**Minutes October 8th, 2018 PTO**

* Opening Prayer by Stephanie Krizan
* Fall Family Fun Event - Friday, October 12th 6-8pm
* Need parents to volunteer for helping during the event and
* CLEAN UP help needed after event, many hands equal light work!
* 6 large and 3 mini pumpkins needed—Thank you Jennifer Davis
* Glow stick bracelets—Thank you Christi Krantz
* Dum dum suckers—Thank you Darcie Hartzell
* Instead of cakes, cupcakes and cookies for cake walk there will be guessing jars provided by Jennifer Davis
* **Candy and/or Trinket donations needed for prizes, Due Thursday 10/11. NO PEANUT items please. (trinkets=spider rings, bounce balls etc) Please contact Emilee Thornton : emileethornton@gmail.com for questions**.
* Chicken is provided by the PTO, please bring a dish or dessert to pass. No peanut items please.
* Brown bags for the children to decorate as their prize bags will be provided (thank you Darcie) in the lunch room after they have finished eating.
* Spaghetti Feed - Thursday, October 25th
* **Help needed** to put out signs on Friday, October 19th, signs will need to be picked up on Thursday the 18th as that is an early release day. Those who put out signs will need to pick them up on Oct 26th also.

Joelle has a master list of places where they are normally staked.

* **Help needed on the 5:45-8 pm shift**
* **Help needed on the day of to set up lunch room**
* **This is a big fundraiser for our school and a good way to take care of your mandatory volunteer hours ☺**
* Food items still needed-There is a list in the hallway and on the CLS PTO facebook page.
* Putting posters up around town

**Please see Joelle Sedivy or Christi Krantz if you are able to help out**!

* Still looking for **volunteers** for:
**1) Wed lunch Recess & Friday AM recess
2) Spaghetti Dinner Oct 25th from 5:45-8:00 shift**
3) Art Room Coordinator--Thank you Jennifer Davis for volunteering!
4) Head of Auction Committee--Thank you Christi Krantz for volunteering!

5) VP of PTO--Thank you Jennifer Davis for volunteering!

* PM PTO Meeting-Christi Krantz will create a poll for the CLS PTO page (found on facebook, please join our online group!) to see if there is an interest in a PTO meeting later in the day. There is also discussion on holding meetings before school begins in September, in January and in May of the school year in the evenings. PTO would love input from parents on this.
* 1st Annual Fall Expo Saturday, November 17th
* Vendors needed $30- 10’x10’ space and $5 for electricity-This event to be held in the Gym.
* Food in lunch room – Chili cook off? Idea was presented to have a chili cook-off in the lunchroom the same time as the Expo. Customers would be able to purchase a cup and dine as they please on any of the chili offered. Customers could then vote on which is best. Breadsticks and Brownies may also be provided.
* Book Fair – Dec 10th and 11th Stephanie Krizan has asked a coordinator (waiting response). Darcie, Emilee and Christi will be able to help. An organizer is still needed for this, please contact Christi Krantz if you are able and willing to coordinate this for our school.
* Teacher Requests/Needs

 –1st/2nd grade--privacy/testing blinds

--3/4th grade--17 big pink erasers

--2nd grade--pencil pals (on the desk to keep pencils in place)

--All --paperclips Big/small

--All --laminating pouches

--All --binder clips-variety pack

--Jennifer Davis will order paint for the art room

* Fundraiser Ideas

The brick project has passed the school board! The church will coordinate with Mr. Polzin on the landscape ideas. More info to come soon.

Penny Wars to be rolled out in Jan-more info at next mtg -Christi Krantz.

Toppers pizza doughnation tentatively sched for Feb-Christi Krantz

Monk’s has agreed to host another fundraiser night! Watch for details, tentatively set for Nov 15th.

Subway in Altoona and inside the Eau Claire Walmart have also agreed to host a fundraiser for our school! Details on that are coming soon! Any questions please contact Jennifer Davis.

Pink Flamingo/forking front yard was presented by Jennifer Davis; a committee will need to be formed.

Amazon Smile is offering a promotion for our school! More details coming soon! –Christi Krantz.

Bake Sale at Christmas to be discussed at next meeting.

* Other topics discussed

The handles on the paper towel dispenser in the girls bathroom is difficult for the students to use and an adult has been needed to assist. There is a battery operated dispenser in storage and Kelly Hayes will discuss with building staff.

A discussion on more notice and help for the all-school-clean day in the start and end of the school year. Perhaps additional days are needed. Info may be sent in the orientation packet.

* Close in prayer by Stephanie Krizan