

Garfield PTO Meeting

9/8/14

Called to order at 3:00 pm by Mr. Bowman.

Attendance:

Angela Connolley, Carman Hooper, Jessica McCoy, Burgundy Williams, Heather Kelty, Brooke Taylor, Tracey Bergeron, JoAnn Williams, Steve Dirks, Jenni Blood, Penny Bradley, Donna James, Lucy Minardi, Stephen Bowman, Nichole Decker, Mandy Reeves

Announcements were made that when making a huge amount of copies; please make them in the afternoons. The teachers use the copy machine in the morning hours.

Mandy announced the homeroom mom's as follows:

Kindergarten- Nichole Decker

1st Grade- Brooke Taylor

2nd Grade- Tracey Bergeron

3rd Grade- Jenny Blood

4th Grade- Burgundy Williams and Angela Connolley

5th Grade- Mandy Reeves

Adopt-A-Staff: Mr. Bowman explained what is needed. A survey of what the teachers/staff like was sent out.

We are hoping to have childcare at meeting provided by Toni Carter, Mr. Daryl, and Watch Dog Dads.

Cinch Sacks- The PTO has 75 bags. We can get our logo printed for \$1.75/bag. Our total cost is \$131.25 to have them printed. A motion was made by Tracey Bergeron to print the bags and sell them for \$5.00. The Mandy seconded. The motion passed with 1 opposed. The one opposed, Heather Kelty, felt that her daughter had plenty of bags. Mrs. James pointed out that if parents don't want the bags they don't have to purchase them.

Headphones- The lab needs more headphones. Jenny made a motion to purchase a 10 pack. The 10 pack is \$70.00 plus shipping. Jenny made the motion and Mrs. Bradley seconded, the motion passed unanimously. Carman will purchase headphones and PTO will reimburse her.

Watch Dog Dads- Carman reported that so far, only one dad has signed up. Mr. Bowman explained that Watch Dog Dads will be helping on Fridays with arrival, in the gym visiting, fun Friday, and dismissal.

B.B. &BBQ- Brooke gave a report that they plan to have a lunch of bbq sandwich, chips, and drinks for \$6. They are estimating 200 people and a cost of \$350. They received a donation of \$100 from Sam's. Tracey made a motion to approve giving them up to \$350. Mandy seconded, motion passed unanimously. Budget is attached.

Homecoming float-Mandy asked Jenny Blood to head up the homecoming float committee. Carman is to get Jenny the parent information of the people willing to help.

Fall Carnival- We are looking for new and exciting games. We tabled the discussion and plan to continue at the next meeting. Everyone was asked to be thinking of new games and admission rates.

Treasurer- Burgundy Williams presented budget (attached). Mandy Reeves made a motion to approve, Tracey Bergeron seconded it. The budget was approved.

Adjournment: Stephen Bowman 3:56 pm