

West Rockhill Elementary School
Parent Teacher Organization - Meeting Minutes
February 8, 2016

The meeting was called to order by President Amy Wayland at 7:03 pm in the library. In attendance were 12 parents, 0 teachers and Principal Mrs. Wiley.

The minutes from January were read. Amy pointed out that the name was left off the bottom. Stacy made a motion to approve, Elizabeth second - all approved.

Principal's Report:

- School-wide focus on math this year. Having Pi Day on Monday 3/14 from 6-8 to share strategies and different activities for families.
 - Need to move PTO meeting to 3/16 to accommodate
- Concerns with dismissal and car parking on Washington Ave. were discussed. Regional police have been checking our procedures and feel the school is doing things well, but we need PTO to help support the school and have parents follow the procedures. A discussion followed regarding parking, sidewalks, and crossing guards for walkers

Treasurer's Report:

- Family night - \$21 in merchandise, \$61 from bake sale.
- Movie license has gone up from \$414 from \$394
- Muffins with Mom made \$163

Faculty Report:

- none

President's Report

- Muffins with Mom: Thank you to Wendy and West Rockhill township for plowing the lot. A poster and thank you with muffins was sent to the township building
- Volunteers – having a hard time with volunteers and people not signing up or signing up and not showing up. Talked about having PTO organize a volunteer sign up day. Wendy and Jen will investigate.
- Fall Events – starting thinking now about helping with events for the fall
- Family Nights – Minute to Win It – 80 people attended, it was another good event
 - Bingo is March 4th – need to send out sign-up genius
 - Looking into skate night in April and a possible Menlo swim party
- Race – propose getting a folding machine – does district have one we can borrow? Amy found one on ebay for \$352.92. Want to investigate further before making a purchase
 - Race will kick off on Wednesday, with the schedule going out to volunteers this week

Open Discussion

- Box Tops – Linck's class won! We received 18,884 box tops from the contest. Discussed giving out baggies to families to help increase collection throughout the year
- Afterschool enrichment flyers are available for any one interested

Meeting was adjourned at 8:37 pm.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday March 16, 2016 at 7:00 in the library.

Recording Secretary,
Kelley Peloquin