

PTO General Meeting
September 18, 2007

A. Welcome- Tyfanee Fugate, President

B. Innsbrooke Presentation- Colleen Nuffer and Diane from Innsbrooke

This year we are using Innsbrooke as the supplier for our fundraiser. A single packet will go home with the oldest child in a family. We are encouraging a team approach to sales this year. The family will be encouraged to solicit sales as a family to eliminate some sibling rivalry over who gets to sell to Grandma. There will be new items offered so check the catalog out when it comes home. We will also use one check per family to pay for orders. Orders are due by Oct. 12 and will be delivered mid November. This is our largest single fundraiser. We have a goal of 10,500.00 profit for this year.

C. Budget- Julie Eihausen

Julie reported that we have enough funds left from last years budget to complete the purchase of lumens carts for the rest of the JRES classrooms. We have a tax liability that is currently being appealed with the IRS. The PTO budget was presented and was approved.

D. New fundraising goal – Tyfanee Fugate

After discussing different ideas for a fundraising goal we voted Sun Safety as the goal for 2007/ 2008. We are looking into the process of obtaining one or two sunshades to be installed on the playground. We may be able to obtain a grant to offset some of the costs. One preliminary estimate for a 16 x 32 foot structure was 15,000.00 for materials and installation. The Park City School District will need to approve any such structure. We will focus on sun safety education throughout the year. Many positive comments were made by parents for ideas surrounding sun safety.

E. Chair reports

Fall Fun Festival- Tammy Aglaure & Dawn Molinaro

The Fall Fun Festival will be October 19th from 4-7 pm. This is a FAMILY event and we are encouraging parents to accompany their children. Costumes are great but not required. We still need some volunteers to help with spook alley. Julie Walker is heading up the cakewalk this year. We need cakes and pies for this event. They can be store bought so bring a cake or pie if you can.

Newsletter – Tyfanee Fugate

Submission deadlines are the 20th of Sept. The first newsletter should go out around Oct 1st. Please E-mail in any submissions. The first newsletter will be a hardcopy with subsequent newsletters being sent through email. A number of hardcopies will be available in the roller by the front doors.

Banking and Boxtops – Amy Cutt

We are looking for a volunteer to help collect funds for the banking program. Please contact Amy if you can help out or would like more information.

Linda Haessler volunteered to chair the Boxtops program. She has volunteered in this capacity at a previous school and is familiar with administering the program. Thanks Linda.

F. PTO Business

Foreign Language Update – Julie Eihausen

Julie reported that she is in talks with the PCSD over how the foreign language teachers are paid and what tax consequences are involved. We are trying to keep the costs of the program affordable and ensure that the teachers are paid in a timely fashion.

District PTO meeting dates – Tyfanee Fugate

Nov. 1st 9-10:30 AM / Jan. 10th 9-10:30 / March 6th 9-10:30 / May 1st 9-10:30

G. Principals Report – Mrs. Wallace

Mrs. Wallace announced that Erin Corvaia has been hired to teach First grade. There will be 4 sections of first grade with 19 to 22 students per class. She has requested that the staff cuts that took place this year be rescinded and that the previous staffing be reenacted. The cuts were based on projected decreases in attendance when there has actually been an increase. Please forward your e-mail addresses to your child's teacher so we can forward pertinent information and cut down on the volume of paper that goes home. Please drop off your children in the designated drop off areas and not by the kindergarten or teachers parking areas.

H. Rumor Control – Mrs. Wallace

A car stopped to ask 2 students if they wanted a ride after they had left school property. It is not known if this was a stranger or possibly a parent that knows the children. In any case it is important that parents only pick up their own children. A

discussion surrounding school security was held. The importance of signing in, wearing name badges and only entering through the front door was stressed.

AYP- Annual Yearly Progress

Mrs. Wallace reported that JRES passed with a Y* (yes asterisk) indicating that while we did pass some subsets require additional work

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