

Greenwood PTO Minutes

March 10, 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: No Teacher Representative tonight

Members in attendance: Sherri Henderson, Julie Raymond, Jennifer Cohrs, Nichole Beem, Melissa Gault, Shalome Mahan, Denise Cholewa, Sylvia Bober, Diane Koenig, Laura Miskelly, Fiona Colgan and Teri Lucas.

Meeting called to order by President Laura Miskelly at 6:34 pm.

Introductions -

There were no intros this evening since everyone knows everyone.

Officers' Reports

President Report – Laura Miskelly

Breakfast with Santa made \$868.00. We spent \$500.00, more totals to follow. Discussion took place regarding which meal would be better, breakfast or dinner. Maybe change the name to Santa Event. Nominations for the 2010-11 PTO officers now through April meeting. Fun Services has sent us a letter giving us a discount of \$50 if we signed up now for our 2010 Santa Shop. We decided NOT to sign up with fun services. We will send out a survey for future fundraisers that would be acceptable to our entire school. Wendy's Family Dinner Night, April 21, 5-8pm. This is also the night for our Teachers Dinner Night. April 22 and 23 are half days. Our Mom to Mom Sale is on April 24th. Set up for the Mom to Mom will be April 23rd. There will be a bake sale on April 22 during conferences.

Vice Presidents Report – Julie Raymond and Jen Cohrs

Jelly Beans and containers will be set out on Monday, for our April Contest. Field Day will be on June 7th (rain day June 8th), more details will follow.

Treasurer – Fiona Colgan

Jennifer Cohrs made a motion to accept the treasurer's report and Julie Raymond seconded. The motion was approved by all.

Secretary Report- Teri Lucas

Jennifer Cohrs made a motion to accept the secretary's report and Fiona Colgan seconded. This motion was approved by all.

Teacher Report – Diane Koenig

Please see the Principal's report.

Principal's Report – Diane Koenig

March is reading month. PAWS lit the torch to kick off this event. We had the author Kelly DiPucchio visit with two assemblies. The kids got to interact with her and see what it's like to write a book. The calendar was sent home the beginning of March, with all of our activities for the month. We will have VIP readers also. Laura Miskelly and Diane Koenig attended a meeting at the MISD to help develop a Parent Involvement Plan for the district. Thanks you Julie Raymond and Jennie Elwarner for a GREAT Sock Hop. Jump rope for heart kick off was March 1st. Kindergarten round up had a good turn out at the high schools new café. March 10th was our school's kindergarten visits. Nichole Beem took photos of the kids. Tried to use the phone tree for the revised PTO meeting date but, due to technical problems, this didn't happen.

Committee Reports

Wishing Tree – Sherri Henderson

Fourteen wished have been granted since the February meeting. There will be wishes for our specials teachers.

Mom to Mom- Sherri Henderson

April 24th will be our sale. Four people have signed up. Things are moving slowly for table rentals. \$20 for 8' tables. Maybe come up with combo packages. We will email the high school, post signs at work, church and businesses.

Family Movie Night – Laura Miskelly

Diane Koenig read a letter from Mary Ann Smolinski advising us that the district purchased a DVD projector (for future movie nights). We'll need to reserve the projector via Mary Ann.

Sock Hop – Julie Raymond and Jennie Elwarner

Another great Sock Hop. Thanks Julie and Jennie.

Morley Fundraiser – Teri Lucas and Melissa Gault

Estimated total is \$6,732.00. This number is subject to receiving the bill from Morley's. See flyer. We receive 40% of all sales.

Field Day – Julie Raymond and Jennifer Cohrs

June 7th is our field day. Rain date is June 8th. More details to follow.

McDonalds Family Dinner Night – Jerry Broderson

March 24th 5-8 pm at the McDonalds at 9 Mile and Mack.

Old Business

Culvers – Jerry Broderson

Still waiting on exactly how much profit we made that night.

Burger King Family Dinner Night – Jerry Broderson

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New Business

Ice Cream Social –

Friday, May 21st is the date for our Ice Cream Social. We have a committee to head this event. Pat Herman, Sylvia Bober, Denise Cholewa, Shalome Mahan. More details to follow...Thanks Ladies!

Teacher Dinner – Melissa Gault

This dinner will be on April 21st at 4:00pm. Dinner will consist of salad, soup, bread, dessert and beverages. This event has a \$100 budget.

Santa Shop – Melissa Gault

Melissa Gault has volunteered to chair the Santa Shop for 2010. Thank you Melissa!

Open Agenda

The 5th grade graduation parent meeting will be on March 18th at 7pm. Paula Zerillo and Cindy Venditti, co-chairpersons.

Our meeting was adjourned by President Laura Miskelly at 7:58 pm.

“FRIENDS DO NOT MAKE A PTO, A PTO MAKES FRIENDS”

****Next PTO meeting will be on Wednesday, April 14, 2010 at 6:30pm****

The attendance award goes to Mrs. Brian

Submitted by Teri Lucas, PTO Secretary

April 14, 2010.

