

PTO Minutes 1/14/2020

Opening Prayer-Jennifer Davis

Old Business and Review:

November minutes, Approved by E. Thornton. Budget report was given.

Expo and Chili Contest review (11/23) All went well, CLS profited around \$700 from the event. Fund allocation is TBD.

Christmas Program (12/9, 10), bake sale, book fair review (12/8, 9 and 10). Changing the day of the program will be beneficial for all involved due to set up and tear down in the sanctuary. Proposal to have the all school rehearsal on a Monday, and performances on Tuesday and Wednesday. Bake sale was successful raising \$641.60. We will be looking at storing the items in airtight containers. Teacher wish list from proceeds of the book fair have been ordered.

New Business:

Spelling bee (1/15) Thank you to B. Smylie and J. Johnson for running this event. Thank you to the kitchen staff for baking the alphabet cookies for the reception after this event.

Class pictures were taken prior to the spelling bee.

Spirit week and talent show (1/27-31) Discussion held on a 'reward' during spirit week. A decision made based on the highest % of participation of the classes will result in extra recess time.

Auction meetings every Monday, 8am (mark your calendars: Hallie Eagle's Club 4/18 5:00) We are looking at changing things up this year! Please join us at the meetings to voice your ideas and opinions.

Sweetheart's Lunch (2/13) Our cooks will provide dessert for this event as well. Check out the February newsletter for details.

Donation drive (2/1-23) - Sweet Dreams foster program. Bins will be located in the narthex and the school wing for the month of February. See February newsletter for requested items and description of program.

Sock Hop (2/14, 12:30-2:00)

Volunteers needed - popcorn, chaperones, skirts, decor, dj, activities. **We'd love to have a few parents join us during this fun event! Décor can be put up that day after morning drop off, please lend a hand if you can, this is a really easy task!** E. Thornton will see if DJ Cook is available. J. Davis will put together a trail mix as a snack for the kids and J. Johnson will get the water bottles and hand out snacks in the art room. Drinks and snacks will be labeled with names. S. Krizan will look into the quality of the hula hoops in the back of the gym. E. Thornton will also be able to do adjustments on the skirts. Activities include hula hoop contest, limbo, bean bag toss, hopscotch, balloon drop and music. **Students look forward to this event every year!**

Fundraisers:

Penny War between classes to be held in February. C. Krantz to coordinate and keep track of weekly totals. Proceeds will go towards the all school trip bus cost (\$350).

Up for Discussion:

PTO Communication - How to improve? **LET US KNOW**

Evening meeting a success? Three teachers and seven parents (including the four officers) were in attendance.

Additions to Agenda?

Closing Prayer