

Chippewa Elementary School PSO Meeting 5/11/2011

The meeting was called to order at 9:35am by PSO President Kathy Mack.

Welcome and Presidents' Report

Mrs. Moore needs volunteers for the art show this Friday. Next year Mrs. Moore will have a room parent to help with coordinating volunteers.

We need Market Day volunteers for next Tuesday (5/17).

We need volunteers for the Audit Committee.

There are still committee positions open for next year.

Our school supply sale is going on. Order information is on the website.

Staff Appreciation Week was a success. Thanks to Kim Robatin and Laura Redinger for organizing it.

A report was given by the presidents to PSO Council including a list of things they accomplished this year. Here are those accomplishments: new website, eliminated paper distribution, weekly e-mail, purchased a popcorn machine, and created new opportunities for family involvement (tailgate night, dads and kids movie night, ski club).

Mrs. Moore was named this year's Friend of the PSO. She was given a pass to the Art Museum for her family.

Gifts and Goals- We are purchasing Ipads for classroom use, screen protectors, and protective cases. We are also purchasing a digital bulletin board to replace the bulletin board currently located by the main door. A motion was made by Kelly Petkunas to purchase these items. It was seconded by Julie Guardado. Motion passed.

Changes to bylaws:- There will be between four and seven PSO meetings each year at the discretion of the executive board. Membership will be made an executive board position. The website will be updated weekly or as needed. A motion was made by Lila Tamulewicz and seconded by Laura Redinger. Motion passed.

Thank you to this year's executive board.

The executive board for next year was installed.

Board Reports

Honorary VP- Mrs. Chambers- Earth Week was a success. Kindergarten screening went well. The third graders had OAA testing. The results from those tests come in June. The kids set reading score goals. Any kid who meets their goal will get an ice cream gift certificate.

The Art Show is Friday from 7-8:30pm. Mrs. Moore has done a great job and put in a lot of effort this year.

Third grade music classes have invited parents in for a recorder performance.

Parent volunteers are an integral part of our school. Thanks to all the volunteers.

Teacher representative- Mrs. Cochran. Mrs. Bonezzi needs volunteers for Field Day. Thanks for a great Teacher Appreciation week. The volunteer appreciation breakfast is Thursday, May 19th from 8:15-9am.

PSO Council – The superintendent is still positive about the levy. The percentage of voters in favor of the levy has gone up. We have 95 master teachers. We have more master teachers than any other district in the state. We are one of twenty five districts being honored by the College Board for test scores. The Middle School plant sale is May 24th from 3-8pm. Central is having a blood drive in May.

Treasurers Report- Cash on hand as of 4/12 is \$18246.49. Cash on hand as of 5/11 is \$19,200.49. We received money from Boxtops and Heinens. Remaining expenses for this year: Gifts and Goals purchases, pizza for the last day of school, and Teacher Appreciation expenses.

All day kindergarten participates in Field Day on the last day of school. Half day kindergarten room moms need to submit a check request for pizza for the end of the year party. They get \$20 toward pizza.

Meeting adjourned at 10:50am.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Dzina

Recording Secretary