

PSO Meeting
April 12, 2010
Mary Woodward Cafeteria, 9:00AM

Board Members Present: Natasha Ryan, Jill Weinstein, Lisa Stroud, Deborah Anderson

Natasha welcomed everyone to the meeting.
The minutes from March 2010 were read. The minutes were approved.

Treasurer Report

Per last meeting do not have Box Tops income calculated, they are not listed on the report.

The \$1500 for technology has been reclassified under capital improvement and listed as a credit. The funds have not been dispersed and there has been no decision regarding the use of these funds. Vicki needs a new projector for the library and computer lab.

The \$915 from Jog-a-Thon have been reclassified. The Tigard Joy Theater ticket income was corrected. Still missing Fanno Creek and Pasta Veloce income. McMenimens raised \$1500.

Under uncategorized income \$58.87 was a credit from a lawsuit regarding a Visa payment. These funds were reclassified into auction funds.

Enrichment assemblies are over budget on report but we paid for the visiting author last month. One more assembly will be occurring. Enrichment will be over budget and funds for this should be reevaluated for next year.

Return funds letters were sent out. All Bank statements are up to date.

Spring Fundraiser

RSVP responses are low, only 100 to date. Committee members will be reaching out via phone to those that attended last year and have not RSVP'd. There are 4 school auctions going on that night in the district. Need to consider speaking to the district about scheduling conflicts. Jill is still looking for help the evening of the auction to watch the auction items while races are occurring. The Staff basket for the auction will be ready next week. There are concerns that the flyers regarding the event are not being read. Board and chair persons are asked to reach out to their contacts.

Staff Appreciation

Will be the week of May 3-7. Information to follow later.

Yearbook

Orders have been placed. The yearbook price will be raised to \$18 each for end of year sales.

Carnival

Plans are moving along. Recruitment for class representatives has started. Many volunteers are willing to help, but need class representatives to manage the volunteers. Need 10 men to set up and tear down. A sand art booth will be at the carnival to raise funds for Mr. Rossio. The cost will be \$15.00, \$3.00 of which will go to help Mr. Rossio.

Specialty fundraiser

Pizza Schmitza is tomorrow. ColdStone is also tomorrow. Funds from ColdStone will be given to help Tina. Need to touch base with Ceramicafe regarding families that attended.

Box Tops

No update

Art Lit

Presented last artists-Andy Warhol

Enrichment:

Classes start this week. Assembly-Tears of Joy Theater

Staff:

No update

Principal

The father daughter dance was amazing. There were 118 escorts and 142 girls. Could have used more assistance at check in. The DJ did a great job. Dads were great sports. For future years need to visit how this event is positioned. Need to be aware of those girls who do not have a dad available and ensure they are invited with a trusted adult (mother, grandparent, friend, etc.)

Mother son event, it is mentioned that it needs to be more special, something that can't be done at home. The date will be changed, more info coming.

Academics: Oaks testing is coming for 3-5th graders. These children have the opportunity to take it a 3rd time if they feel they can do a better job. Once the Oaks testing is done, teachers have special projects (science, poetry, biography fair, etc).

The Art Lit gallery is moving out 1 week.

The 2nd graders are having aptitude, non verbal tests. The top students from this testing will possibly participate in TAG for 3rd graders.

Budget: just starting to hear about budget for next year. The budget for the district is not solved. The Foundation is starting its work to fill the gaps. Their first item will be a phon-a-thon.

At the Spring Fundraiser the paddle raise will be for education software (Study Island). The software is for use outside of school. The children will be sent home with a password for use at home. This software includes academics for K-8th grades. We are shooting for a 2-year subscription. This software is very popular and successful in other schools (like Alberta Rider) and includes reading, writing, technology, and math. There will be a demo of the software at the auction. Ms. Barndse will be training the children how to use the software. The principal receives a report and can do an incentive plan. Vicki is looking into ways to make the computers available after school for those who do not have a computer at home.

Meeting adjourned 9:45.