

Franklin  Meeting Minutes for October 23, 2014

Board members Jeanette K., Tina P., Monica W.

Call to order

Approval of Minutes from September: 1st motion: Mark Dupke 2nd motion: Daisy Bowe

Membership Report: Tina Piraino, Bindu Pithadia- 335 Directories ordered

Principal's Report/ ELF updates: Mr. Dan Walsh

- Camp Duncan was great; great group well behaved
- Schedule Parent teacher conferences if you have not done so already
- Report cards out 11/21
- Principals Blog starting next week
- Planting a tree in memory of Mrs. Susan Rice
- No School on 11/4- Election Day
- Mc Teacher Night- Success
- Elf- Events- Casino Night January 24, 2015, Gotta run for Education- 5K run, Free Movie at Pickwick

Superintendent Dr. Laurie Heinz could not make the meeting, will reschedule.

NO Teacher Spotlights

New Business

- State Senate Bill (SB16)- Monica Wojnicki- Go to website and read about Bill, it affects our school district
- Family Fun Fest- tickets online-\$6, \$8 at the door, please donate items assigned in each classroom
- Red Ribbon Week- anti-drug campaign, new theme everyday
- Tax Returns- Need a volunteer accountant to file returns- (A Parent Volunteered)
- Illinois PTA vacancy- This is vacancy at the IL PTA- please go to the website to learn more
- Winterfest- We Need a chairperson for this event; Linda Peterson will continue to do the baskets
- Recycling Club- Ms. Hetzke- Kids very excited; bringing back Waste free Wednesdays, will sell products(not for profit), looking for parent volunteer to make flyers
- District Classes- ABC of school board Service, Concussion prevention and safety, Parent University- The Organized Child, Please go to the website for days and times.
- Keyboarding without tears-PTA granted Mrs. Sutter (a 1 year license for about 30 students. Teaching them the fundamentals of keyboarding, computer skills, meets common core standards
- Online book making- made us a thank you card book. Students are enjoying the program.
- Thinking of events for the kids to go and do that's fun. Wolves' night Feb 22.

Committee Reports

- **PNO- \$515/ Mc Teacher Night** : Cathie Hirsh/ Gina Fadin- \$680 total raised and \$230 in tips
- **Yankee Candles**(Jackie Balduf/ Julie Zambuto)- \$3500 plus on line sales- \$4100, delivery is on Nov. 13 3-4:30.
- **Kidstuff** (Mark Dupke) 96 books were sold, net profit 1200. Much better job of being accountable.
- **Charleston Wrap** (Bindu Pithadia/ Gabi Dinello)- Sold 3800/ 700 on line and 3100 paper orders. Distributed Nov. 20
- **Hot Lunch**: Daisy Bowe- kids like the food, working out logistics of the tables. Send out email blasts for reminder from Healthy kids kitchen.
- **Donuts with Dad**: Mary Maestranzi - Went well, spent large donuts and fruit. 550 people came, well planned
- **Cultural Arts**: Janine Paprocki- , Friday, December 19th (Day before Christmas break), The Jesse White Tumblers All-School Assembly in the gym probably 2:15

Friday, January 9th, Storyteller Chris Fascione, 9:00-K-2, 10:00-3-5

- **Franklin Fit**: Maureen Hartwig/ Donna Kotty- Yoga night; Went very well, up Next: Karate night and Crossfit for kids
- **Wolves Night**- Working Feb.22. Pricing will be available soon.
- **Spirit Wear**: Monica Wojnicki- Profit \$400 so far. Still selling on the website.

8:30 Motion to Adjourn- 2nd motions to adjourn

Respectively Submitted:

Tina M. Piraino

Co-Secretary