

Sandyview Elementary PTO Meeting

MINUTES April 19, 2010 6:30-7:30PM

ATTENDEES: Heather Alberda, President
 Becky Myers, Vice President
 Pam McDonald, Treasurer
 Julie Kuiper, Secretary
 Barb Ferguson, Principal

Healthy Hawkeyes

Heather Alberda

DISCUSSION:

Missy Jipping lined up volunteers. Pam, Julie and Heather to help during the AM PE classes as well as two other volunteers. Becky to help in the afternoon with 3 other volunteers. Half of the class to start at one end of track and the other half to start at the other end. Each group has a different marking color to designate their starting point. Two volunteers will be stationed at each marking point to check off student's cards for each lap completed.

Kindergarten to join 1st graders in their afternoon PM class time slot.

Upon completion each student receives a water bottle, apple and pencil for participating. Water bottles to have labels with the students name on it.

Question was raised whether we will give a \$10 gift card to the top 3 winners. It was decided that instead of this, the PTO will do something with donations in conjunction with Hawkeye/Sandyview marathon. It was decided that PTO to donate \$200 towards incentive prizes for every 5 miles completed.

ACTION ITEMS:

Barb to have certificates made to give to students at completion of classtime that states how many laps they completed.

Barb checking with Meghan Peterson about incentives and shirt sizes.

Pam to buy apples at Aldi's which is \$2.69/bag right now.

Heather has pencils.

Heather purchased water bottles – name labels to be placed on them.

BUDGET

Pam McDonald/Heather Alberda

DISCUSSION:

All Accounts totaling \$8,045.32 and CD as of 9/09 \$2728.88. To review closer at the end of the school year – may need to move some money around in other accounts to balance.

ACTION ITEMS: None at this time

FUN NIGHT REVIEW

DISCUSSION:

Food Review:

- Coffee needs to be brewing when setting up games the night of Fun Night
- Pizza – 2009 = 43 boxes of pizza eaten
2010 = 39 boxes of pizza eaten
- BBQ - ordered 40#, had about 10# left

Game Review:

- Bucket Bonanza – use hackie sacks instead of balls – the balls bounced out of the plastic buckets
- Duck Pond – add points on bottom of ducks together for total points earned
- Plinko needs repairing
- Remind Sandyview families next year that only Sandyview students and younger siblings can earn points for games
- Reminder that game tickets are non-refundable – Question brought up about doing a \$3-5 wristband instead of tickets. We made approx. \$850 in ticket sales for 2010
- Need new markers for recording points

Prize Room Review:

- More prizes will need to be purchased – the big bounce balls were a big hit
- Make sure that there are bags available for students to put prizes in

Raffle Basket Review:

- Hawkeye basket seemed to be the only one that really needed some help in collecting items – give more suggestions to parents/students next year
- Suggestion was made by one of the staff that PTO consider having a teacher basket next year – teachers would purchase items such as bedtime stories, hot chocolate, small pillows and blankets, etc.
- Question was raised about having a raffle basket that anyone can purchase a raffle ticket and place in for the drawing of that basket

Volunteer Review:

- More volunteers are needed for clean-up

ACTION ITEMS:

None at this time

END OF THE YEAR MISC

DISCUSSION:

Need to recruit VP and Treasurer for 2010/11, 2011/2012 school years

ACTION ITEMS:

Each member should come up with 3 names before next meeting

PTO SURVEY

Pam McDonald

DISCUSSION:

Should we have a PTO Survey sent out to parents for feedback for next year?

ACTION ITEMS:

Pam to create a survey for review.

MAY 11 BREAKFAST
DISCUSSION: Name for breakfast was decided to be “Donuts at Dawn”. It will be donuts, juice and coffee paid for by PTO with no cost to Sandyview families. We have enough plates and cups. ACTION ITEMS: Barb will pick up the donuts that morning. Sally will plug in the coffee at 7am. We need to buy napkins.
NEXT MEETING
Monday, May 3, 2010 at 6:30pm