

**PTO General Session Meeting  
August 22, 2018  
Amack's Well - Worship Side**

Attendees: 4 officers and 14 others were present

Jill Weberding opened the meeting with prayer at 6:30 pm and gave an overview of what PTO does. The officers introduced themselves.

**Treasurer's Report** – Jane Lieland gave a summary of the 2017-2018 PTO revenue and expense report. There were copies of the printed report at the door for anyone to take. PTO revenue was about \$83,000. After purchasing new Kdgn. Programs and a new sign for the front of school, we were left with \$3,000

**Secretary's Report** – Natalie Wanstrath reported that she is the contact for any information that needs to be put in the weekly newsletter for PTO Corner. Deadline for her to submit to Joan is 3pm on Tuesdays.

**Committee Reports:**

**Boxtops/Coke Gives** – Cami Bright is moving. Annette Swain is taking over BoxTops and Coke Gives. We are looking for new ideas for the class challenges or a school goal. PTO brought in \$1,500 from Boxtops last school year. There is an app for BoxTops in which you can scan your receipt. Coke Gives is a reward program for Coke products. There is a code on the cap or inside the package of cans, notify bingo committee about saving Coke boxes so we can get the codes.

**Café** - Volunteers are still needed and the greatest need is for the 5<sup>th</sup> week. If you can work, call Carla or Tammy the day of even if you can only sub for one day. Hours are flexible...spread the word that it's fun!

**Enrichment Programs-** no report.

**Fundraising-** Jill Weberding reported that we are still working on a chair for the committee. There were copies of the tentative PTO calendar at the door for anyone to take. The calendar includes all of the fundraisers. This year we are adding a St. Louis dance. There will be a band, it's adult only, BYOB, there will be split the pot & pull tabs. The SLS Dance is something that used to take place years ago, so we are bringing it back! The 6<sup>th</sup> grade class is extremely small this year and will need additional help with Italian Night during CSW. Susan Harmeyer and Jill Weberding have been discussing ways to pull additional man power. Natalie Wanstrath stated that she is working with Michelle Wachsman on the Trash Bags Fundraiser. They are kicking off this Friday. Price will be \$11/roll this year. There is also bulk pricing available for businesses. Natalie is the contact for bulk orders.

**Hospitality:** Rebecca Hardebeck has agreed to chair this committee and Sandi Hillenbrand is taking charge of the Meal Train. Teachers or parents should contact her with names of families that could use meals. Jill Weberding reported that we are still giving baby gifts to those families that have new additions. New students receive a drawstring backpack and SLS t-shirts.

**In-Service** – Natalie Scheibler reported that most spots are filled for the schedule, but there are some left. Most are on the 5<sup>th</sup> weeks of the month. She can be contacted for signups or for more information.

**K-3 Parties-** Beth Weber and Kelsey Weber are currently working on the Halloween party. The party will be Tuesday, October 30. The party occurs the day before Halloween to ensure that students don't leave costumes at school.

**Rummage Sale** – There are no suggestions for ways to spend this upcoming rummage sale funds. Let Jane Lieland or Jan Narwold know if you have an idea.

**School Supplies** – Anne Meer is stepping down from this committee as she has done it for years. The SLS pencil bags will be reused next year if in good condition. Rebecca Hardebeck had agreed to help with this. Holly Siegel volunteered to chair the committee.

**Teacher Appreciation-** Brooke Maple not present, so Jill Weberding gave report. They are working on ways to show appreciation for the staff during the year to replace the end- of-year teacher appreciation dinner because of low attendance in the past. Laura Padgett volunteered to help on this committee.

### **New Business :**

Cardinal Flash will be and insert in the church bulletin every other week to communicate to parishioners what is going on in the school. PTO is manning the bulletin stuffing and is also in charge of the content. The stuffing will take place on Fridays. If you have ideas of stories or highlights for the Cardinal Flash, contact Jill Weberding.

Next meeting is 9/19/18.

We will be updating the By-Laws