

Sundale P.T.A. Minutes  
November 3, 2009

Call to Order-

Kathy VanderTuig called meeting to order at 6:05pm

Approval of Minutes-

Minutes for October meeting will be presented in December

Treasurer's Report-

Diane Fernandes reported on budget performance. She pointed out that more detail was added to budget to help with record keeping in the future. Christy made motion to approve the budget, Diane 2<sup>nd</sup>.

New Business-

A. Founder's Day- Kathy reported that Founder's day will be February 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3<sup>rd</sup> grade will perform. PTA will do refreshments. Committee of 5-7 people needed. Also need PTA to nominate candidates. Current names are Gail Santé, Tony Mathis, December meeting we will have a vote.

Ongoing Business-

A. Walk a Thon Projects- Kathy reported that currently we have spent around \$26,677.14 of walk thon money toward school projects

- \$850 on cement pad
- \$873.38 on ball pins
- \$13,728 on tree planters
- \$700 on root barrier
- \$10,500 on drinking fountain

There is still a little bit of clean up work and a decision to be made on height of planters, PTA decided to leave height as is. It was discussed on whether we wanted to spend another \$2100 to finish the walk way in front of 4<sup>th</sup> grade class rooms so that we could reduce mud.

Gina was able to get blue drinking fountains at a lower prices and more discussion will be had on how to beautify the space in back of planter.

B. Spirit Shack- It was reported that first day of sales \$2630 worth of merchandise was sold. Of 98 sweaters that were ordered only 15 remain. Sprit shack committee also wants to change printing companies due to the bad experience they have had so far. Will be sending out bid request again to help supply merchandise to store as soon as possible.

C. Game Night- Reported as a good event again. About \$30 people this time, more kids then adults. Next one will be after 1<sup>st</sup> of year look for updates.

D. PTO update- Ina Sills reported that there was not update on progress of PTO.

## November Events

- A. Thanksgiving food drive- Katie will be organizing. Scheduled for week of Thanksgiving. Baskets to put together Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> in morning from 8-12. Would also like to add sweater / coat drive to event to benefit kids.
- B. Parent volunteer Day/ Parent and Staff luncheon- Scheduled for 13<sup>th</sup> of November, Donna Robaro will speak on health and Nutrition. Coffee and refreshment will be served. Thanksgiving luncheon for staff and parents will be a potluck and PTA will take care of big food items.
- C. Walk a thon prize assembly will be Thursday @ 1:30. Winners of the obstacle course will be able to play on Friday out in quad.

## 7. Other business

Mrs. Gist- asked that we spread the word that bathrooms north of office are for staff only. Please do not let parents or kids use them.

Kathy also wants people to start thinking about open positions for next year. .

## 8. Adjournment- Meeting adjourned at 7:20

Next meeting to be held on November 1, 2009 at 6:00pm