

## February 2014 PTO Minutes

Date: February 27, 2014

Members Present: Carrie Aube, Kim Marcotte, Jane Bopp, Deb Lorenzo, Chantal Walker, Sue Palfrey

Members Absent: Rick Hogan, Gail Meyer

1. 3X3 Basketball Tournament will not be rescheduled.
2. Winter Fun Day was a success! Lots of great feedback from both students and faculty.
3. Wendy Morrissette Bench Request.
  - a. Wendy would like help with her son, Andrew's, ceremony to dedicate the benches he made for the courtyard and to recognize his hard work.
  - b. Ceremony to be held in the courtyard on May 13th at 2:30pm.
  - c. PTO will provide light refreshments (plan for about 20 people).
  - d. Jane Bopp will put this announcement on the PTO website.
4. Ben Mikaelson, author of Touching Spirit Bear.
  - a. Will visit the MS on April 15th and meet with 6th grade students.
  - b. Morong Falmouth will fund his visit.
  - c. Jane Bopp will put this announcement on the PTO website.
5. 8GFW.
  - a. Souvenir bags are ordered and ready to be picked up. Video and class photo will be placed in each bag as well.
  - b. Bueno Loco, FHOP and Five Guys (South Portland location) will all hold an evening where they will donate part of their proceeds to the 8GFW committee. Announcements for these events will all be in the Principal's Notes as well.
6. Spring Grant Budget.
  - a. Carrie will check with Gail to determine how much money the PTO has in it's spring grant budget.
  - b. I was informed that the amount is \$1500.00.
7. Bulletin Board.
  - a. Will be decorated with an advertisement for the upcoming Talent Show on March 27th at 6:30pm in the MS Cafeteria.
8. School Dances.
  - a. Next school dances will be on March 14th and May 11th.
  - b. Chantal Walker will send out emails asking for volunteers and food/water donations.
9. Tool Boxes.
  - a. Forms for all grades have been reviewed and submitted to the representative and the website is ready to take orders. We will start to advertise the sale of these boxes in April.

10. Next meeting scheduled for May 10th, 2014 at 1:00pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kimberly Marcotte  
PTO Secretary