

Bryan Elementary PTA Minutes for March 4th 2014, General Membership Meeting

Attendees: See attached

I. Welcome

- The meeting was called to order at approximately 5:35 PM.
- 1 Thank You's were given to Janet Thompson and all volunteers who participated in Dr. Seuss night. The event was successful with over 400 people in attendance.

 - 1 We are looking to find older help for childcare for PTA meeting nights. If anyone knows a responsible teenager who is interested and would be committed to this responsibility, please let the PTA know.

II. Reports

- Kristin Gorringer motioned to approve last month's meeting minutes as read; Shaura Larson seconded.
 - Financial activity was reviewed. Several deposits were made from drama club, fall fundraiser, Escrip, T-shirt sales, and Smencils. Expenses included admin fees (office supplies/PTA childcare), Mrs. Buzolich's owl project, and 4th grade Mobius Science Field Trip.
- 1 Triple Play Night brought in \$382.50. We discussed that the profit was not split with Borah this year. If it had been, the money would have doubled, resulting in 50% of profits rather than 30%. There were only 85 people in attendance. We hope to find a better date next year, possibly in January when a lot of other activities aren't going on.

III. Unfinished Business

- There is still candy bar money outstanding from parents. The current profit is \$3,887.00

IV. New Business

- Bryan Bounce: Scheduled next Tuesday for the committee to meet discussing current progress with volunteers, donations, etc. Kathleen Orr to confirm date and time with committee members. There was discussion on pricing for admittance. There was an agreement of those present that we will charge \$15 at the door, \$12 pre-sale, and a \$40 family pass up to four members.
- 2 Teacher conferences are scheduled the week of March 24th. Volunteers will be needed to help with food for the teachers. Giving trees will be posted and reminders will be in the newsletter, on Facebook, and in teachers' newsletters going home.

- 3 Principal Gorringer updated us on the gym remodel. Input from students and staff agreed that our bear logo will be on the floor of the gym in red, white, and blue colors. Exciting times for Bryan! She also mentioned that about 20 parents attended the common core testing night and there is a link on the website with more information on that. Plans to review the budget regarding teacher subscriptions and requests will be addressed by the PTA board and principal.
- 4 Shannon Dodd reported April 18th will be Dads & Donuts. The marimbas will perform from 8:00-8:15. Due to parking constraints, the fire department and police department will not be in attendance. However, the school resource officer will be here and there will be a Q&A session for those students who wish to participate. Look for Pre-Order information for Krispy Kreme Donuts. They will be distributed at Dads & Donuts in the ALP room. Moms & Muffins will be May 9th. We will have a photo booth and a free book giveaway.
- 5 Staff Appreciation Week is in May. We are looking for volunteers to help out with fun, creative ideas and items to express thanks for our teachers and staff. They work so hard and take such great care of our kids. They deserve the best! If interested, contact the PTA.

V. Adjourn

- Due to Spring Break, our next meeting is scheduled for April 8th at 5:30pm. With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 6: 15PM.

President, Kathleen Orr

by: Shirley Schoen, Treasurer, in Kristy Orr's
absence

Secretary, Kristy Orr