



PTO General Meeting Minutes ----- February 10, 2015 at Beaver Creek Elementary

<p>Joint Elementary PTO Meeting at Beaver Creek Elementary</p>	<p>7:00pm- Lawson Principal Tricia Garmore welcomed PTO groups. Summit Middle School PTO president Stacy Steveson encouraged next year Summit parents to participate in Summit PTO. Meetings are 1st Tuesdays of each month. Johnston School Superintendent Dr. Corey Lunn spoke to the PTO groups. Reviewed surveys, feedback, and goals for how Johnston schools are doing, and what future could bring. He has been visiting all the schools and obtaining feedback from teachers, students and parents. Feel free to twitter or email him with questions/comments. Next school board meeting is Feb 23rd. A big thank you to Beaver Creek PTO for hosting with door prizes and treats.</p>
<p>TR Meeting Start</p>	<p>Called to order by Julie Fortin at 7:50pm on 2/10/15. Introductions of all in attendance</p>
<p>PTO Meeting Minutes</p>	<p>Meeting Minutes reviewed. Motion to approve Jan 2015 PTO General Meeting minutes made by Lacey Giunta, 2nd by Selena McClish, all in favor, passed.</p>
<p>Treasurer's Report</p>	<p>Reviewed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total Assets balance is \$53,932, consisting of: Checking account \$33,538, scrip account \$100, and Playground CDs for \$20,300. Committed funds of \$1400 for Grants, \$5500 for Mimeo boards, \$1053 to Art dept from 2014 Original Works sales, \$255 for Kids Bank front. Adjusted non allocated balance is \$25,430. The 2014-15 year Net revenue is \$16,339 and funds spent are \$15,734.
<p>Committee Updates</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Purple Party</u> (Mary S) – Saturday Jan 31st 330-730pm at JHS. We had very generous items donated and made 10 large auction baskets. Event was fun. Pop, cake, chip donations seemed to be adequate for entire length of event. Possibly not as crowded as previous years, maybe due to snowstorm. Beaver Creek opted not to participate this year. • <u>Hospitality</u> (Amy W) – Feb 10th Chocolate Feast day for staff was a hit, had 120 dozen donated goodies. Next event is the Staff Conference Meal on Thurs Mar 5th. Catered in main dish, but need desserts and drinks donated – see Raquel Ball or volunteer spot to sign up. • <u>Family Events</u> (Lacey G) –Tubing/Snow fun day at Sleepy Hollow was a good turn-out, about 50 attended. Next events are in April (IA Cubs) and May (Fun Run). • <u>Skate Party</u> – Thurs Feb 26th 6-8pm at Skate North, \$6. Last two are April 16th and May 7th. • <u>Spring Book Fair</u> (Beth A) – “Under the Sea” theme. Set up on Friday Feb 27th and Teacher preview with snacks after school. Book fair runs March 2nd – 10th daytime and 2 eves on conference nights March 5th and 10th. Each classroom has signed up for time for kids to go through and make wish lists or purchases. Still need more helpers. 3 hour shifts available, or help set up/tear down. Sign up on Volunteer spot or contact PTO. • <u>Original works Art</u> (Marcie S) – Art work being sent in by art teacher Robb Spellman on Friday Feb 13th. Magnets to be delivered back to school on Feb 27th. Will be sent home by March 6th and then \$, orders or unpurchased magnets due back after spring break. Additional orders will be sent into OW on 4/6 and will be delivered back here by 4/27 to send home. • <u>Yearbook</u> (Michele C) – Order forms were sent home. More options this year (soft or hard cover, current events, personalized, stickers). Parents/teachers can send in classroom photos from events to folder on google drive or to PTO board to forward to yearbook committee. • <u>5th Grade Memory book/celebration</u> (Penny D) – Each 5th grade class will vote on “Best” list at Valentine party, then tallied and used in memory book. Send 5th grade event pictures to Penny for memory book. Only one more 5th grader Kindergarten pic to obtain for book. Celebration location is still being decided. Sack lunch and afternoon activities will be at park across street. • <u>Educational Rebates/box tops</u> (Renee H/Sara W) -Due into school by Feb 20th. Homeroom helpers will trim, sort and count and return back to PTO mailbox at school office by Feb 26th. Renee and Sara will collect and mail them. Class with the most gets pizza party.
<p>New Business</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short discussion about some of the students' responses to the STEM Assembly.
<p>Adjourned</p>	<p>At 8:27pm; motion to adjourn made by Beth Arnold, 2nd by Anne Sheeley, passed.</p>
<p>Attendance</p>	<p>Julie Fortin-Klahn, Anne Sheeley, Marcie Simons, Amy Withers, Mary Skinner, Beth Arnold, Lacey Giunta, Selena McClish.</p>

Reminder – See you at next meeting: Tuesday Mar 3, 2015 at 7:30pm at TimberRidge Library

(Note: date changed due to conferences and book fair night on March 10th and time adjusted for 5th grade Band Solo night on March 3rd)



Agenda

Timber Ridge PTO Meeting

Tuesday March 3, 2015 @ 7:30pm in TR Library Media Center

1. Welcome and introductions – President Julie Fortin
2. Review/Approval of meeting minutes – Secretary Marcie Simons
3. Financial report – Treasurer Sandy Lindgren
4. Committee Updates:
 - Hospitality – Tammy D/Amy W/Raquel B
 - Spring Book Fair– Beth A, March 2-10th
 - Educational Rebates/Box tops –Sara W/Renee H
 - Original Art Works –Marcie S
 - 5th Grade Celebration/Memory Book – Penny D
 - Yearbook – Michele C
5. Old Business –
6. New Business – PTO fee increase, Bank name update and By-Laws updates
7. Timber Ridge news –Cheryl Henkenius
8. Disbursement requests –
9. Adjourn
10. REMINDERS: **Next meeting will be Tuesday April 14, 2015 at 7pm in TR LMC**