

Minutes from PTO Meeting
on May 2, 2011

Meeting called by PTO

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

Attendees: Kay Burrough, Principal, Henning; Sandra Padak, Principal, Silver Creek; Simonne de Villiers, PTO President; Kathy Myers, PTO Vice President; Denise Baker-Seal, PTO Secretary; Christie Manso; Karen James; Jeannie Marlinghaus; Nina Miller, Susan Huchel.

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

Principals' report. Young Athletes event was a success. The book fair was paired with the Carnival this year at Henning. Teachers at both schools are taking field trips now. Girls on the Run race will be May 15th. Both schools are celebrating Teacher's Appreciation Week, Henning with a lunch from Dierbergs & Silver Creek, with a lunch from Zapatas. The teachers received their gift cards donated by the PTO. Diagnostic reading assessments are underway. Silver Creek had a bowling assembly & a reptile assembly.

Treasurer report. See attached report.

Market Day Report \$278.03 for April. Next & last pick up date: May 17, 2011.

DQ Night Results. January total \$100. Cook's class (Henning) and Randall's class (Silver Creek) won the dilly bar parties. May 9 (Henning) and May 10 (Silver Creek) are the next DQ nights.

TJ's Pizza fundraiser. Preliminary numbers indicate sales of \$13,800 and a profit of approximately \$5,500. Great job all! There will be one pick up date on May 13th from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m.

School Carnival. The carnival was a success. Donations and expenses are still be calculated. Final numbers will be calculated in the future. Great job all!

Spanish program. Discussion regarding how best to use the Spanish program. Possibilities include use this summer, after school or before school programs.

PTO Card. Cards will be sold in May for \$10.

Playground. One bay (2 swings) is \$1831, for each school (total of \$3662). Wood mulch estimate is \$2282. Majority of expense will be covered by the existing playground fund. Motion to approve moving forward with purchase of swings and mulch by Simonne de Villiers, seconded by Kathy Myers. Motion passed and approved.

Marquis. Discussion re: marquis purchases. Motion to approve expenditure up to \$25,000 for purchase of the marquis for Henning and Silver Creek by Denise Baker-Seal, seconded by Christie Manso. Motion passed and approved.

Outdoor classrooms. Discussion regarding purchase of the picnic tables for the outdoor classrooms. Motion to approve purchase of picnic tables up to the cost of \$6,700 by Christie Manso, seconded by Kathy Myers. Motion passed and approved.

Back to School Open House and Kindergarten Breakfast. Discussion regarding back to school open house and kindergarten breakfast to be held in August.

Weekly Reader. The schools earned 500 Weekly Reader subscriptions from the recent promotion.

Boxtops. A boxtop drive will occur this month. The class with the most boxtops turned in at each school will win a dilly bar party.

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