

Wesley PTA Meeting Minutes
Monday, February 8, 2010
PTA meeting details can be found at www.asd4.org

The meeting was called to order by PTA President Jennifer Lollino at 6:51 p.m.

Attendance: Sheila Dunscomb, Connie Sakleh, , Lory Peercy, Stephanie Ganakos, Kathleen Vogel, Sandra Walsh, Jennifer Lollino, Courtney Gregory, Sally Regan, Tina Towns, Barb Castellano, Mike Parker, Angela Bonilla, Joan Kusnierz

MINUTES: Minutes from the 1/11/10 meeting were read and approved.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: 100 Day Celebration was a success. February 8th through the 12th will be Bring Your Parent to School Week. We will have mystery readers for each class that week- most classes have parents signed up to read. Barnes and Nobel night is going to be postponed due to the impending snowstorm. The used book exchange will start Wednesday with the kids bringing their used books and getting tickets for each book they bring. Friday they can turn in the tickets and pick out books. Market Day orders are due Thursday- pick up is next Thursday. We will be doing a Krispie Kreme Donught Day Fundraiser. Order forms will go out March 3rd and will be due March 11th. Pick up will be March 18th. Please bring in Yearbook pictures by February 19th. Lifetouch will be coming out to take group pictures this Wednesday. March 19th will be spring pictures. Fun Fair was a big hit- a special thanks to Anna and Kim for doing such a great job!! Stephanie mentioned that next year we might not want to have the obstacle course. We could also consider having the games a bit more spread out thought the halls. Also, we will consider changing the prizes. Everyone was impressed with the helpers!

TREASURE'S REPORT: Kathleen gave our account totals as: Checking \$3576.96 Savings \$4975.65. We made a profit on Fun Fair. The check from the Holiday Workshop should be coming in very soon. Kathleen did a breakdown of what benefits the students get from paying members of the PTA. With money from the PTA students get assemblies, class parties, field trips, etc. The cost per student this year that the PTA spends is \$10.86. We have 126 members. Mike Parker asked if we could raise the membership cost. The point that you have to be a PTA member to attend such things as Fun Fair and Movie Night was addressed. We will be re-evaluating this for next year.

ACPTA: Sheila said that Bowling for Books is coming up. The school calendar for next year has been determined and ACPTA is working on scholarships.

COMMITTEES:

Cultural Arts: Connie reported that the Jane Addams assembly will be February 16th. Connie booked an assembly for April 28th. Barnes and Nobel will be next Tuesday, use the same vouchers that were previously handed out. Art work will be displayed – 2 students from each grade will have their art work up! March 23rd will be eat-out night at Culvers.

Box Tops: Tina reported that we have made \$880 in box tops! We have a possibility to reach \$900 this year! Currently there is a classroom vs. classroom contest going on with the winning classroom to receive a Valentine's Day Treat! Sheila reported that we have collected 3600 Campbell's Soup labels, the teachers will be able to pick out merchandise from the website.

5th Grade Farwell: There is a meeting February 18th for the planning committee. There are 4 fifth graders in Mrs. Gainger's class.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT: Mr. Langman was unable to attend the meeting.

TEACHER'S REP REPORT: Mrs. C was unable to attend the meeting.

Unfinished Business: Sally would like to have another Spirit Wear Sale in the spring. Jennifer L. will talk to Jennifer Cucinella regarding this. The board will need a new ACPTA rep for next year, Tina offered to fill the position. After much discussion regarding drop off, and the children's safety, Jennifer said she will bring our concerns to Mr. Langman.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Courtney Gregory

Enc: Treasurer's Report