

PTA MEETING MINUTES March 12, 2015

Board Members in Attendance:

Bekki Dudash- President
Karen Hudson Co-Vice President
Shannon O'Donnell- Treasurer
Christina Akers- Secretary
Karen Allen- Key Committee Coordinator

1. **Welcome- Introduction and Sign in**
2. **Discussion Topics**

Review

Recent Events

1. **Next Door Bakery/Social House.** For this fundraiser we raised \$373.05. Agreement was made to continue to work together and come up with additional fundraisers in the future.
2. **Mary Poppins/Movie Event.** There was 65 people in attendance. The event went well and the cupcakes from Next Door Bakery were wonderful. Treasurer asked the board to add in an additional \$4.95 to the \$100 approved as an addition to the budget for the event. Marsha Smith made a motion and it was 2nd by Christina Akers. All in favor.

Upcoming/Current Fundraising

1. **Kindergarten Registration.** Bekki has spoken with Mrs. Linkenhoker and she wishes for the PTA to give out the folders to incoming K students. They will have a variety of information in them. Ms. Cottrill will order books for the students, and update the Connection Enrollment form. Shannon will update the Spring Bazaar advertisement. Bekki can obtain folders from the supply room. Kindergarten Registration week is April 13th-17th.
2. **Field Day.** More than likely Field Day will be on May 22nd. Possibly do an all school cookout if we can on that day instead of having a volunteer luncheon. Ms. Cottrill will check with Mrs. Shumate and see if we can do that.
3. **Teacher Appreciation Week.** We will have Teacher Appreciation Week May 26th through May 29th. Lunch will be on May 28th.

Other Topics for Discussion

1. **Playground Equipment.** Ms. Cottrill has not heard back from the county to let her know if we have any available space to place the equipment on. We will wait to hear from them before proceeding. She will try to contact them again.

Budget

1. Budget Review.

- i. Available checking account balance is \$18,243.01 minus un-cashed checks for \$323.01.
- ii. The available balance of the budget for 2014-2015 is \$3,809.36.

2. Requested Funding. Bekki has requested the PTA add \$100 into next years budget to purchase supplies to create the birthday board each month. The board agreed to do this.

Volunteering Updates

Principals Report: Dollie Cottrill

1. Ms. Cottrill will be retiring at the end of the school year. A letter was sent home today.
2. The PTA is invited to the meeting on Monday, to give or ask for information regarding the incoming principal.
3. Commit to Graduate week is April 13th through April 17th. They are trying to get everyone in the community to wear a shirt from the location they graduated from, can be high school or college.
4. The Middle School School Resource officer will come talk with 5th graders on April 17th.
5. Dare Graduation will be on April 24th.
6. Fifth Grade Graduation should be on May 28th provided there are no changes to the last day of school.

Next PTA Meeting- Thursday, April 9, at 6:00pm

NOTE THIS MEETING HAS BEEN MOVED TO THE 9th INSTEAD OF THE 2ND DUE TO EARLY RELEASE ON THE 2nd.