

HANCE PTO MINUTES
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2008

ATTENDEES

Suzie Schietroma
Kathy Bauer
Amy Snyder
Nikki Woodrow
Margaret Lacek
Helen McCarthy
Ann Allen
Kim Smelser
JoAnne Lazarro

Jen Nicotra
Sabrina George
Nancy Buszinski
Adriana Alatorre
Rosie O'Grady Ravish
Aimee Pavlick
Jane Gessner
Barb Cornibe

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

- A. President's Report –Kathy Bauer & Sabrina George – she introduced herself and thanked everyone for attending the meeting.
- B. Principal's Report – Dr. Pysch
- C. Vice President's Report – Michelle Gierl & Nikki Woodrow
- D. Secretary's Report – Amy Snyder- Thank yous were distributed. Minutes from September were reviewed and a motion was made by Kim Smelser, seconded by Anne Allen to approve the minutes.
- E. Treasurer's Report- Margaret Lacek – The budget was reviewed and motion was made by Kathy Bauer and seconded by Rosie O'Grady Ravish to approve budget.

II. GUEST SPEAKERS- Mrs. Barb Cornibe introduced herself and explained her emphasis was on Science. She went on to discuss Science at Pine-Richland and how there are five parts: 1. ASSESTS 2. Notebooks 3. MacMillan-McGraw Hill 4. Environmental Standards. She further provided information about ASSETS which is a non-profit program with grant money, 165 schools use it, it uses a standard based curriculum, professional development is provided, science notebooks are utilized and environmental education, and lastly it provides first, second and last hand learning.

III. COMMITTEES

- A. Friday Flash –Jill Gruber
- B. Fantastic Fun Friday – October 3 crazy hair day
- C. Apples for Students-Sabrina George reported if you are already registered it will roll over to this year.
- D. 660 STAR Summer reading- Theresa Weaver 52 kids attend
- E. After School Program-Aimee Pavlic Oct 14-Nov 16 class size limited. Christine's Painting Place30 kids enrolled & Lab Rats- Science club 15 kids enrolled. Terry Wentz will offer a free cooking class which is full.

- F. Assemblies-Kristen Hasley- Nov 17th @ 2:00 the Great Color caper from the Carnegie science Center
- G. Birthday bulletin Board-Nicole Lewis
- H. Book fair-Adriana Alatorre, Jane Gessner, & Helen McCarthy reported that sold \$7000 in book sales, \$1300 given to the library for books, \$1200 given to by books in the classrooms
- I. Cash for Trash-Linda Romano -Box top due on Oct 17th and winners announced on Oct 20th, Box tops raised \$98 and Campbell's raised \$152 thus far
- J. Directory-Candy Tierno should have hard copy within the next two weeks
- K. Fall Fundraiser-Trish Golla \$7000 in orders and orders will be taken through 10/3
- L. Grandparent's Day-Suzie Schietroma 10/8; morning-grades K, 1, 2 & 3, afternoon K 9:45 registration, 10:00 welcome, 10:10 Classrooms, 11:00 departure, need volunteers
- M. Ice cream social-Kim Smelser & Linda Romano \$233 in profit
- N. Market Day- Nancy Buszinski & Nikki Woodrow 58 orders for September
- O. Popcorn Days-Diane Guidas
- P. School Pictures-Tracy Settembrino 10/17
- Q. Outreach- Nancy Wagner & Nicole Lewis
- R. Spirit Week- Adriana Alatorre
 - Mon 10/6 Pennant
 - Tues 10/7 Poster
 - Wed 10/8 Tattoo
 - Thur 10/9 Green/ White

IV. EXECUTIVE BOARD VOTE