APPROVED

Shining Rock Classical Academy

Minutes

NEST Meeting

SRCA Parent Teacher Organization

Date and Time
Wednesday September 9, 2026 at 11:00 AM

Location
Room 218

Committee Members Present
A. Aldossary, J. Sims

Committee Members Absent
None

Guests Present
Anita Hall, Jessica Tagliaferri, Joan Stiles, R. McFalls, Samantha Stiles

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

J. Sims called a meeting of the Culture Committee of Shining Rock Classical Academy to order on Wednesday Sep 9, 2026 at 11:10 AM.

C. Approve Minutes

J. Sims made a motion to approve the minutes from NEST Meeting on 08-12-26.
A. Aldossary seconded the motion.
The committee **VOTED** to approve the motion.

II. Fundraising

A. Current NEST Funds

$621

B. Donut Sale

- Still deciding who to source donuts from
- Will sell during student dropoff on October 14
    - Far left lane will be for donuts

C. Book Fair

- Next week 9/14 through 9/18
    - Open until 3:30 each day but closed on Wednesday (9/16) to accommodate blood drive
- Supplies arrive tomorrow (9/10), planning to set up on Friday afternoon
- Will set up in the corner of the gym, per usual
- Notice sent to families with volunteer signup
- Notice to classrooms for visit signup still pending send

D. Bingo Night

- Nov 20th from 5 to 9 PM
- Food trucks
    - Glazed & Infused for sweets
    - TBD for meals
- Materials
    - Still need to buy bingo books and some blotters
    - Have ~30 blotters left over from last time
    - Price donations - we need more!
    - J. Sims to arrange borrowing tables & chairs from FUMC again

III. Needs

A. Splitting of Presidential Responsibilities

Still seeking

B. Storage

NEST cannot afford to pay for a storage unit; we are seeking other solutions (the majority of the required storage is for uniforms) and we will likely sell/donate the NEST Falcon tree because SRCA already has one

IV. Celebrations

A. Movie Night

- Oct 23 @ 5:30 PM (we are starting earlier this time because the low attendance of the previous movie night may be improved my an earlier start time)
- Last time, it was about $160 for the pizzas ($7.99 each)
- J. Sims to send out a poll via ParentSquare for movie choice (Hocus Pocus vs Goosebumps)

V. Other Business

A. Virtual Meeting Links

J. Sims to habituate including the virtual meeting links in the ParentSquare notification posts for meetings

VI. Closing Items

A. Next Meeting

October 15 @ 11 AM in room 218

B. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 12:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
J. Sims

Documents used during the meeting

None