

Roosevelt Elementary School

PTA Minutes from the May 16, 2017 Meeting

At 6:05 the Meeting was called to order by President, Neal Lehrer. Members that attended were: Kendra Hoffman, MacKenzie Easton, Marna Langlois, Debbie and Neal Lehrer.

Principal's Report: The carnival was great. There was a good turn-out with great staff help and many parent volunteers. The PTA Scholarship Dinner was lots of fun. Our school was represented well with staff and PTA board. The Roosevelt Scholarship was given to Luke Bissen a former Roosevelt Student. His Mom, Carrie, has been a very involved parent at Roosevelt and a past PTA President.

McTeacher Night was a big success with about \$600 earned!

The "ABC" Countdown is underway in multiple grade levels. Each letter day has a different theme. i.e. "H" Hat day

Fifth Grade Camp is June 1-2. There are 31 students attending this year.

The fifth grade promotion is on June 8th from 1:30-2:30 in the gym.

The Talent Show is this Friday, May 19th from 8:30-10:30. It should be a blast for all that attend. Friday is an Early Release Day.

MAP testing is DONE this week. The scores are used to help set school improvement goals in the Fall.

Staffing changes for the 2017-18 year: Mrs. Leftwich is moving to Florida. Her job is posted for a teacher replacement. Ms. Bashaw is also moving down to first grade. There will be 3 first grade classes next Fall. Second and Third Grades will be watched closely for enrollments.

Treasurer's Report: The Teacher Appreciation Dinner cost \$234.11. Thanks to the gift cards from Piggly Wiggly, the PTA saved paying the \$80.00 for the chicken. The gift cards also helped purchase items for carnival.

The Mother-Son Dinner was -\$28.79, however, everyone had a wonderful time and that is the purpose of the event.

The PTA Banquet was \$210. People in attendance were Mr. Leach, Kendra Hoffman, Mr.&Mrs. Strom, Melissa Wynstra and guest, Marna Langlois, Neal and Debbie Lehrer.

Our Popcorn Fundraiser made a profit of \$1338. Only 5% of the student population sold items. Imagine what our profit would have been if more had sold items!

The Jan.-April dividend from Smile.Amazon was \$17.50. We need to encourage more people to order through smile.amazon instead of going directly to amazon.

We sold 2 Pocket Peelers at \$5 each during the carnival. We have finally broken even with our cost.

Old Business:

Carnival: It is too early to state our profit, but it looks like it is at least \$1200 or more. This is not counting the money from the Student Art Auction or the Silent Auction/Raffle. Since we made at least \$1000, Modern Woodman will match us with an additional \$500

Officers for the 2017-18 School Year: Only 15 ballots were returned. Ballots were given to all PTA Members and Staff. There were written in candidates for Vice President: 8 people recommended Marna Langlois, 2 people recommended Candee Pufahl, and 1 recommended Jennifer Garibay. The office of President: Neal Lehrer, Secretary: Melissa Wynstra, and Treasurer: Debbie Lehrer have all been elected.

Chuck E. Cheese: We have not heard from Chuck E. Cheese as to our profit. When the Lehrers left at 7:30, we had almost 50 stickers that had been collected. The employee that was collecting the stickers stated this was a good turn out!

New Business:

End of the Year Books: 310 books have been ordered to be given out at the end of the school year. Each child will choose a book to keep from the PTA. MacKenzie volunteered to make labels to go inside the front cover.

AWARDS NIGHT: is June 5th. The PTA will serve cookies and juice/water to all guests and award winners. The PTA ROAR award will be given this year to Jacob Nettleton and Autumn Kyle. Each child will receive a certificate and a gift card from Barnes and Nobles.

Fifth Grade Promotion: is on June 8th. The PTA will serve cookies and water/juice at this program.

Corn Roast Date for Next School Year: It will be held on Friday, September 8th.

Field Day: is the last day of school, June 9th. The specialists are making plans for the games and time schedules. PTA will help with the games and also provide a hotdog lunch for the school. Volunteers will be needed for Field Day!

Flowers: The flower pots have been put out by the flag pole. Flowers will need to be purchased. Marna is going to check with her husband about good flowers to plant in all the sun and long time flowering.

Black Belt Karate: The Black Belt Karate have been very supportive of our school. They are willing to come in the Fall for 5 weeks and provide lessons one night a week after school. The cost would be \$25 per child, paid by the parents. We will need to check with Mr. Leach and Mr. Leavy.

Submitted by,

Debbie Lehrer

Treasurer/ Acting Secretary

NEXT MEETING WILL BE IN AUGUST