

WARNSDORFER PTA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING – 11/11/15

AGENDA – MINUTES

1. Welcome & Approval of Minutes from 10/7/15 General Membership Meeting
- Minutes approved

2. President's Report
 - Recap of Walkathon, Pumpkinpalooza & Boogie Bash. Thanks to all who volunteered! – Brooke gave full recap of successful events
 - General Announcements:
 - Original Works packets are due this Fri, 11/13
 - Scholastic Book Fair next week, sale will also be online until 11/23
 - EBEF at Barnes & Noble: Sat, 12/5 – Warnsdorfer time slot TBD

3. Treasurer's Report – Amy did recap of all events, some expenses still coming in so total profit for all may not be exact:
(Walkathon \$4,066.00, Spirit Wear \$3,277.00, Pumpkinpalooza \$82.41, Boogie Bash \$1,903.11, Kidstuff Books \$2,400.00 and Ice Cream social \$1,009.50).

4. Classroom Liaison Report
 - Halloween Party recap – Erica said all went well, parents asked for water for next party
 - Holiday Party 12/23 – Time confirmed 9:30-10:30am

5. PTA Membership Report – Marla still working on directory, had to input into a different system which caused delay in finalizing
 - Directory to be distributed soon; cards will be emailed
 - Total Membership: approx. 330 members! ☺
 - 100% teacher participation

6. Fundraising & Events Report – Lisa went over upcoming events in detail
 - Spirit Wear Sales to date:
 - Vendor Day: Sat, 11/21 from 10am-3pm – volunteers needed, esp with bake sale – We need more volunteers and vendors

- Clothing drive & Box Tops were successful. Just received another check from Schoola for \$475
- Winter Family event: Game Night, 1/29 – Explained arrangement with outside vendor
- Red, White & Brew on 4/1. Volunteers/committee members needed. Basket raffle donations already include Disney Park Hopper passes & Sahara Sam's – Location TBD

7. Cultural Arts Report – Rose advised next assembly 12/9. Flyers going out next week

- "The New Kid" was a great performance!
- Author's visit on 12/9. Underwater photographer. Books will be available for sale/signing ahead of time.

8. Principal's Report – Mr. Csatari was at a district meeting and gave Brooke his notes to convey to the group. Below is a recap, original notes filed.

- EBEF granted Warndorfer with two grants (\$8,100 to our first grade teachers for iPads for *Everyday Math* (20 iPads Air were purchased) and \$6,672.55 to our third grade teachers for *You've Got to Move It, Move It* (15 Hokie Stools and 5 Pedal Desks were purchased). Report Cards available on Parent Access November 25th, Principal for a day on November 25th and American Education Week classroom visits November 18th.

9. Teacher Liaison Reports – Mrs. Sarapochillo and Mrs. Taylor both suggested combining Boogie Bash and Pumpkinpalooza next year. They both thought the poster contest at Boogie Bash was a great idea. Suggested finding a way to get more participation at other events: possibly having students sign in. Mentioned upcoming used book sale for SAVE club.

10. New Business / Open Discussion

- Speakers for future meetings?
- Mindfulness meeting – Hosting a lecture on Mindfulness on 12/2 @ 7:00pm at Board of Education Office
- Future topic, find ways to get more attendees / please share your ideas. One suggestion, doing raffle for attendees
- Suggest advertising children buying holiday gifts at upcoming book sale

In total we had 11 attendees present for this meeting, attendance sheet filed.