

Agenda

January 10, 2017

6:00 pm, LRC

1. Call to Order – Meeting was called to order at 6:02pm.

2. Minutes

- a. Review and Approval of minutes from December 6, 2016 meeting. Minutes from December were approved unanimously.

3. Officers' Reports

- a. President's Report – Natalia Domovessova discussed dining nights and we will try McAlister's deli as well as Chuck E Cheese. There will be a dining night flyer/email to let folks know the remainder of the year events. Movie night is 7/27 and will be the secret life of pets. Science night is coming. Report below. Box tops from August to December is \$600 which is down by \$300 from last year. This could be that fewer products are offering box tops. Ideas for promoting box tops would be welcome. There is a new app for box tops (information on the box top sheet). Watch Dogs – 2/4 is donuts with Dads. Louis White is starting a Watch Dogs program thanks to Mr. Kilburg.
- b. Principal's Report – Mrs. Prentiss thanked everyone that attended and helped with the holiday parties as well as the kind gifts and cards that came to the teachers and staff. Middle of the year MAP testing is going on this week. Make ups are next week. There is a concern about kids crossing the street in the back of the school (near Cleveland). Is it possible to have a parent volunteer to cross the street? Is there an option to get crossing lights at the back of the school? Still looking into the LRC remodel. Mrs. Prentiss and Mrs. Phillips went with Mrs. Johnsos on a field trip to look at various options. They are continuing to take it slow to do it the best way for JBN. Mrs. Prentiss is looking for parents that may work for companies that would like to sponsor/donate for the project. They are already going through the book inventory in the LRC in anticipation for the remodeling. There are 5 students in 5th grade working with the Google innovator program. They are looking into getting more efficient outdoor classroom space. A new shed in the courtyard will help with this project. We will be doing a fundraiser for the love of reading in February looking for new and gently used books for donation.
- c. Treasure's Report – Ending balance of \$32,192 for the month. Winter fest made \$537. Question of the paper directory and if we should offer it in the future. Consensus is to not offer it this year and do so next year.

4. Regular Business

- a. Construction of new PTO shed – John Cunnar attended the PTO meeting to discuss the potential to construct a shed in the courtyard for his Eagle Scout project. John and Mrs. Prentiss discussed the placement for the shed. After meeting with home depot, the store is willing to provide discounts for the materials for the shed (need the tax exempt form from the PTO). John is looking for funding assistance from the PTO. The price of the shed (materials and supplies) would be approximately \$1000. \$800 for the materials and \$200 for the supplies. He is looking at constructing a wood shed. We would also like to have a light in the shed. The recommended shed dimensions are 10'x10'. PTO suggested that it would be good to have shelving in the shed and to obtain alternative quote from Menards. John will present further details at the next PTO meeting on February 7.
- b. Movie Night - January 27 – Secret Life of Pets
- c. Game Night - February 10 – Looking at a sock hop theme.
- d. Science night – Dates have been set for all of the help sessions. A Bubble STEM show is being considered for the program and we have the sponsor from Physicians Immediate Care for the event. He is available that evening and charges a fee of \$400. Looking for ideas for hands on tables.
- e. Flower sale – Ellen Kohlmeir has contacted the vendor and are waiting on the flyer.
- f. High school interns – how can we get them to help? Students will present their ideas for teacher appreciation at the next PTO meeting on February 7. Kathleen Kilburg will send out Sign Up Genius links for future events.

5. Announcements

- a. Vacant Positions:
 - 1) Teacher's Appreciation Chair/Co-Chair – our high school interns may be willing to research some ideas to do for the week. Additional parent volunteer(s) will be requested/advertised on facebook.
 - 2) School Supply Chair/Co-Chair – we will post that we need parent(s) soon to start company selection and advertising.
- b. Upcoming events:
 - Game Night - February 10
 - January 18 - Nancy's Pizza dining 4-9pm
 - January 27 - Movie Night
 - February 4 - Watch DOGS donuts w/dads
 - February 10 - Game Night

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6. Questions/Comments/Ideas

7. Adjournment – Meeting was adjourned at 7:31pm.

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PTO Meeting Attendance

Meeting Date: 1/10/17

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