

Minutes
Lakeshore Elementary School PTO Board
October 20, 2011

The Lakeshore Elementary School Board met at Lakeshore Elementary School Art Room on October 20th, 2011 at 2:30pm.

Members Present: See attached sign in sheet.

Old Business

Vicki reviewed the minutes from last meeting and everybody agreed they were accurate and could be put to record.

New Business

Boosterthon

The group discussed the Boosterthon meeting on October 18th. The feedback from the teachers was all positive. Mrs. Hinson reviewed the Boosterthon pep rally schedule. Vicki introduced a teacher contest for Boosterthon. The teacher with the best bulletin board will win tickets to Great Wolf Lodge. The contest ends on October 28th 2011. Vicki says that there is not much need for volunteers for Boosterthon because the Boosterthon people do it all. The PTO board does need to be present for money count days. Mrs. Hinson reviews the dates she has scheduled as money count days: November 10th, November 15th, and November 17th.

Wireless Internet and new technology

Vicki reviews the details of the new wireless internet that will be installed.

Book Fair

Vicki reviews the sales for the book fair. The group discusses how more volunteers can be obtained next time. How long lines can be avoided next time. There is suggestions about using a volunteer web site to obtain and confirm parent volunteers and scheduling the student visit times differently.

Ways and Means

Vicki reviews recent box top numbers. April has had the advertising board out in front to the school repainted and all the slots have been sold. April is still in the process of negotiating pricing with a sign company. April once again reinforces the importance of continuing to promote the fund raising items that are already in place such as box tops, Harris Teeter card, Target debit card, food lion, Campbell soup labels and coke rewards. Group discusses how the board can remind parents to link their cards up. Vicki reminds group of how Bank of America and Wells Fargo will match the donations that their employees make. April asks if anybody has any feedback as to what else we can do to raise money.

Treasurer's report

Vicki reviews the quick books balance vs. the bank balance. Book fair money and art money has not been distributed yet. Pretzel day made \$400. Vicki says a new accountant is needed and she is in the process of getting bids.

Teacher Reimbursements

Vicki says checks are cut she's waiting on signatures.

Teacher workshops

Haley Baumgartner makes a request for PTO to fund teacher development work shops. Vicki says this year teachers can use their \$200 reimbursement checks for the workshop and there can be a discussion about including professional development in next year's budget.

Meeting adjourned

Vicki asks if anybody has any questions or anything to add. Vicki adjourns the meeting.