

DRAFT until approved at May Meeting

Crooked Lake PTO Minutes April 25, 2017

Co-Chairperson Trish Gunville called the meeting to order at 6:34

- Welcome and introductions-13 in attendance
- Staff appreciation coming soon! May 1
- Kindergarten Round Up Connections made, invited parents to check out the parents facebook page.

Co-Chair Gretchen Jerskey

- "BoosterThon" Fun run company research, possible replacement of APEX fun run.
- Update on Funding request for Hundreds Chart for the playground, about \$1500.

Treasurer's Report:

- Presented and approved
- Proposed budget for 2017-18
 - Only change was removal of \$55 fee for Costco PTO account.
 - Budget approved
- No new funding requests

Secretary's Report:

- Approved minutes from March

Principal's Report: Mr. Sam Anderson

- Building updates
- Testing is going on now
- There is a Reading Corps position open, two half time positions with flexibility towards one full time. Contact Mr. Anderson for more info.
- Yearbook coming in May
- Two forms available in office: Plans for next year and placement fit for next year.
- Staff appreciation next week
- Fifth grade Long Lake Trip coming up
- School Board Decisions
 - Fit for the Future Facilities Levy 2 high school open forums Andover HS May 24 Anoka HS May 25 6:30-8:00 15 minute presentation, then open forum. New elementary buildings in Blaine (near Lexington and 242) and Ramsey (Nowthen and 170th) Land is purchased, ready to build.

Staff Report: Ms. Boekhoff

- Ms. Boekhoff:
 - Kindness retreat student comments and thank-you notes,
 - Alcohol & tobacco and peer pressure decisions high school group information
- Mrs. Ledin:
 - No updates at this time

Mrs. Julie Bowman:

- MCAs wrap up next week. May 5 is last day. Results are unofficial but may be able to see unofficial results on AH connect.

Volunteer Coordinator's Report: Ms. Candie Hansen

- Year end field trips – Off-site chaperone processing for this effort has begun.

- P.E. Fun Day – Currently working with Mr. Arntson to assure the volunteers for this event have been cleared for this process. Forms due May 5
- Will be working with 4th grade teachers to identify the next year 5th grade students who will act as Greeters at the Fall Open House.
- 5th Grade Farewell – Chris McDonnell
- Potential interested Volunteer for Carnival Chair next year: Julie Finco (Aunt to one of our students, Jacob Gunville)
- Deadline for 2016-17 Volunteer Applications and Background History Reports has been set for Wed., May 17. This deadline allows adequate processing time for all year end activities at Crooked Lake and to accommodate the deadline of Friday, May 26 set by Parent Involvement.
- Looking for volunteers for stuffing back to school folders August 24. 2-3 hours. Call Candie if you are interested.
- Volunteer Appreciation – THANK YOU to CLPTO!
- Current Volunteer Total: 380
- Volunteer hours dedicated to date at Crooked Lake: 2,500

Old Business:

- Carnival Update:
 - Well attended, parent survey on Facebook page, parents were appreciative of volunteers; hospitality room was appreciated by volunteers
 - No pre-sale tickets this year, long lines to start but volunteers were able to adjust selling tickets remotely (not at the tables).
- Destination Imagination: End of year party held recently, nobody made it to State but it was a really fun learning experience

New Business

- GoFundMe site to pay off negative lunch balances. \$3600 was raised in four days to eliminate lunch debt.
- Looking for a way to fund an account for the social worker to create a “Lunch Room Angel fund”
- Board member election:

○ Mary Dauman	Co-Chair
○ Heather Foote	Secretary
○ Gretchen Jerskey	Chair
○ Amie Beckel	Treasurer
○ Patricia Gunville	Co-Treasurer

Adjourned at **8:02** by Co-Chair Gunville

5th grade Farewell party Chair: Christine McDonnell

Community Picnic Chair:

Staff Appreciation Dinner Chair:

Carnival Chair: Pete Pfister/Ted Peterson