R.C. Lindsey PTO

Date: Friday, 12/3/10
Place: Lindsey MPR

Meeting called by: PTO Meeting

Note Taker: Ann Allegretti, Secretary

Meeting Time: Call to order at 9:07 a.m.

Attendance: 15

Opening:

Motion to wave the reading of the November, 2010 meeting minutes by Sharon Luther, seconded by Becky Edwards.

Treasurers Report

- Income is \$34,600.21 with expenses to date of \$30,297.23.
- Two major fundraisers all done. Waiting for final expenses to come in. Need bill from board office for Mr. Garling's time for Family Fun Day. Holiday shop expenses need to be finalized.

Money is still tight. Need to stick to budgets. Overall doing ok.

Dr. Diringer

• Not Present

Mr. Bernacki

- Last week 3rd graders received their OAA testing results. We are above the state average. More children are at the accelerated level.
- Crisis lock down drill will be next Wednesday. This is a practice drill.
- Geography Bee for 4th and 5th graders is December 10th. Mrs. Morgano organizes this event.
- 5th Grade Band concert is 12/15 at the Middle School.
- Holiday concert for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Graders is December 16th at 9:30 for the school students and 1:30 for Parents.
- Crystal Apple Award forms are available in the office if you would like to nominate a teacher or staff member.
- Rotary Club recognized two Lindsey Teachers Mrs. Howell was recognized in October and Mrs. Scanlon was awarded in November.
- Thank you to Mrs. Kulp for a great book fair.
- Upcoming events for January:
- Benchmark AIMS web in January
- Assembly for grades 1-3 on January 21 Animals and their Environment
- 4th & 5th grade payback assembly January 28th
- Spelling Bee January 12th District wide January 26th

Chairperson Reports

- Beautification Note from Elizabeth Haffey Garden needs to be worked on in the Spring. Plants need to be split and maybe add a flower bed. H&M Landscaping donated their time. Thank you to Linda Hickey for cleaning around our Lindsey sign...we know where we are going now!!
- Book Fair Theresa Kulp Did well this year. Coin Wars was lots of fun. Mrs. Wyatt's class won 1st place and Mrs. Houser's class won 2nd place. \$1,029 bought books. Scholastic matches this amount and gives to needy organizations. Sold \$10,155. We will take profit in books. Suggestion was given to Theresa to write an article for the Chesterland News detailing the wonderful job.
- Family Nights Kelly Walker (report given by Lynn) Doing "Minute to Win It" theme. Need help with this event. Event is scheduled for Friday, January 21st. Snacks and games. Call Kelly at 729-0340 if you can help.
- Holiday Shop Sarah Mann Scheduled for December 6th 10th. Need wrapping paper donations. Need help wrapping. All items are under \$3.00 with a range of \$.25 \$3.00. Lots of stuff for everyone. Call Laurie Roth if you can help. Thursday is open shop. Everything is wrapped for the kids to take home.
- Market Day Becky Edwards We will do the Pennies for Pies promotion in the Spring for Easter. December orders are due by Wednesday. Need help pulling orders on Monday for pick up. Order online for free items and discounts.
- PTO Directory If you didn't get one, let Lynn know. Selling additional copies for \$10.

Thank you notes from Teachers for the conference dinners and for book fair. Lynn also thanked everyone for their help.

Old Business

- Classroom Parties Winter parties will be a movie in the gym. Grades 3, 4 & 5 @ 9:30 will watch "Diary of A Wimpy Kid". Grades K, 1 & 2 @1:00 will watch "Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs". Popcorn, candy and drink will be provided by PTO. Raffle for kids...winner from each grade. Kids can wear pajamas, bring blankets etc. Mrs. Harbert making big screen for the movie.
- Bylaws Attached to Minutes. We will present these in February and will motion to approve in March.

New Business

- 5th Grade DVD pictures due to Kelly Walker by December 17th.
- Book Drive Program where you donate gently used books for the needy. Nurenberg Paris Law Firm organizes this. We will not do this now. We will do this in Spring for the needy.

Announcements

- Five Below Fundraiser shop December 5^{th} 12th PTO gets 10% of your purchases. Please bring sheet with you.
- Market Day Pick up Monday, December 13th 3:00 4:15 pm
- Next PTO Meeting February 4th at 9:00 a.m. (NOTE NO JANUARY MEETING)

Meeting was adjourned at 10:13 a.m. Motion by Sharon Luther Respectfully submitted by Ann Allegretti