

PTT Minutes
September 2, 2008
By Brandy Edmonds

Commencement:

PTT meeting was called to order by Alina Hughes, President.
The June minutes were unavailable but will be presented at the October meeting. Treasurer's report was handed out and accepted as presented.

Committee Reports:

Fundraiser – The Spring Fundraiser was explained the new parents and everyone was asked to start collecting donations for the auctions. The fundraiser is normally the second Saturday in March (March 14, 2009). Money raised from last year's spring fundraiser was allocated in part to the Athletics and Beautification committee.

Hospitality – Provided the staff a meal (pepperoni & cheese pizza, salad, desserts and drinks) during PTT Open House on Thursday, August 14, 2008. The committee also purchased 70 dozen cookies (chocolate chip, sugar, & oatmeal) and lemonade from Wal-Mart to serve to the students and adults in attendance at Open House. 40 dozen cookies were served by the cheerleaders. The remaining cookies have been frozen for future use. The staff completed an informational survey during the staff workdays in August. This information is used in planning staff lunches, birthday treats and other special events for the staff throughout the year. Thanks to the cheerleaders and staff.

Previous members were contacted via email to sign up again. There were a lot of new volunteers that signed up at Open House for the Hospitality Committee..

Dates for staff lunches are as follows. Volunteers to help with serving these meals are needed:

- Monday, September 29, 2008
- Monday, November 10, 2008
- Friday, January 16, 2009
- Friday, March 6, 2009
- Monday, April 27, 2009
- Monday, June 8, 2008
- Christmas Social will be Tuesday, December 9, 2008
- Staff Appreciation Week is May 4, 2009 – May 8, 2009

Report given by Kim Parker

Beautification – Old plants from front of school and other locations on campus were donated to a local church. All volunteers are welcome to help with the planting of the new plants at the front of the building.

Report provided by Jeff Page

FCA – Middle & High School Report – Mr. L. and Mr. Davis are taking shifts at lunch time due to lunch schedules. We are sponsoring a can food drive for Loaves & Fishes, so please show your support to this great community service. Cash and gift cards are also welcomed. We will present cans to a representative from Loaves & Fishes at character awards.

Report provided by Mr. L.

4-H – 1st meeting is 9/3/08 from 3pm – 4:30 pm. Meetings are held the 1st Wednesday every month unless otherwise notified. Kids were supposed to work on projects over summer break. We had one trip last year to a dairy farm. We will be planning activities for year at the first meeting. We participated in Samaritan's purse and Envirothon last year. There will be boxes placed around the school for collection of plastic tops (drink tops, peanut butter tops or any plastic tops will be collected and turned over to a local church.) Anyone wishing to help out with projects would be appreciated.

Report provided by Anna Amoriello

Scrips – Profit earned of \$276 for this year. 1st week there were 15 orders. Please participate; order forms are located in the newsletter and posted on the school website. Wal-Mart gift cards are available in \$25 and \$100 increments. We raised close to \$8,000.00 last year with a goal of \$10,000.00. There is \$4,000.00 from last year's profit left to spend. PTT will decide where this money will be spent.

Report provided by Anna Amoriello

Cafeteria – Volunteers are needed for cleaning of the cafeteria, please see Ms. Nina Miller.

History – No report given.

Old Business:

Election of officers Alina Hughes – President, Betty Martin – Vice President, Martha Whitman – Treasurer, and Brandy Edmonds - Secretary.

Swing set at Tonya's house that the PTT purchased from Angel Garden needs to be removed. Athletics has a need for this at McCray field. Motion was made, seconded and approved to move to McCray field.

New Business:

Motion was made that scrip bucks will not be issued this year and all profit will go to school. Motion was seconded and approved.

There is a need for extra funds for the plants in the front of the school. Beautification has a budget of \$1,000.00. The cost of plants plus delivery is \$1,774.00; will also need to purchase 100 bails of pine needles with a cost of \$435.00.

Motion made for \$2,000.00 to be placed in the Beautification fund. Motion seconded and approved.

Motion made to increase budget to \$1,000.00 for Hospitality. Motion seconded and approved.

Motion made for each teacher to be allowed to order \$100 in gift cards from Scrip (\$50 for assistants) to be used for classroom materials. Scrip will be in charge of taking their orders. Motion was seconded and approved.

No further business meeting so was adjourned.

Next PTT meeting is Oct. 6th, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. following the SAC meeting.