Thomas Paine PTA October 16, 2017 minutes

- I. Call to order at 6:32 by President Katie Madigan.
- II. Approval of May 2017 Minutes: motion to approve by Kristi Gresch; motion seconded by Julie Palermo. Motion was voted on and carried.
 - Approval of September 2017 Minutes: motion to approve by Sara McHenry; motion seconded by Kristi Gresch. Motion was voted on and carried.
 - III. Principal's Report: Mrs. Lloyd spoke about the school improvement plan.
- IV. Teachers' Report: Mrs. Johnson has positive remarks about the school year and the new pick up process and morning routines.
- V. Officers' Reports
 - A. President Katie Madigan: Guest speaker Dr. Don Owens gave information on the initiatives of the Urbana School District and invited people to participate in Mile at the Pines on November 12, 2017.
 - B. Vice President Kristi Gresch reported that Monical's Night will be November 7 and Culver's Night will be December 4.
 - C. Vice President Vanessa Udry reported that Movie Night will be November 17 in the Thomas Paine gym.
 - D. Treasurer Susan Coppess gave the end of the month budget report.
 - E. Secretary Heather Murphy reported that Membership cards were ready and that the Applebees Pancake Breakfast will be April 14, 2018.
 - VI. Committee Reports
 - A. Battle of the Books-Jaimee Gleisner sent a report that an informational meeting will be on October 24 the first meeting will be November 8.
 - B. Website-Anna Sheyko and Katie Madigan are working together to design spirit wear items.
 - C. Garden-Jaimee Gleisner & Jamie Minnaert sent reports that the Mum fundraiser was successful and that all classes have either already been to the garden or will be going soon.
 - D. Yankee Candle Fundraiser-Sara McHenry is waiting to hear about delivery and feels the sale was successful.
 - E. Box Tops/Coke Rewards-Dawn Goeddel shared that there is a Box Tops App that she encouraged us to look into.
 - F. Hospitality- Amanda McKinney reported that she has sent Sign Up Genius emails for a Taco Dinner and Breakfast for the teachers during conferences.
 - G. Yearbook-Kristi Gresch is always looking for pictures for the yearbook.
 - V. New Business: Mrs. Conner asked for \$150 for drumsticks for a drumming unit that will involve all PE classes. Sara McHenry motioned to approve the request to fund the project; Kristi Gresch seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and carried.
 - VI. Adjournment: A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Kristi Gresch; Julie Palermo seconded the motion and the motion was voted on and carried.

THESE MINUTES ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL AT THE NOVEMBER 13 MEETING