aren’t Permitted. The students also have access to tutors/teachers for 30 minutes on Wednesday’s. The students will be having P.E. every day. Counselors are on staff full time. OGMS is 42% Open Enrollment from 37 different zip codes. The first several weeks the students will be focusing on time management. Also during the school year they will be doing individual and group work. Here are some programs that OGMS will be offering next year: Band, Orchestra and Mandarin. A suggestion from Mr. Rubin – Toles – parents, please do not bring your supplies to the OGMS Open House.
- **Treasurer’s Report:**
Ravi Swett presented the Treasurer’s report. The treasurer’s report was approved.
- **Mustang Bucks:**
Asia reported that we will be having a Dine Out at Chipotle on March 28th from 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm at the Ina Road location. This notice will be sent out via Bloomz.
- **New Business:**
Book Fair - Family Night, it starts at 4:00 pm tonight. Reading Roundup is tonight also and starts at 4:30 pm. Food trucks will be in the front parking lot for families if they wish to purchase items to eat. We will also be having pizza from Papa John’s in the front courtyard.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:38 am. Next FFO Meeting will be held on April 13, 2018.

***Respectfully submitted by:
Ann Girvin, Secretary 2017-2018
Michelle Ijams, President 2017-2018***