

Crone Middle School

PTSA General meeting minutes

January 7th, 2013

Call to order – 10:18am

Attendees: Sherry Needham,(President), Heidi Holm (VP Admin), June Kurtenbach(VP Committees) recording, Allen Davenport, Mike Dutdud, Autumn Desiderio, Ann Meier, Dawne Martin.

Budget/Treasurer's Report:

Balance as of 1/7/2013 \$21,067.00 – only activity school supplies

President's Report:

- Picked up Meier's Gift Card donation to use for events at end of year
- Granger principal mentioned 8 homeless families at their school
- Mr. Cornaya wants us to serve popcorn to 7th graders for movie Jan 18th at 1pm – need volunteers – Ann Meier and Sherry Needham offered, will check with Nyurka

Committee Reports:

- Alternative Funding: Culvers money needs to move from Crone to PTSA. No dollar amount yet for December Chick-filet, low turnout due to weather. Planning another Culvers and BWW
- Membership: Few additions
- Dance Refreshments: Next Dance Feb 15th – details next month
- Staff Appreciation: Planning to ask volunteers to make lasagna for teachers for upcoming teacher conferences Feb 19 – will purchase salad and bread.

Principals Report:

- 6th grade elective sheets will be distributed to elementary schools and discussed at PTA meetings over next two weeks. Sherry Needham invited to attend
- Math Club Competition @ Granger this past weekend, 4 students participated in Bridge Building and took 1st and 2nd places out of 20 teams.
- Safety changes – before entering must now identify purpose of visit and name. Taking more time away from front desk, could use parent volunteers during peak lunch hours 10am-1pm.

- Feb meeting will have Allison Sherman, Director of Core Curriculum from the district to speak.
- New Secretary for Staff Laura Bartos started for Principal Davenport, Listserve requests will now be handled by Angie Chung.
- New school year calendar out – 8/22/13 start date
- Family Night scheduled for March 13th, replaced girls and boys nights.
- Looking at booking Chris Holyfield – “Got respect Tour” www.gotrespecttour.com went to HS with a Watch Dog dad, 4’ 4” man from WWF, motivational speaker with anti-bullying message. \$800 if with a partner school; does presentation than interacts with kids throughout the day.
- 8th Grade course planning info avail on Tuesday, all will be done on-line. Jan 16 - Open House at Neuqua Valley for parents and 8th graders

Meeting adjourned 10:46am.