

Blue Ball Elementary School PTO Meeting Minutes

December 9, 2013

Principal
Mr. McCaskey

PTO President
Dina Maio

PTO Vice President
Kelci Robbins

PTO Secretary
Cherie Mindy

PTO Treasurer
Lisa Weir

Committees

Fundraising: Lisa Garrett

Hospitality: Kelci Robbins

**Box Tops for Education and Campbell's
soup labels**

Dorothy Theodosatos, Janina Pinkas,
Jessica Wilson

Cartridges for Kids:

Dave Lindquist

Volunteer Coordinator:

Connie Good

Workroom Coordinator:

Svetlana Rose

The meeting was called to order and introductions were made.

Attendance: (7) Curt McCaskey, Dina Maio, Kelci Robbins, Lisa Weir, Cherie Mindy, Jeff Hochhaus. Cathy Proviano

Treasurer's Report: See attached

President's Report:

Friday 12/13/13 Christmas corner- Help is needed for set up, shopper help, cashier, and tear down.

Committee Reports:

Fundraising:

All donations have been collected to date. Mrs. Hole is the only staff that sent out her own mailers. She will receive 50% of her classroom donations, to be used for her class.

Cartridges for Kids:

Dave Lindquist is in charge of this project.

Hospitality:

Kelci had a great amount of help for parent/teacher conference dinner. The staff appreciated the meal.

Activities:

Family nights are a chance for you meet other families in the school community. The events are casual. There is an event once a month. We are always looking for ideas and volunteers.

November 22 Family Game Night 6:30-8:30pm. 65 people attended to play bingo, card games and board games.

December 13 Christmas Corner 5:30-7:30pm Help needed to shop with students, set up, cashier and tear down. Contact Dina

Jan. 24, 2014 Donuts for Dads will be 8:00-8:45am in the multipurpose room. Jeff Hochhaus will coordinate.

Box Tops & Labels for Education:

Valentine theme contest. The committee will meet and send out a flyer. Students can turn in items now and teachers will be given vouchers for the number of items collected.

Volunteers:

Thank you to all the book fair volunteers.

Workroom: Svetlana Rose is the new coordinator.

Reminder email a day or two before scheduled time for the volunteer's time slot. Check to see if work is completed.

PTO Meetings

January 6

February 3

March 3

April 7

May 5

Spirit wear:

Order has been placed. Items should arrive week of Dec 16

Character Coupon store:

Cherie Mindy has sent out a request on volunteer spot to have volunteers sign up to help at the store every Tuesday 11:30am - 1:30pm

New Business:

None

Principal Report:

Classroom Diagnostic Testing (CDT) for grades 3rd-6th. First time mass on line testing, went well with only minor issues. PSSA will be completed on computer this coming spring.

Principals for the morning is completed.

Upcoming Events

Dec. 13 Christmas corner

5:30-7:30pm

Jan. 24 Donuts for Dad

8:00-8:45am

5th grade holiday concert is scheduled for Tuesday Dec. 10 at 7:00pm Snow date is Tuesday Dec. 17 at 7:00pm

Holiday sing-a-long for all classes is Wednesday Dec. 18 2:45-3:15pm.

Holiday schedule: Last day is Friday 12/20. Returning day is Thursday 1/2/14.

Elections for new PTO treasurer will be conducted in 2014.

School climate survey results will be shared with the Positive School Culture committee. 15 parents, 19 staff and all of 3rd-6th grade responded to the survey.

Next PTO meeting is January 6, 2014 at 7:00pm

Approved