

PTO Meeting-Minutes November 8, 2007

Attending: AnnMarie Dunn, Chris Kinnally, Sharon Striglio, Linda Neville, Lisa Campbell, Debbie Chase, Laura Murphy, Jill Whitcomb, Linda Pompey, Michele Proude, Kerrie Ryan, Robin Reilly, Cindy Whelan, Amie Forcum, Madeline Rys, Susan Hanks, Marianne Harte, Kim Fuda and Nancy Sullivan.

Acceptance of minutes: October minutes approved

Treasurer's Report: Linda reported the approx balance incl. outstanding commitments.

Funding Request(s):

- JS-K. Ryan, k-4 tech, is requesting \$124.97 for 4 license renewals **Unanimous**
- MS-M. Smith, VP, is requesting \$100 to subscribe to Parent Institute (monthly brochure & license for up to 4 articles/month to use in the newsletter) **Unanimous**

New Business:

- Garden Club/PTO partnered for Holiday Entrance Decorating Contest 12/14-Social for making judging teams, rules & forms. 12/15 & 16-judging.
- P/T Conferences: HS-Tues., 11/27, 5:30-8:30, MS-Wed., 11/28, 6-8:30, JS-Thur., 11/29, 5:30-8:30. Have a table with MALI, bumper stickers, MS & HS mailing and ongoing info.
- School Representatives: keep 3 people/school with added responsibilities of the past (P/T Conf., Open House, Back to School Breakfast, Teacher Appreciation- -get volunteers, set/clean up & get to next school for next day/night) still have BOD voting rights
JS-?, MS-Sharon Striglio, Lisa Campbell, & ?, HS- Sharon Striglio, Susan Hanks, & ?.
- School Council updates:
 - JS-Intro touched on peanut issue, SIP, & minutes on web site
 - MS-compared MCAS data for last 2 yrs, PD-staff bring their specialty, drug dogs & ice safety
 - HS-budget dept. by dept. and only 2k more than last year, senior privileges, & no retirees
- Field Trips: long discussion on how many & the costs. Ask to be judicious & keep a closer eye with requests.

Open Issues:

- Sox Tops-just under 400 caps, \$418 to JS petty cash acct.(\$86 last yr.)
- Box Tops-9486 tops bundled, \$948.60 to tech dept which has 0 budget
- Genevieve's-\$10,081.95 (sales incl. internet), \$4,835.48 (profit), internet sales until May 11, 2008
- Holiday Showcase-Sat., Nov 24th, 9-4 (MALI, bumper stickers & raffle baskets, membership letter)
- MS/HS mailing- went in newsletters
- MALI/Light Plant- denied due to asking for funds will check with staples, wave etc.
- **Thank you received**-MS teachers (5-8) for faculty breakfast, Mrs. Dunphy letter in Times

Meeting adjourned