

WINNEBAGO PTO MEETING MINUTES- MONDAY MAY 12th, 2014
Chairperson: Sherri Ginger -- Teacher Chairperson: Kathi Engelkes and
Pam Shaver --Treasurer: Carol Francis -- Secretary: Ela Martins

Meeting called to order at 6:04 pm.

Secretary's Report: April 2014 minutes were read. A motion was made to approve the minutes by Carol Francis and seconded by Tracy Ricks.

Treasurer's Report: As of May, 12th, 2014, the cash balance is \$43,020.69. May deposits included Market Day, Basket Raffle, and Mary Kay Fundraiser.

Principal's Reports: Mr. Mandera: Outstanding Milk and Lunch Balances-VERY important to keep accounts up to date-students will not be allowed to charge milk or lunches. Last day that Simon will serve breakfast and milk at snack break will be Friday, May 30th. Kindergarten Registration 2014-15-Parents of future students can call Simon Elementary. Once residency is proven an appt. will be set up for screening. Kindergarten enrollment is for children who turn 5 years old by September 1, 2014. Screenings are scheduled for May. Registration 2014-15 packets were sent home on May 1st. 40% of registration packets have been returned. The sooner it is returned the greater the discount is. Class lists will be posted on Friday, August 15th. Simon Award Day/Kindergarten Recognition-The annual Awards Day is scheduled for Tuesday, June 3rd. Grades 1-2 will participate in an awards ceremony in the Simon cafeteria. Awards presentations are approximately 45 minutes long. 8:30-9:15 is 1st grade, 9:15-10:00 is 2nd grade, and 1:30 is Kindergarten recognition in the Simon Gym. Tentative Dates for 2014-15 Halloween-Friday, October 31 (1:45 PM PreK/EC/K-2; AM PreK/EC 9:45) Winter Holiday Party (Friday, December 19-Early Dismissal-9:45 PreK/EC; K-2 10:00; PM PreK/EC Dec 18 1:45) Valentine's Day Party (Friday, February 13 1:45 PreK/EC/K-2; AM PreK/EC 9:45) Kindergarten Orientation- Tuesday, August 19 4:30-5:30pm, Back to School Night (2014) is Thursday September 11 / Cookout 5-6pm and Open House 6-7pm.

Mr. Monahan: Please make sure lunch accounts are kept up to date. Lunch will be served on the last day of school this year, Wed June 4th. Friday, May 30th is the last day McNair will serve breakfast. Registration 2014-15- registration packets were send home May 1st; many have been returned already. Class lists will be posted on Friday, August 15th. Library News--4th Quarter Used Book Sale (.25) will begin tomorrow. Sale will end when all books are gone! Students may purchase books for summer reading. Money raised will go towards additional PBIS incentives. Important End of the Year Dates: 4th grade music classes and 6th grade chorus Spring Concert, Tuesday, May 13th @ 6:30pm, WHS Cafeteria. 5th grade band Spring concert, Thursday May 15th @ 6:30pm, WHS Gym. 3rd/4th grade Field Days, Friday, May 23rd 5th grade Field Trip to Wild West Town, Friday May 23rd. 2nd grade students will visit McNair and 3rd grade classrooms, Wednesday, May 28th. 5th grade parent orientation for middle school, Thursday May 29th at 6pm at the Middle School. 5th graders will visit WMS, Friday May 30th, 8:15am. End of the Year AR Party and Talent Show, Friday May 30th (1pm, McNair Gym) Awards Day, Monday June 2nd (4th grade at 8:30, 3rd grade at 10:00, 5th grade at 11: 15) Last Day of Attendance, Wednesday June 4th dismissal at 1pm. Monetary Requests: Mr. Mandera--assist with funding of volunteer reception on 5/12/14 not to exceed \$250.00. A motion made to approve the request by Tracy Ricks and seconded by Carol Francis. Motion was passed.

PTO Meeting Dates/Locations-2nd Monday of each month at McNair Library.

Fundraiser Reports: Market Day- Gail Starkey and Kristi Provi- Last sale before the summer. Over budget by \$1,000! Lots of clearance items; stock up for the summer. Paper orders due May 27th /Internet orders due May 31st /Pick-up is June 4th. New customers receive \$5 off \$25 order. Thank you to all the volunteers who help out every month.

Box Tops- Stacey Schaller and Ginnie Cunningham- One more collection scheduled for May 30th. Most likely will meet or exceed the budget.

Gold Canyon Candles- Angela Bucey and Michelle Cunningham- Completed as planned. Great fundraiser.

Basket Raffle-Cari Gettle- Baskets were beautiful!! Teachers and children were very appreciative of all donations. Over 80 ID Packets were complete by the Masons. All information collected was returned to parents to have in case of an emergency.

Committee Reports:

Yearbook-Sonia Elias-Kottke- Yearbooks have been completed!

Coke Rewards- Cari Gettle- Ongoing process.

School Kits/Summer Work Books- Rachel Ray- Pick up scheduled for May 22nd

Staff Appreciation Luncheon- Sherri Ginger- Volunteers in place-Scheduled for May 13th

Old Business:

Open Board Positions filled for 2014-2015 School Year

I. Co-Chair-1 Year Term----Cari Gettle----

II. Secretary- 2 Year Term---- Angela Schoeneweiss----

III. Treasurer- 2 Year Term---- Bonnie Bloomquist----

b. Open Chair Positions

I. Gold Canyon Candles----Stacey Schaller volunteered to assist Angela Bucey and Michelle Cunningham

II. Coke Rewards – Still in need of a Volunteer

III. School Supply Kits/Summer Work Book Co-Chair – Alicia Glaser

IV. Staff Appreciation Luncheon----Bonnie Bloomquist----

V. McNair Head Building Parent –Still in need of a Volunteer

VI. Yearbook Chair – Still in need of a Volunteer

VII. Box Tops – Still in need of a Volunteer

New Business and Ideas:

Volunteer Appreciation- yearly event- more info to come

Prairie Farms- .05 per cap redemption.

Drawing for Gift Certificates from Anna's Pizza and Pasta

Winner: Ela Martins (parent) and Pam Shaver (teacher)

Meeting adjourned at 6:58 pm

Respectfully submitted, Ela Martins