

## **Sand Creek PTO meeting minutes December 10, 2013**

In attendance: Stacy Sullivan, Jill Bornes, Tanya Buchholz, Vicki Mochinski, Sarah Anderson, Denise Lewandowski, Julie Pobuda, Barb Novinska, Rachelle Olson, Kerri Tomandl, Amber Wilkins & Heidi Casey

The meeting was called to order at 6:33 PM by Julie Pobuda, PTO president.

### **SECRETARY'S REPORT:**

Heidi Casey presented the November PTO meeting minutes. They were reviewed by the membership and Stacy Sullivan made a motion to accept them. The November minutes were passed unanimously.

### **SPECIAL GUESTS:**

No special guests this month.

### **PRESIDENT'S REPORT:**

Julie Pobuda reported that 84 fleece blankets kits were purchased (at a great discount) to be assembled by students on the last day before winter break. Later, to be donate to a local youth shelter.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Stacy Sullivan presented the year to date operating budget. A brief discussion was had and Sarah Anderson made a motion to accept the budget. The budget was passed without contest.

### **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:**

Tanya Buchholz (on behalf of Paul Anderson) spoke of current and upcoming events at Sand Creek.

Report cards went home Friday, 12/6.

### **VOLUNTEER SERVICE COORDINATOR'S REPORT:**

Mrs. Novinska spoke of upcoming volunteer opportunities including the "tied together" event - 12/20, Geography Bee - 1/10, food drive and butter braid distribution.

The free money contest ends 12/13/13.

Barb Novinska's hours: Monday – Thursday: 8AM- 3PM, (763) 506-4330

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Santa's secret shop event was held in December. Much discussion was had regarding how to improve and / or change this event. Next year's committee will make changes as they so choose.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Julie Pubuda presented 2 funds requests to the membership. Both were reviewed and discussed. Both requests were voted upon individually and passed unanimously.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

No old business to discuss.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

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School spirit day is the first Friday of each month.

Next PTO meeting: January 14, 6:30 - 8PM, Sand Creek media center.

Meeting adjourned 7:41PM