

Minutes from PTO Meeting on December 6, 2010

Meeting called by PTO

Type of meeting: Monthly meeting of 2010-2011 School Year

Attendees: Kay Burrough, Principal, Henning; Sandra Padak, Principal, Silver Creek; Silver Creek; Pat Hart, teacher, Silver Creek; Julie Reising, teacher, Amy Sarhage, Silver Creek; teacher, Silver Creek; Simonne de Villiers, PTO President; Kathy Myers, PTO Vice President; Denise Baker-Seal, PTO Secretary; Gina Rader, PTO Treasurer; Dana Massie; Christie Manso, Karen James;. Christina Hudson (Meineke).

Review and Approval of Last Month's Minutes. Motion to approve by Kathy Myers, seconded by Gina Rader. Motion passed and approved.

Principals' report. Silver Creek hosted a blood drive, is having its canned food drive. The Book fair at Silver Creek was a success. Henning hosted the Chamber Expo. Other events include choir and band presentations, preK literacy night is December 16th, American Education Week. The 5th graders are making blankets for Help for the Holidays. Henning is having a hat & mitten drive. Help for the holidays is in full swing helping 83 families this year.

Treasurer report.

Balance as of 11/2010					
Beginning Balance:					\$86,205.16
Expenditures:					
Playground Paint			\$ 131.52		
PTO Today			\$ 693.00		
Triad Dance Team			\$ 200.00		
Gum			\$ 106.13		
Blanket Materials			\$ 103.72		
Snacks-Nov PTO			\$ 9.12		
Petty Cash-2nd Time Sale			\$ 100.00		
Henning Activity Fund 50%			\$8,700.00		
Ebook Prizes			\$ 100.00		
Smash Bash Party-Materials			\$ 511.16		
Silver Creek Teachers					
\$75@40 Teachers			\$3,000.00		
					\$13,654.65
Deposits:					
McTeacher Night					\$ 795.31
Kohls Grants					\$ 1,000.00
Ebooks					\$ 230.00
Market Day					\$ 297.23
Total:					\$86,805.16

Market Day Report \$538.31 for November; \$1645.84 YTD. Next pick up date: December 7th.

2nd Time Around Sale - Made over \$900 at the sale. This is going to be matched by Reuters, giving us \$1800 for this event.

DQ Night Results. November \$74. December DQ Night's - 7th and 8th.

Gum and Hat Day. Approximately \$1600 deposited from sale.

Activity Fund Money. Silver Creek teachers given \$ on November 8th. \$3,000 to 40 teachers. One new teacher will be given \$75.

Guided Reading Program. Discussion re: the needs of the schools for more guided reading resources. Motion to donate \$10,000 to each school for Guided Reading program made by Kathy Meyers, seconded by Karen James. Motion passed and approved.

Discussion of additional needs of the schools. Principals were asked to give us a "wish list."

LLI and Math Intervention Program Also mentioned by the principals was LLI, a reading program, and a Math Intervention Program they would like to see done at the schools. Kay i going to get the cost amount needed for each of these programs by the next PTO meeting.

PlayGround Design and Equipment – Henning playground has been painted. Silver Creek will be completed when weather permits. Thanks to Susan Huchel for making this happen.

T.J.'s Fundraising. Delivery on December 17th from 4 to 7. Stay tuned for an update regarding profit and prizes.

Meineke. Christina Hudson discussed the opening of the new Meineke business in Troy, which is owned by Hudson and her husband. The Hudsons would like to work with the Troy PTO and the elementary schools for a fundraiser. Meineke will donate 5% of proceeds for 30 days to a specified PTO goal, from Jan 15 to Feb 15. The project identified is the Math Intervention Program. They will be sending postcards to the entire community in the beginning of January. Christina will send postcard to us for approval, then onto Leigh Lewis for her approval as well. Motion to approve participation by Denise Baker-Seal, seconded by Simonne de Villiers. Motion passed and approved.

Santa's Breakfast. Scheduled for December 18th. Reservations are flowing in. 35 for 8:00 am time slot; 87 for 9:00 a.m. It should be a fun morning with pancake flipping, photos with Santa.

Santa's Kottage. Items will be delivered to both schools this Thursday morning. Shannon Kohler will be there to meet them. Monday & Tuesday will be set up days. Sale is on December 15 and 16. Anyone that would like to help with set up or during the sale contact Shannon /jgslkohler@hotmail.com.

Family Movie Night. Discussion regarding holding a Family Movie Night. We will check on availability of High School for family movie night prior to making a decision to move forward.

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