

April 19, 2011 PTO Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 4:05pm. Board members present were President Lisa Hansing, Co-Vice-President Ruth DeBellis, Co-Vice-President Mitch Calkins, Treasurer Dave Blask, and Secretary Patti Mirsberger. Also attending were Aimee Schlueter, CJ Davis, and Cheryl Prening.

Treasurer Dave Blask provided updated PTO Income and Expense reports for all in attendance and gave a brief summary of current expenditures:

- ∞ Restaurant income is doing well due to the 10% nights at various restaurants (Cousin's, Red Robin, Culvers).
- ∞ The Spring Carnival generated \$5138
- ∞ Market Day income is higher than projected due to proceeds from the cookie sale
- ∞ Scrip and Box Tops income are on target

Regarding expenses, Dave Blask will find out whether we need to purchase two or three more SmartBoards for next year.

We have Country Dale Cougar car stickers that need to be sold. Possibly set them up for sale next to the yearbooks at the Ice Cream Social. Price to be determined.

Upcoming Events:

- ∞ Cousins Subs 10% donation days continue every Monday in April
- ∞ Staff Appreciation week is May 2nd through May 6th
- ∞ Volunteer Luncheon is May 4th
- ∞ Family Walk Night, a national event, is May 4th
- ∞ Culvers 10% donation day is May 11th
- ∞ Country Lanes bowling 15% donation day will be May 15th
- ∞ The Scholastic Book Fair will be held May 23rd through May 27th

Wacky Field Day is coming up and Dave Blask would like to purchase two five-gallon water jugs. Dave researched costs and quality of different jugs. We voted to have him purchase the higher quality, more expensive jugs that will last for many years to come. They are about \$35 each.

Discussion continued about a retirement gift for Larry Madsen. The PTO will most likely make a \$500 contribution in Larry's name. Lisa Hansing will try to find out which charity is Larry's favorite. Cheryl Prening will lead the students in an art project to present as a gift to Mr. Madsen.

Dave has received some interest in the PTO Secretary position for the 2011-2012 school year. As of now, we have no one for PTO President next year.

The Franklin School District needs dates by Thursday, April 21st for compiling the 2011-2012 school year calendar and reserving facilities. We discussed keeping most events around the same dates as this year with the main change being Science Night to be held April 27th, 2012.

The meeting adjourned at 5:05pm.

