

Minutes for PTO Meeting

Tuesday, August 14, 2007

4:30 Teachers Lounge

In Attendance

Stephanie Greene, President

Cyndy Arey, Secretary

Kathy Quandt, Treasurer

Shelly Sir, Volunteer Coordinator

Ellen Feuling, Principal

Opening Prayer: PTO

OLD BUSINESS

Open Event Chair Positions - Stephanie Greene

- There are chair positions open for Generation Day and Co-Chairs for the Holiday Boutique and Spirit Wear.
- At the Holiday Boutique we will only be selling spirit wear instead of ornaments as well.
- Would like to find a newer family to help with the Spirit Wear this year so that they can take it over for the next few years. Julie will help train them this year.

▪Action Item for Everyone: If you know of anyone interested in chairing an event please let Stephanie know.

New Family Night - Ellen

- At the New Family Night the families will be paired up with an existing family.
- New families can signup for volunteer work prior to everyone else. This will help present and friendly and fair way to help introduce new families into the school.
- There are approximately 12 new families this year.
- Jill will also be there to talk about playground duty and allow them to sign up prior to the open house.

Back-to-school Open House – Ellen

- As each families visits each area (classroom, playground duty, volunteer signup, ect.) they will receive a piece of a puzzle. Once they have all of the pieces collected they can turn them in for an out of uniform pass. The pass can be used on Sept 10th.

Rack-a-thon - Stephanie (per Sonia and Jen)

- Kinds will be split into their teams at the kickoff in September.
- There will be team and classroom competitions (rewards yet to be determined)
- The student or team to get the most people to sponsor them will get a reward. This is to encourage the students to go out and get sponsors and not have parents just write a check.
- Everyone, in the area, who sponsors a child will receive a receipt this year for tax purposes and will have their name entered into a drawing to have a team rake their lawn for 2 hours the day of the rake-a-thon.
- They are looking for ideas for a fun whole school reward.

Budget Report – Julie/Kathy

Whats on hand?

- \$12,014. as of June

Whats going out?

- The Grand Rio's trip has not been paid for yet.
- This year every event will have a budget. Events can not spend over that amount unless approved by the PTO committee.

NEW BUSINESS

Kid Connection - Stephanie

- Stephanie was unable to get a hold of everyone to get a majority vote on the couches Jill wanted to purchase to replace the old ones in the Kid Connection room. They were on sale for \$169.00.
- The committee voted and decided to try and go ahead and purchase the couches.
- *Action Item for Cyndy: contact Jill to find out where she saw them. She will try to get them at the sale price.*

Cirriculum Night - Stephanie

- This year Stephanie will talk to everyone about PTO, no song to sing.

Meeting adjourned at 5:30

Submitted by: Cyndy Arey, PTO Secretary