

Liberty Bell PTA Meeting

October 9, 2014

Board Members Present: Patty Spitzer, Katheryn Sarnoski, Angela Ast, Kyle Gangewere, Laura Rush and Principal Sam Hafner

Patty Spitzer called meeting to order at 9:30

Fall Festival

Will be Oct 17th from 6-8pm

Costume contest, pumpkin carving contest, Raffle Baskets, Monster Lab.

There will be a photo booth there for \$1 a picture

We need volunteers. If you can volunteer, please let Angela Ast know via email or phone call.

Principals Report

Visitation Day is scheduled for October 21st. Two time slots are available. 9:15-11:15 am or 1:30-3pm. There is no room to accommodate parents for lunch.

We are reminded to turn our phones off or to vibrate during our visit. Any phone calls that we must take, we are asked to move the conversation to the hallway.

Race For Education Is on October 22nd. See Agenda for times.

Retakes will be Tuesday October 28th

Fall/Halloween Parade will be October 31st at 2pm.

Conferences: Sign ups seem to have gone well using sign up genius for the first time.

Student Directory is complete and Mr. Hafner will email out in the next week. It was decided to give parents the option of receiving a print copy.

Short discussion on how to handle revisions or errors in the directory. We decided to 'play it by ear' and see how many requests for changes we get and perhaps do one revision in December.

Bethany Kramer is taking over directory for next year. Thank you Diane Inglis for putting the directory together for several years.

Spiritwear

Angela Ast reported that all orders have been filled. There are a few shirts leftover and will be sold at our events.

Membership

Melinda will report next month, as she was unable to attend.

School Store

Will be every second Thursday of the month at 8:45.

Miler

Laura Rush reported in Melinda's absence. First miler went well, please pay attention to the emails that come out.

Kidstuff

Laura Rush reported that we sold a little over 200 books. There are still a few books for sale.

Yearbook

Tricia Hawk is heading up yearbook committee.

If we take pictures in the classroom please get digital copies to Tricia.

Boxtops

Rebecca Dawson-Davis reported that box tops is going well. She continues to get labels of education, has called IS and is awaiting to hear if they collect them and who the contact person is. We are NOT collecting Labels for Education.

Liberty Bell Supports You

Angela Rosenberg and Cindy Confalone volunteered to co-chair this committee. Reviewed what this is. Students meet once a month January, February and March and do something to support a local charity.

November Events

Veterans Day celebration, November 11.

Parent- teacher conferences Nov 17-21

Scholastic Book fair will be going on that week. (Erin Stauffer is shadowing Diane Inglis and will be taking over next year)

Holiday Shoppe

Gina DeNave presented. She is sending home information after the fall festival. Is looking for vendors. \$20 to rent table for vendors. There will be gingerbread house contest!

Budget

Please email Melinda Behrens with any questions from the spreadsheet.

Patricia Allen will have taxes done by end of next week. Then audit can take place.

Parent Teacher Conferences

There was a question regarding only having one night available for conferences. Mr. Hafner stated it was a district decision. He reported there was discussion among school board about adding another evening if there are no spring conferences.

Meeting was adjourned at 10am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Laura Rush

Recording Secretary