

PTO Meeting Minutes for January 9, 2012

The January meeting began at 7:10 p.m. Attending were 3 officers and 3 parents.

Review of November 9, 2011 Minutes

Review of the current Treasurer's Report

The Amended GMRSD PTO Bylaws were unanimously approved

New PTO Officers needed for 2012-2013 school year! **President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer**

Teacher Grants

4 Teacher/Staff grants were requested and approved, by unanimous vote, at the meeting as follows:

1. Marcia Goralczyk - flat screen TV for WLSN TV studio to use as monitor - \$198
2. Cheryl Wilson - paper shredder & dust buster - \$140
3. Joanne Coppola (2nd Grade) - a variety of books - \$260
4. Laurie Washburn (2nd Grade) - a variety of books - \$260

Committee Chair Opportunities

Parent Advisory Council (PAC) – for Central. Table issue for now and will revisit in the 2012-2013 school year.

Completed Events since last meeting:

1. Spirit Wear
2. Scholastic Book Fairs
3. Holiday Shop
4. Assembly – Prismatic Magic Laser Light Spectacular

Upcoming/Ongoing Events:

1. Kid's Vote – April 2012 (at time of budget vote)
2. Book Fairs

Central's book fair is week of March 5th and Liberty's is week of March 12th.
BOGO at Central is week of May 21st and Liberty's date is TBD.

3. Slumber Party during March book fair @ Liberty is March 15th

It was discussed and decided that the PTO will also do an evening event, such as game night, at Central School during their March book fair. Hilary Jakub is looking into this and suggested involving the girl scouts.

4. Administrative Professionals Day: April 25, 2012
5. Teacher Appreciation Week: May 7th thru 11th
6. Field days @ Liberty & Central: date TBD June
7. 5th Grade Farewell: date TBD June
8. Assemblies

9. Grocery Certificates - Ongoing throughout the school year – available Shoprite, Weis & Kohl's cards. It was suggested that these certificates be advertised more. It was also acknowledged they are mentioned in the bi-weekly newsletter.

10. Market Day – Ongoing throughout the school year.

Open Discussion

Gloria Leggio is organizing a Dine Around Town fundraiser at Ruby Tuesday for February 7th-9th. 10% of all sales go to the PTO. She will prepare the flyers so they are ready to go out a few weeks in advance.

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 pm. The next public meeting is February 8, 2012.