

HASA Minutes November 9, 2009

6:35pm – Meeting called to order and Opening Prayer given by Lisa Rhoads

September Minutes approved – Motion by Sarah Cole and Second by Sandy Johnson

Treasurer's Report given by Shannon Gidley

Principal's Comments:

1. Mrs. Dyer's mother passed away after undergoing surgery. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers.
2. The Accreditation team will be here on Nov. 11 and 12. They will be viewing the school and classrooms and also want to meet with parents. If you are available to talk to them next Wed, please let Mrs. Carroll know and get the list of sample questions they could ask.
3. Inclement weather: Mrs. Carroll will contact the Ft. Wayne TV stations and local radio channels. Sandy Johnson also updates the school website with delay/closing info. If there is a delay, there is no Pre-K.
4. The school Christmas Program will be at the Wabash Middle School Auditorium on Wednesday, November 9th at 6:30pm.
5. Steve Seskin performed at the school on Monday, Nov 9th. He also is having a program for the public at the Honeywell Center on Friday, Nov 20th at 7:30pm. Mrs. Carroll has plenty of free tickets available. See her if you are interested.

Current/New Business:

Lisa Rhoads

1. Ideas are needed for fundraisers. If you have one, please put it in the Bright Idea Box.
2. Zahn Hall's floor needs to be replaced due to cracking. Due to asbestos, it will be sealed and the new flooring placed on top. The estimated cost is \$5000. The Parish Maintenance Committee has said that if HASA contributes \$1000, then they will pay the balance. Sarah Cole has volunteered to be the Fundraising Chair to raise the \$1000.
3. 4th grade parents are in charge of the refreshments for the Christmas Program.
4. There are event folders available, so if you are chairing an event, please use them to help with planning.
5. A big THANK YOU to Annette Meggison and Jennifer Whetstone for being the co-chairs of the Ball and Auction!
6. Thank you to all who helped with the Grandparents Day reception. Over 100 grandparents attended.
7. Money toward Christmas gifts to the students from the teachers is already in HASA's budget: \$1 per student.

Christina Sapusek

1. Girl Scouts collected 161 lbs of food/items for FISH and they won their Service Unit Project.
2. Girl Scout are now collecting for Operation Elf. Items needed: baby items, batteries, cleaning supplies and wrapping paper. They will be wrapping presents at Operation Elf on Friday, Dec 11th.
3. The girls will go bowling on Friday, Nov 20th.
4. Christmas Caroling at Bickford Cottage is planned for Dec. If you are interested in going with the girls, then please contact Leah.
5. Leah Poland is in charge of several troops and would appreciate any volunteers to help with any meetings and/or projects the troops are doing. Please contact her to find out how you can best help.

Committees:

Sandy Johnson

1. Popcorn sales are going great. Sydney Diefenbaugh was the Popcorn Helper last time and did a great job!
2. The Marketing Account balance is \$1100.
3. Order forms are available in the office and on the website for the new Dark Blue Spirit Wear. Sample sizes of the T-shirts are in the office to help determine the size needed. Orders are due by Monday, Nov 16th. Contact Sandy if you have any questions.

Beth Reynolds

1. Beth is chairing the Teacher Appreciation Committee, but would appreciate having a Co-Chair. If you are interested, please let her know.
2. Information will be sent out soon on how you can help with the December events that are planned for the teachers.
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Annette Meggison and Jennifer Whetstone

1. Thank you to everyone who contributed their time and efforts to the Ball and Auction!
2. The expense report is almost finished. The credit card fees and the postage fees aren't finalized yet, but so far the total brought in by the Ball and Auction is \$35,937.68.
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Deb Wagner

1. "Lunch with Santa" will be at the Knights of Columbus on Sat, Dec 12th from 11am-1pm and is open to the public. Menu includes: soups, grilled cheeses, cookies and drinks. Vendors for Mary Kay, Avon, Tastefully Simple, Pampered Chef and others will be available. Pictures with Santa will be offered. Please fill out the sheet sent home to donate menu items, or to help serve. Decorating begins at 8am so please sign up to help.

The Winter Carnival is scheduled for Friday, Jan 29th. Two people are still needed to Co-Chair the event. Please see Lisa if you are interested.

Sarah Cole

1. Please plan to have 2 dozen cookies/treats in the kitchen by 3pm on Thurs, Dec 17th for the Cookies Trays given to the teachers/staff. If you are able to stay and help put them together, it would be greatly appreciated.

Announcements:

- No school on November 26 & 27th.
- Jeans/PJ Pass for tonight's attendance is on Friday, Nov 13th.
- Continue to support SCRIP and Market Day. Market Day had a profit of \$620 for the last 2 months. Volunteers are always needed to help unload the truck.
- The next HASA meeting will be Monday, Jan 18th at 6:30pm
- A wrong coat was taken at the Ball and Auction. If you wore a London Fog coat to the event, please check to make sure you took the correct coat home. Please contact Mrs. Carroll about returning the coat.

Christina Sapusek led the closing prayer.

7:16pm Meeting Adjourned