

Feltwell Elementary School

PTO Meeting Minutes

October 6, 2008 - 3:15pm

Board Members:

Andrea Wood, President
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Program Chairs:

Box Tops & Campbell's Labels	coordinator needed
Field Day	(June 2009)
Hedgehog Hangout	Nicole Bauer
Dads & Donuts	Amanda Ruiz & Sherry Cornett
Moms & Muffins	coordinator needed
Reading Counts	Arlene Cybak, Misty Harris and Angela Zilch
RIF	Lisa Beers
Secret Santa Store	coordinator needed
School Store	Isabell Coad
Spirit Day	volunteers needed
Spring Carnival/Fling	(Spring 2009)
Teacher Appreciation	(Spring 2009)

Old Business

Dads & Donuts: Scheduled for October 24, 2008 from 7:30 to 8:20. Anyone interested in helping with clean up, please let us know.

PTO Membership Drive: Ms. Eversman, Ms. Minger, Ms. Shoff/Ms. Wolfe and Ms. Wilson's classes were the winners. They will be awarded with their popcorn party within the next couple weeks.

Reading Counts: Arlene Cybak, Misty Harris and Angela Zilch have volunteered to help.

RIF (Reading is Fundamental): Lisa Beers has volunteered to help.

SAC meeting: It is suggested that a representative from the PTO attend so that both organizations are able to work together.

School Pictures: Picture day is scheduled for October 28, 2008. Lunch will be provided for the photographer(s). Anyone interested in assisting with the kids, please let us know.

School Spirit: School shirts and students wearing school colors on Friday's will be counted. Class with the highest number will be rewarded with the School Spirit trophy and a treat.

Teacher Appreciation: The PTO provided all new dishes, cookware, bakeware, utensils, etc. for the lounge makeover. Still working on getting a new oven and refrigerator.

New Business

Lunchtime Reward: Have not started this year, not sure if or when it will start. There is/was a \$500.00 budget for that program.

School/Home Partnership Program: Needs a coordinator and others to help. It includes other programs (Mentoring Club, Math, Data Analysis, etc.) that help the school and families build strong relationships. See Ms. Parker or staff at the front office for more information.

School Shirts: We need to restock school shirts. Special order on certain sizes might be possible.

Secret Santa Store: Still need several volunteers to help. Anyone interested, please let us know ASAP as we need to begin shopping.

✓ Next PTO Meeting: Monday, November 3, 2008 at 3:15pm

Funds Requests

~ *Brain Pop, Jr.:* Requesting a subscription for K – 2nd that cost \$115.00/year. – Pending

~ *Cultural Arts:* Requesting \$2,400.00 for four days for author Stewart Ross to come to the school. He will be spending time with all grades to talk to them about writing and showing them different techniques. – Approved

~ *Electronics:* Mr. Case is requesting \$75.00 to purchase 15 microphones for communication in the Computer Lab. – Approved

~ *First Grade Teachers:* Requesting funds to pay for guided level reading books for each of the 1st grade classes. Cost is \$725.70/teacher. – Approved

~ *Gardening Club & Health Club:* Ms. Veasey is requesting an additional \$200.00 to purchase more bulbs for the fall and spring sessions. – Pending

~ *PTO:* Requesting around \$10.00 for a 2-tier box for mail and funds request. – Approved

~ *PTO:* Requesting between \$1,000.00 and \$1,700.00 for a new laptop that will be used for the Yearbook Committee as well as a financial database. – Approved

~ *Reading Counts Tests:* Ms. Hersey would like \$166.00 to purchase some new testing materials. – Approved

*Meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.