

President: Mary Meier, VP Membership: Lorrie Holekamp, Treasurer: Carolyn Lester, Secretary: Diane Earhart, Faculty Rep. Elem.: Jay Harper, Secondary Rep: Chris Stevenson

Welcomed all in attendance.

Minutes approved from last month.

Principal's Message:

Mr. Harper said 5th and 8th grade did well on their TAKS scores.

Board Announcements:

Mary-

Lorrie- Jenny has made a new PTO membership form for next year and is looking into printing options.

Carolyn- Clubs have received their sponsor funds in their activity accounts. Carolyn made a motion to transfer classroom sponsorship money to the activity accounts. Motion seconded, and approved. Motion made to leave a small balance in checking and transfer the rest to savings account to earn interest over the summer. Motion passed.

Checking: \$27,193

Saving: \$5,601

Diane-

Committee Announcements:

Box Tops: Spring Box Tops deadline is Friday May 13th. Email reminder to follow.

No cost Fundraising: Office Max perks money needs to be spent soon. Decision was made to use credit to purchase HWAT supplies early for next year.

Teacher Appreciation: Lorrie, Diane, and Carolyn helped with Teacher Appreciation week. Monday-donuts & apples, Thursday- chips and salsa, Friday-cupcakes. It was suggested that next year PTO attempt to coordinate our efforts with any other appreciation gifts that may be planned for the week. Teacher Luncheon is scheduled for June 3rd. Planning details are as follows:

Meet at 10am JUNE 3rd in HS Cafeteria to set up.

Jill, Mary, Jenny, Lorrie, Beverly, and possibly Melissa will be cooking 35lb of ground beef.

Jalapenos: Diane

Carolyn will pick up at HEB-guacamole, sour cream, dressing, picante sauce, tea

Need to email Bridgette and Yvette to see if they are able to assist in the same way they did last year:

Bridgette: Wal-Mart-onions, tomatoes, lettuce, & cheese

Yvette: corn and bean dip

Need to send email to parents on the Volunteer Teacher Appreciation List to see if they are able to send the any of the following by Friday May 27th:

*Fritos and tortilla chips (at least 10 bags of each needed)

*Ziplocs gallon size bags and crock pot liners (Beverly, Diane, Lorrie, and Carolyn will bring Crock pots)

*Paper products needed: small desert plates and napkins and cups 160z , large dinner Chinnet Plates

*cookies & brownies for dessert?

Items can be sent to school to the Teacher Workrooms addressed to PTO.

GRANT Request: The Officers have revised the Grant Request Guidelines to be more in line with funding changes for next year. A motion was made and approved for the 6th grade grant

request. Checking with Principals to see if a teacher can be appointed to the grant committee along with Lorrie, Diane, Theresa and Carolyn for next year. It was decided that the committee will not meet over the summer

Walk-A -Thon: The Awards Ceremony was held on Wednesday, May 4th. Lots of prizes were given and overall the event was a success. Plans are already underway for next year's exciting event! "Thank You" has been sent to papers.

Book fair: Amanda-is still needing Volunteers to work Tues-Thurs, May 10-12th. Those able to Volunteer please contact Amanda at: bennettamanda94@yahoo.com

Family Movie night: Mary briefly discussed set up options and confirmed that popcorn is available.

Scholarship committee: Recipients have been chosen. A set of suggested guidelines was presented for next year's committee volunteers to aid them in setting up the committee communication and choice selection. A presenter is needed for the ceremony on the May 12th. Briefly discussed changes to next year's application.

School Supplies: Theresa has the elementary lists done and almost all approved. A flyer is being worked on to go out to parents explaining the details of this year's service.

New Business:

An educational laser light show, designed by Prismatic Magic, will be held May 27th in the old gym for all students as part of the PTO's On Campus Field Trip Committee. More information on the program can be found online at: <http://www.prismaticmagic.com/homepage.asp>

Reviewed Committee Chairs for next year and will have school website updated by August.

2011-2012 Officers: Pres: Deanna, VP Mem: Jenny Millican, VP Fund: Lorri Holekamp, Treasurer: LeighAnn Lake, Secretary: Diane Earhart.

The August Executive Board members meeting is tentatively scheduled for Thursday August 11th. Time and place to be determined

Meeting adjourned: 5:25pm

EVENTS:

- *Elem. Awards Assembly: May 11th, 1:00pm
- *Spring Book Fair: May 10th-12th
- *Family Movie Night: May 11th, 6:00pm
- *HS and Middle School Awards Assembly: May 12th, 10:00am/1:00pm
- *Kinder Round-Up: May 19th
- *FFA Banquet: May 19th
- *HS Athletic Celebration
- *On Campus Field Trip: Prismatic Magic, May 27th
- *Kinder Graduation: June 1st, 1:00pm
- *Eighth Grade Promotion: June 2, 6:30pm
- *LAST DAY OF SCHOOL: JUNE 2ND!!
- *Teacher/Staff Appreciation Luncheon: June 3rd
- *HS Graduation: June 3, 7:30pm