

Date: Friday November 1, 2013

Place: Lindsey MPR **R.C. Lindsey PTO**

Meeting called by: PTO Meeting

Note Taker: Amy Timm

Meeting Time: Called to order at 8:45am

Attendance: 14

Opening:

Motion to waive the reading of the October 2013 meeting minutes by Lynn Zagorski. Second by Becky Edwards.

Treasurer's Report:

The classroom party money is down a bit. We are also down on membership. Family Fun Day is not meant to be a fundraiser and we ended up making about \$700.

Mr. Palmer: Not Present

Mr. Bernacki:

Thank you for coming today.

All of the iPads are now up and running. Teachers and students are excited. As of right now each student in grades 3, 4 and 5 have an iPad. Grade 2 has one cart to share and Kindergarten and First grade have a cart to share.

Conferences are next week. Report cards will be distributed at your conferences. There is no school on Friday, November 8.

An assembly for grades K-4 is being rescheduled due to school being closed for a snow day.

November 11, First Energy is coming to do a free program for our students.

The Play is on November 22 and 23. We hope to see you there. The students have been working hard to make this a great show.

May 21st is Weather Days down at the Indian's Stadium. Although weather is no longer in the curriculum, we are still going. We will use it as an incentive for the 4th graders.

Tumblebooks, the online reading center, is getting great feedback. If you haven't had a chance to check it out, please do so.

We now have a Professional Learning Community. It is teacher planning so that the same material is being taught across each grade level. Once a week, the specials teachers go into the classroom and then take the students to their special. The classroom teachers meet at this time.

The feedback on the emails coming home has been positive. Please keep us posted on things you would like to see come home via email.

Committee Chairs

Box Tops: The first contest is over and we have collected over 10,000 box tops.

Book Fair – We are doing coin wars. Please send in your change. Money goes to literacy programs but we receive credit for money brought in. This is used to purchase books for the school. The book fair will be open during conferences.

Holiday Shop- Teachers are signed up and info will be coming home soon. The Wednesday-Friday before the shop opens we will be setting up.

Market Day- Market Day is going well. We are down on sales. Next pick up is the 18th.

Family Fun Day- Seemed to be a big hit. We had a great turn out and kids seemed to have fun. A big thanks to Andrea Milnar for contacting the Key Club at the High School. We ended up having more high school volunteers than we needed. They were a great help.

Ladies Night: still working out the kinks. We have a hair dresser that would like to cut hair and donate all profits to Lindsey PTO. We can't have it at the school if we have hair cutting because of health issues.

New Business:

Pick up Line Posts- We have had a donation of posts and concrete to put permanent posts in for the pickup line. We have someone that will put them in. We just need to schedule the time.

Announcements:

- A) Book Fair 10/31 – 11/6
- B) Parent-Teacher Conferences 11/6-11/8
- C) No School – November 8
- D) Market Day Pick-up: November 18th
- E) Skating Party: November 26, 6-8:30
- F) Thanksgiving Holiday: November 27-29
- G) Next PTO Meeting: December 6, 8:45am

Meeting was adjourned at 9:28am. Motion to adjourn meeting by Susan Teeter, 2nd by Elisa Kretschman.