Waterloo Elementary School PTA

General Meeting

September 26, 2016

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1. Welcome and Call to Order
2. Quorum Established (8 Board, 25 General)
3. August 10, 2016 minutes approved
4. Report of Officers
5. Treasurer’s Report – Motion brought to approve Budget brought, Motion approved. In August we had a large membership drive that brought in $931. Spirit wear was concluded and orders placed. Yearbook has been closed out from last year .
6. President’s Report –Kindergarten teachers left thank you notes for popsicles that were provided at the summer playdate. Gift certificates for teachers were given out the week before school started. October 3- October 14th is the coat drive.
7. Delegate’s Report – Mr. Burks attended general Howard County meeting where a Washington County law was discussed about PTA not being able to spend money without principal approval. Also FERPA not allowing yearbooks to be worked on off of school property. Looking into the details to make sure we are following.
8. Principal’s Report – Thank you for the back to school breakfast from the teachers and there was a great turnout to the Back to School night. Mold investigation done in technology portable. Found elevated levels of humidity in carpets and wall but no evidence of mold was found. Dehumidifier left on for 3 days to rectify humidity levels and brought moisture levels down from 71% to 37%. Fall Festival will be held October 28th with the parade at the end of the day.
9. Report of Committees –
10. Community Engagement (DEEP) – Website has been updated. Putting new bulletin board on wall as soon as you enter the building. Waiting on Howard County to put it up. Contract has been signed with Strawbridge for yearbooks and pictures. Will be ordering yearbooks in February an delivered in June. Membership is at 204, down from last year at 260.
11. Family Involvement (Adina) – February 24th International Night potential date. Need to find co-chair. Should coincide with book fair. Back to School Picnic went well. Received $50 from snowballs
12. Special Events and Programs (Kari) – School house play is set. 101 Dalmatians in early winter. Kidz Art is up and running and Chess is as well. Still need assemblies’ coordinator.
13. Ways and Means (Kyra) – Charlestown Wrap has been sent home. Still need a Spring Fundraiser coordinator and Silent Auction Coordinator. Box Top Flyers will be sent home soon.
14. New Business – Budget Audit to be done. Motion to replace Rachel Shapiro with Kathy Shanley for audit. Motion passed. Will be done by end of October.
15. Announcements & Upcoming Events
* Friday, September 23-Friday October 7 – Charlestown Wrap Fundraiser
* Monday October 24th- PTA Board Meeting 7PM
* Thursday, October 27th – Game Night
* Monday, November 17th- Paint Night
* Monday, November 28th-PTA Board Meeting
* Wednesday, December 7th – Bingo Night
* Monday, December 19th- PTA Board Meeting
1. Adjournment