

# MINUTES

## Stated Meeting of the R.C. Lindsey Parent Teacher Organization

February 6, 2015

### Call to Order

With 12 members in attendance, along with Principal Dahlhofer, the meeting was called to order by President **Amy Timm** at 8:46 a.m.

### Treasurer's Report

Treasurer **Sarah Mann** reported on the state of the budget. The budget is up to date. Most committees are under budget. It is requested that Committee Chairs spend what they need to for their committees soon.

### Administration Reports

*Mr. Dahlhofer*

**Mr. Dahlhofer** reported on PARCC testing dates. There are two stages: Performance Based Assessments in March and End of Year tests in May. All tests will be taken on-line. 5<sup>th</sup> Grade will be taking tests on Chrome books.

### Old Business

*Holiday Shop*

Holiday Shop went very well, making about \$250. It is not a fundraiser, the goal is to break even. There was a little more in expenses than in previous years because of the evening open house.

*Winter Party*

Winter Parties were well received. The ice cream was well liked. A suggestion was made for more structure. Perhaps rotating students in groups at specified times.

*Game Night*

It was a fun, easy night. It was noted only students from the school should put in tickets for the raffles. A suggestion was made that one ticket per family be given out, or make it a shorter night since students had to be present to win.

## **New Business**

### *Teacher Requests*

**Mrs. Rodin** requested money for paint. The students will be painting ceiling tiles in celebration of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

**Action: A motion was made, seconded and approved that \$200 be paid for paint to be used for ceiling tiles in celebration of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.**

### *By-Law Review*

The By-Law Review committee presented changes to the current by-laws. The changes are highlighted. The by-laws need to be presented at 3 meetings before being approved. Please read over the changes and bring thoughts and concerns to the next PTO meeting.

### *Fundraising*

A Trivia Night is planned for Friday, March 20, 2015 at Orchard Hills Party Center. This event is not for students. PTO will start selling popcorn for \$.50 a bag, at lunch on Thursdays through the end of March. The start date is February 19.

### *Committee Chairs*

Please email the board if you would like to continue chairing a committee, or if you would like to consider chairing a committee.

### *Jr. Great Books*

The start date is February 17<sup>th</sup>. 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade has the biggest sign up and will be split into 2 groups.

### *Nominating Committee*

Elisa Kretschman, Mindy Taiclet, and Joanne Obranovich have agreed to serve on the nominating committee. The election slate will be presented at the March meeting.

## **Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 9:53 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Heather Reeves, Secretary