

AGENDA

Autumn Creek Elementary School PTO

12/9/2014 6:00 PM

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Old Business and approve minutes from September**
 - a. Spirit Wear – ACES Shirts \$112 donation
 - b. Watch D.O.G.S.
 - c. Wizards Game
- 3. Principal's Report**
- 4. Teacher's Report**
- 5. Secretary's Report**
- 6. Treasurer's Report and approve Budget**
- 7. New Business**
 - a. Holiday Party
 - b. The Square for credit cards
 - c. Game Night in January?
 - d. Carnival
- 8. Committee Report**
 - a. School Directory
 - b. Box Tops
 - c. Market Day
 - d. Restaurant Night
 - e. Grants and Gifts
- 9. Open Forum**
- 10. Adjournment**

Next Meeting Tuesday, January 13, 2015

MINUTES

Autumn Creek Elementary School PTO

Date | time 12/9/2014 6:02 PM | *Meeting called to order by* Jill Roberts

In Attendance

Jill Roberts-PTO President, Angela Hansen-PTO Vice President, Crystal Rutherford-Secretary, ACES STAFF: Mayra Johnson-Principal, Melinda Hafenrichter-Assistant Principal- Ms. Reinke, Ms. Harris, Ms. Cobarruvios Parents: Elizabeth Joyce, Bridget Winz, Magdalena Emmert, Leslie Smogor, Natalie Meyer, Monica Gordon, Debbie Davis, Laura Levine, Allison Johnson

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were reviewed from November. Motion to accept: 1st Angela Hansen 2nd Elizabeth Joyce All Approved.

Board

President- Jill Roberts- Welcomed all in attendance.

Spirit Wear- 54 ACES Shirts were sold and ACES earned \$112, might do another in the Spring.

Wizards Game- Thank you to Wendy Peterson who has arranged the date, which will be April 25th. The committee will begin organizing, will be recruiting ACES Staff and community members to participate. More information about ticket prices will be out soon.

Secretary-Crystal Rutherford reminded parents to join our ACES PTO Facebook Page to get reminders, as well as to visit/signup for email updates on our acespto.blogspot.com. Also, reminded parents that the tab along the top contains PTO files/documents, as well as forms that are sent home for easy printing.

Budget

The budget was presented by President Jill Roberts and reviewed. A question about the Book Fair/Library Fund will be looked into. Motion to accept: 1st-Angela Hansen, 2nd Leslie Smogor All approved Also, ACES PTO has received Federal Approval, which means donations can be tax exempt. Still waiting for state approval.

Principal's Report

Principal Johnson and Assistant Principal Hafenrichter discussed various activities going on this past month;

- Winter Concert was a great success with over 200 family members in attendance.
- Watch Dogs info. Meeting was a great success, over 150 dads/students attended and filled out calendar. (there will eventually be a link on school website.)
- School Improvement plan was presented to school board, and will soon be available on school website.
- Math intervention will be hired with Title 1 funds.
- Starboards are currently being mounted and installed in new teacher rooms.

- Traffic procedures are continuing to improve. Reminder to all parents to drop students off when the yellow curb starts. Labeled Map and video to soon be posted on website for all to view. Also a reminder that there is NO cell phone usage in parking lot.
- There will be helpful parent night for PARCC testing for all district parents to attend. (The PARCC is taking the place of ISAT this year.)

Teacher's Report

Teachers in attendance wanted to share the staff's appreciation for the dinner provided by the PTO.

New Business

- Holiday Parties- Every room has a head room parent. A few have stepped up to do a few rooms. Thank you to all of those parents who are helping out.
- Square for Credit Cards to use for carnival and family activities. Prices and pros/cons will be looked into and reported back to the Board.
- Game Night in January- input to see if event is needed to get through the winter. No volunteers to organize.
- ACES Carnival will be February 21st 10-2pm Committee will begin planning.

Committee Reports

Box Tops/Labels-Elizabeth Joyce/Jewel Wacker

- As of Dec. 15th approximately \$1,400 has been earned.
- Jewel purchased gift cards from labels for educations
- Parachute/Frisbees will be ordered
- Extra basketballs for recess will be ordered using leftover coke rewards

Restaurant Nights-Leslie Smogor

- \$122.79 was earned from Mongolian 211- Thanks to the staff who volunteered.
- Munchies will donate 10%- although their ice cream machine is down, so they will no longer be giving away free cones.
- January 21st will be Culver's Night-looking into have it on the Marquee, also looking into class party for top class to see if that is a possibility. Teachers can serve, so hope to have volunteers.

School Directory-Natalie Meyers

- Went to print and should be sent home soon.

Market Day-Deb Davis

- \$73.37 was earned this past month from orders.
- Beginning in January, Online Orders will now be due on Thursdays instead of Fridays.

Teacher Fall Dinner-

- Thank you to Lisa Casbarian, Monica Gordon, & Kris Smith for setting up and serving Salsa Verde to the staff during parent conferences

Committees that still need help:-Contact Jill Roberts if interested

Grants & Gifts-collect items for carnival raffle baskets/box top prizes from local businesses

Open Forum

- No questions or concerns

Upcoming Events

-1/13- Market Day Pickup

-1/21- Culver's Night

Next Meeting

Tuesday, January 13th 6pm Childcare will be provided- ALL are encouraged to attend. Goal is to wrap up by 7:30pm

Motion to adjourn was made by Jill at 7:23 PM and all accepted.