

Greenwood PTO Minutes  
February 17, 2010

President: Laura Miskelly  
Vice President: Julie Raymond and Jennifer Cohrs  
Treasurer: Fiona Colgan  
Secretary: Teri Lucas  
Historians: Nichole Beem and Jeannie Elwarner  
  
Principal: Diane Koenig

**Teacher Representative:** Beth Baird

Members in attendance: Fiona Colgan, Jen Cohrs, Julie Raymond, Diane Koenig, Sylvia Bober, Nichole Beem, Beth Baird and Laura Miskelly, .

Meeting called to order by President Laura Miskelly at 6:32 pm.

**President Report** – Laura Miskelly

Science Olympiad Committee is asking for \$300 to purchase T-shirts and medals. This is a previously approved item. Laura will speak with Kelly Webb. Mrs. Koenig will help to purchase books. The luncheon will be held on Friday, February 19<sup>th</sup> to design the t-shirt. Spring Spirit Wear will use the same logo (Paw) as our fall sale. Laura will talk to Kim Gollehur for the flyer to go out in the next two weeks. Budget concerns: We are not bringing in as much as in the past years. We will have to start cutting back where we can. Board will meet to discuss next year's budget.

**Vice Presidents Report** – Julie Raymond and Jen Cohrs

Printer cartridge recycling requirements are changing. Office Max will not accept all cartridges. We took wishes off the tree and purchased items at Office Max. Jelly Bean Jar Contest for Library Books. Possibly selling tickets at lunch, flyer will go out February 27<sup>th</sup>.

**Treasurer** – Fiona Colgan

Julie Raymond motioned to approve Treasurers report and Jennifer Cohrs seconded. Motion was approved. There was a question regarding a returned check fee and Mrs. Koenig will help.

**Secretary Report**- Teri Lucas

Teri was absent tonight. Laura Miskelly took minutes. Nicole Beem made the motion to approve the January minutes and Laura Miskelly seconded. All approved.

**Teacher Report** – Beth Baird

Beth is our Teachers Rep. for tonight. March 1<sup>st</sup> is the Kick off Assembly for March is reading month. March 30<sup>th</sup> is the closing ceremonies. March 26<sup>th</sup> will be Button Day, Snuggle up and

read day. A calendar will be coming out with all the dates. Students will decorate own buttons during art class and will put buttons together during library. Relay for Life: Beth is the chairperson and we are still in need of a captain for the Greenwood Team. Possible ideas are Flower sale, Bingo night, Classroom basket raffle. Spring Picture are on February 24<sup>th</sup>, Julie Raymond and Jennifer Cohrs will help unless other parents would like to.

### **Principal's Report** – Diane Koenig

PBS pencils, stickers and key chains will be for sale at the “PAWS” store. Once a month PBS store till be open during lunch hours. We are looking for a parent volunteer to help. Sylvia Bober has volunteered to do this. S.I.P. School Improvement Plan-students, staff and parents surveys. Ms. Flaherty and Mrs. Koenig attended workshops @ MISD. Spelling Bee: Macomb County Bee took place on Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup>. Sarah Huyghe will represent Greenwood. Jump Rope for Heart assembly will take place on February 22<sup>nd</sup>. This is for the American Heart Association demonstrates jumping rope and all students will receive a new jump rope. Kindergarten orientation will be here at Greenwood on March 10<sup>th</sup> from 1-2:30. PTO Board will help. PBS update: Goal to reduce number of office referrals per month. We're hoping to reduce our numbers a half from February 5th to March 4<sup>th</sup>. Family Feud day was GREAT!

### **Committee Reports**

#### **Wishing Tree** – Sherri Henderson

Twenty two wishes granted. Plan to check with teachers for more wishes. Third grade playground requests, working with Nichole Bean (Campbell's). Thanks, Sherri.

#### **Mom to Mom-** Sherri Henderson

April 24<sup>th</sup> will be our sale. Three people have signed up; Parent flyer going home next week for sign ups. Thanks, Sherri.

#### **Family Movie Night** – Angela Krysinski

Thanks Angela the night went well.

#### March Movie Night – Laura Miskelly

Laura will talk to Angela about doing another movie night. We will work this in with March is reading month, Dr. Seuss' Birthday Day –Horton Hears a Who. Possibility of showing PG movies instead of G only. Disney is out unless you purchase a license.

### **Old Business**

#### **Sock Hop** – Julie Raymond and Jennie Elwarner

February 18 from 4-6pm. This event is free to students. Each student will receive Hot Dog, lemonade and chips. Planning for 100 people. Kim P. will be doing the decorations. Don Wheaton (DJ) donated his time. We purchased him a \$40 gift card. Also tootsie rolls!

**Morley Fundraiser** – Teri Lucas and Melissa Gault

Packets went out – due back February 22<sup>nd</sup>. We would like to stay away from catalog sales in the future. One idea: Bingo Night.

**Burger King Family Dinner Night** –

Fliers to go out on Friday, February 19<sup>th</sup>. Jennifer Cohrs has the collection box.

**Ice Cream Social** – chair needed.

This event will take place on May 21<sup>st</sup>. Details TBA.

**Field Day** – Julie Raymond and Jennifer Cohrs

June 7<sup>th</sup> is our field day. Our teachers will get parent volunteers for field day. Brown bag lunches for that day. Possibly ice cream. Julie will talk with Tammy Smith about lunch for hot lunch students. We will have stations and animal mascots for each classroom.

**Santa Breakfast** - Laura Miskelly

Laura will get a final count of breakfast with Santa.

Our meeting was adjourned by President Laura Miskelly at 8:30 pm.

Thanks to everyone who is, has or will volunteer at Greenwood to help make this a wonderful place for our kids to learn!

**\*\*Next PTO meeting will be on Wednesday, March 10, 2010 at 6:30pm\*\***

The attendance award goes to Mrs. Rustoni

Submitted by Teri Lucas, PTO Secretary

March 10, 2010.