

HASA Meeting Minutes for March 22, 2010

6:35pm – Meeting called to order and Opening Prayer given
January Minutes approved – Motion by Sarah Cole and Second by Beth Stein
Treasurer's Report given by Shannon Gidley

Principal's Comments

1. Expo - There was about \$560 profit from selling the food. We are still waiting on the food credit for the items that weren't sold. There was one student application given out.
2. The Red Cross will be coming in to talk with the students on April 19th. Information will be sent home with the students encouraging parents to call and schedule a time to make a blood donation. The Blood Drive will take place on May 21st at the church across the street from St. B's.
3. The Annual Spring Concert will be on May 21st. It will take place during school hours.
4. 2010-2011 School Budget: We currently have a deficit of \$84,211. No money is coming in from government grants next year or from the Knights of Columbus. Fundraising through Market Day and SCRIP is also down about \$1700. Please be thinking of ways we could possibly increase enrollment for next year and ways we could raise extra money.

Current/New Business: Lisa Rhoads

1. The Carnival will be on April 16th. Please be looking for information coming home from Justin Adams who is chairing the event. Volunteers will be needed to help run the games and activities.
2. FAME will be on Saturday, March 27th at the Honeywell Center. The St B. Band will be playing at 9am. Art from various students will be displayed throughout the lobby. Volunteers are needed to help.
3. HASA Officer nominations are being taken now. Voting will take place at the next meeting. If you are interested in any of the positions, please talk to any of the current officers or Mrs. Carroll.

Leah Poland: Girl Scouts: See Leah or Mary Porter if you want anymore cookies. The troop will continue to tend the flower beds in front of the school. They will also be collecting cans of food for FISH and have a Park Clean-up Day scheduled in May.

Committees:

Sandy Johnson/Howard Halderman – Marketing: Popcorn sales continue to go well and the school postcards are done.

Beth Reynolds Teacher Appreciation: Teacher Appreciation Week will be May 3-7th. There will be letter sent home in few weeks with more details. Volunteers will be needed; Thank you to Mary Porter for taking care of all the Staff Birthdays; A volunteer will be needed for this position next year, so please see Beth if you have any questions.

Beth Reynolds – Ball and Auction

1. The Ball and Auction is scheduled for Saturday, October 9th at the Honeywell Center.
2. There will be a Raffle again. Ticket prices will be \$20, but only 1000 tickets will be printed. Tickets will be sent home in May only with families who have confirmed enrollment for August. There will be a \$5000 Grand Prize and \$2500 2nd prize. New this year is a \$500 Early Bird drawing. Tickets that are bought and turned in before August 30th will be entered in this drawing as well as the main drawing.
3. There will be a general B&A meeting in April that everyone is welcome to attend.
4. Parent volunteers are needed for the Class Projects. Please talk to Beth if you are interested in helping.
5. The theme this year will focus on the children. The following quote from Kate Douglas Wiggin will be used: "Every child born into the world is a new thought of God, an ever fresh and radiant possibility."
6. Please be thinking of donations you, or others, could make to the Auction.

Shannon Gidley – Talent Show: The Talent Show was fantastic. Thank you to all the parents who helped out. We made a \$578 profit.

Announcements:

Jeans/PJ pass for tonight's attendance is on Friday, March 26th.

We will be in school on May 28th and June 1st to make up Snow Days.

Make sure you are using SCRIP and our next Market Day order will be on April 17th.

The next HASA meeting is on Monday, May 10th at 6:30pm

7:15pm – Closing Prayer

7:18pm – Meeting Adjourned