

Quail Run PTO Minutes

October 13, 2009

The meeting was called to order by Laine Delfelder at 9:00 a.m. with Laura Vaughn, Debbie Tann, Lori Walton, Carol Hayden, Becky Basone, Brenda van den Burg, Stramburg, Jan Conard, Susan Eagle, Debbie Ackerman, Chris Valcich, Mara Aubel, Amanda Clark, Barb Heeb, Tracy Ford Stacey, Elaine Sadosky, Dawn Simmons, Karen McGrath, Mary Dodd, Jennifer Osbom and Ephanius Kimori.

Principal Debbie Tann reported a big thank you to the PTO and two members who have been preparing nutritional snacks in backpacks for 6-10 students in need of nutritional food on the weekend. Contact Barb Heeb if you would like to help donate food for these students. The non profit group Harvesters may start to provide food for these children and Quail Run PTO would act as liaison and distributor should this partnership come into affect.

Mrs. Tann also reported that the National Geographic Bee is approaching as well as the National Spelling Bee. Those entry fees have been donated in the past. Ms. Valcich paid the fee and will be reimbursed as the fees are already in the 2009-10 budget.

Treasurer Laura Vaughn recorded our current budget at \$7,366.25. Laura noted that Innisbrook has not yet been paid.

Karen McGrath from Sunflower Bank spoke about opportunities for students to earn money for report cards with the bank. She also explained a program the bank is offering with banking customers and debit cards. A certain percentage of the debit card purchase totals will be matched by Sunflower Bank and given to the school that the customer designates. Ms. McGrath will be bringing written information to the school about these programs.

Laine Delfelder reported for **t-shirt sales** that all Quail Run apparel has been distributed with an overall profit of \$1000.

Mary Dodd reported **Innisbrook** profits at \$6500.00 and expects the items distributed before Thanksgiving. She stated the new online register program worked well and there were few problems.

Dawn Simmons reported the **classroom volunteer schedule** was up for the month. She stated that there are plenty of volunteers but they could use more work. A reminder and schedule will

be going out to teachers. A suggestion was that helpers be sent to the library if no work is needed in the classroom.

Direct Campaign chair Elaine Sadosky reported that \$3,200.00 was given by 66 families. There were no company matches. They needed 2,810.00 to purchase the needed document photo machine and clickers. Elaine showed us pictures of the purchased items with descriptions.

Box tops for Education Brenda van den Burg reported that \$730.00 (at least) would be coming from our box top collections this fall.

Hospitality chair Jan Conard reported that they desperately need volunteers for food, servers, and co chair of luncheons in the spring. Amanda Clark volunteered to coordinate the custodial/cook luncheon. Please contact Jan if you can help in any way.

Susan Eagle reported that the **Holiday Home Tour** fundraiser needed a few more houses. If you your will volunteer your house, the committee would be glad to help you with setting up your decorations. The tour includes only the 1st floor of your house. Laura Vaughn volunteered her house at the meeting.

Carnival committee needs help from primary grade dads, moms or guardians (k-3) to be on the committee to provide continuity. Most committee members have children who will be graduating this year and need to pass on information to other committee members. Please sign up with Trish Jess. April 17, 2010 is the date currently set for the Carnival.

Dates to remember:

Landscaping October 25, 2-6 pm

Halloween Parade October 30, 2:20 pm. All visitors must sign in. Please be out of the building by 3:30 if you stay for the party.

Adopt A Family begins November 9, 2009

Minutes submitted for approval Oct. 19, 2009 by Amanda Clark. Minutes will be distributed and posted with approval.