

McMurray Elementary PTA Meeting Minutes Tuesday, May 11, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 9:18 am.

President's Remark - Lisa Briegel thanked her board for all their hard work over the past year. She also thanked Margaret Rauscher for coordinating hospitality all year.

Principal's Remark – Dr. Freado welcomed the third grade parents that were in attendance. He told them the PTA was a great way of keeping informed. He reminded everyone of the upcoming art show this weekend. On May 19th the High School Chorus group would be performing for the students. He also informed the membership that the District would be receiving the PA School District Character Counts Award. The 6th grade award ceremony would be held on June 8th at 7pm.

Minutes were approved as written

Treasurer's Report – Jodi Hannah asked for a motion to pay bills. Deb Smith made the motion and Sarah Lindsay seconded. Jodi asked for a motion to move an additional \$300 from Aquarium budget line to Teacher Appreciation. Deb Smith made the motion and Lisa Anderson seconded. She also asked for 3 volunteers for the year end Audit Committee. Andrea Michalski, Cathy Vargo and Deb Smith volunteered. Jodi made the motion to accept the volunteers and Sarah Lindsay seconded.

First Vice President's Report – Carol Planitzer said that the last newsletter would be May 15th. She passed around a sign up sheet for Committee Chair positions for 2010-2011.

Second Vice President's Report – Barb Calfo reminded everyone the next Area Council meeting was May 20th with the Principals. Barb thanked her book fair chairs and volunteers. McMurray Day will be held on June 10th with a rain date of June 11th. The yearbook would be distributed on June 8th. Barb reminded everyone that the next teacher appreciation was today and the theme is picnic/summer as well as the bus drivers will be receiving treat bags.

Third Vice President's Report – Andrea Michalski said she would be chairing McMurray Kick Off next year and would welcome any help.

Fourth Vice President's Report – Margaret Rauscher reminded the membership the last Spirit Day is May 28th. She also thanked Julie Ogburn for chairing the Spirit Committee this past year.

Old Business – There was no old business to discuss.

New Business – Jodi Hannah said that Dr. Freado felt that the money the students raised from the sale of the magazines would be used for playground equipment, he requested that the PTA purchase picnic tables for outside. There is \$1,950 in the Neighborhood funds that could be used. Jodi asked for a motion. Karen Bovalina made the motion and Mary Ulan seconded. Lisa Briegel read the nominations for the 2010-11 PTA Board. (Please see attached). The new board was approved as read. Carol Planitzer passed around open chair committee list for the middle school.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:03 am.

These minutes were recorded by Cathy Vargo, Recording Secretary, McMurray PTA.