

MINUTES

Jackson-Milton Elementary PTA Minutes

January 14th, 2015

The meeting was called to order by Sheila Factor at 6:05 pm

In attendance (16)

Sheila Factor

Kim Cole

Brandy Hinkle

Amy Headley

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were presented from the December meeting and approved.

Treasures Report

Stands as read no changes made. Account balance \$22,000.00 at the end of December

Principal's Report

Mrs. Fisk was at Camp Fitch with 5th grade.

Unfinished Business

- Fence at the back of the playground has been installed by Hoover Fence Company. Mr. Factor turned in all paperwork and documentation in to the secretary (Brandy) for filing.
- CPR Event- Per Amy Headley event still in the works. Will keep to basic life support training. Possibly in April.
- Coat racks have been installed at the bathroom entrance downstairs. Kim Cole says the have been successful, kids have been hanging their coats instead of them lying on the floor.
- The Valentines party will be February 12th at 2:30. Last meeting it was discussed Valentines Dance vs. Party- The student counsel took a pole and it seems that the majority of the kids would like to still have a party with a few modifications such as iPads and games. Also, a couple room parents donated their classroom party money back to PTA. It was discussed that any time classroom party money is donated back that it will go to that class's teacher. Brandy will check with Mrs. Fisk regarding ice-cream for the Valentines party that has been donated by the principal in the past.
- Clothing Drive will be held February 27th and 28th in the JMES Cafeteria. More details to come.
- Camp Fitch left today. PTA donates \$20.00 per child attending. Approved \$104.00 scholarships for 3 children to attend Camp Fitch that could not otherwise go. Amy Headley motioned and Kelly seconded. Motioned Passed and approved \$312.00 for these children. Will add scholarships to budget for next for kids that cannot afford to go.
- The Golden Ticket Winners from December were Jon Factor, Lyric McGlothlin, Kadin Rader, Caty Carnes, Tanner Albaugh, Sarah Yuhasz
- Discussed creating a \$500.00 scholarship to go thru Ohio PTA to be awarded to a senior at JM High School. Ohio PTA will select the winner and it will be a JM student. The student will need to have attended the elementary school for more than 1 year. Frank Motioned and Jen Darney seconded. Motioned passed.

New Business

- Our spring fundraiser "Stollers" will be coming up February 20th thru March 6th. Delivery will be March 27th. Sign up sheet will be at next PTA meeting for those that would like to help on delivery day.
- PTA Bi-Laws have not formally been updated with Ohio PTA since 1999. A committee has been formed to review and update our Bi-Laws. Jessica Yonkey, Amanda Tomaino and assisted by Sheila Factor.

- The Finance Committee will meet January 22nd at 6pm at the First Federated church to review PTA Finances. Any PTA member can join the committee.
- The Nominating Committee will be selected at the next PTA meeting to select the PTA officers for the 2015-2016 school year. Start thinking about what PTA position you would like to have next school year!
- Per Kim Cole, Mrs. Fisk spoke to the school board about the Washer/Dryer. There are no issues or concerns with liability of using them. A letter will go home informing parents of the new procedure when their children's cloths become soiled for any reason and it will give the parents an opportunity to decline their child's clothes being washed or inform the school of any potential laundry allergies. Amy Headley motioned to approve the purchase, Frank Tomaino seconded to approve up to \$1500.00 for a washer/dryer stackable combo refurbished or new. Andersons was a suggestion. Motion passed.
- It was also discussed to budget for the Blue Jay Elf for the 2015-2016 school year.

Next Meeting

February 11th 2015 at 6:00 pm in the JMES Library

Motion to adjourn was made at 7:15 and was passed unanimously