

**Crone Middle School
PTSA General Meeting Minutes
May 9, 2011**

Call to Order – 10:21AM

Attendees: Maria Neufeld (President), Karen Amundsen (Vice President, Committees), Holly Ramsdell (Vice President, Administration, Diane Borske (Treasurer), Tricia Tillotson (Secretary) recording, Allan Davenport, Elizabeth Pohlmann, Julie Thompson, Louie Williams, June Kurtenbach, Melanie Stevens and Karen Ross, Beth Wisner

Review of April Minutes – Minutes reviewed and approved.

President's Report

- **Staff Appreciation Week** – Went well, received many thank you cards, the mailbox goodies were very popular.
- **Volunteer Dessert** – Thank you to the students & Mrs. Samuelson. It was very well done & received many compliments from the volunteers.
- **President Meeting** – Educational Reform Bill: evaluating staff & tenure. Rewrite K-8 Educational practices from audit results. Move support into the classroom instead of pulling kids out.
- **Motions** – August Back to School Lunch \$500 & \$200 for Staff Appreciation gifts approved.
- **Thank you from Miriam Travegia** – thank you for the flowers after her surgery.

Committee Reports

- Treasurer
 - Checkbook balance as of 5/9/11 is \$15,828.72
 - Added Crone Fitness Center budget line item
- School Supply Kits
 - Taking orders until 5/27/11
- Staff Appreciation Week
 - Luncheon 5/20/11
- Spirit Wear
 - Orders in & delivered, had a couple of returns. Considering other vendors for next year.
- End of Year Celebrations
 - 6th grade – 6/6 Ice Cream Party, going good
 - 7th grade – 6/6 Fun Day with ice cream, games & a DJ at Commissioner Park
 - 8th grade fun day – 6/6 Carnival

- 8th grade dance – June 3rd 7-9 Red Carpet Event
- PDAC
 - April - “Why does my child ... math, reading & science”
 - May – Parent perspectives on promoting awareness in classrooms
- Principals Report
 - Wrap up of the end of the year ... Mr Davenport thanked the outgoing board members & presented the board with books donated to the LMC in their honor.
 - Farewell to Sarah & Elizabeth : (

Upcoming Events

- 5/14 Fine Arts Festival
- 5/20 No School – Staff Appreciation Lunch
- 5/30 No School – Crone Band Memorial Day Parade
- 6/3 8th Grade Transitions and Dance
- 6/6 8th Grade Fun Day
- 6/6 6th & 7th Grade End of Year Celebrations
- 6/7 Last Day of School for 6th & 7th Grade

- **Adjourned – 11:05am**

New Board takes over for 2011-2012 school year:

President ~ Louie Williams

Vice President, Administration ~ June Kurtenbach

Vice President, Committees ~ Melanie Stevens

Secretary ~ Holly Ramsdell

Treasurer ~ Diane Borske