

NBMS PTO Meeting Minutes

November 15, 2017

In attendance: Tammy Molis, Kaye Roberts, Beth Fiore-Kral, Kate Aquillino, Colleen Hollenback, Dr. Johnson, Mr. Yontz, Ms. Boutwell

Tammy Molis called the meeting to order at 3:35 p.m.

Motion was called to approve October meeting minutes by Beth Fiore-Kral and seconded by Ms. Boutwell. Minutes were unanimously approved.

Principal's Report: (Dr. Johnson)

- There was a cafeteria meeting a few weeks ago discussing bench seating and high/low tables. We will be getting a quote.
- Had a walk-through with construction company for 1st phase of remodel project; rerouting car rider line. There will be a capacity of 90 cars; monies have already been earmarked for this phase.
 - 2nd phase of remodel project; enclose hall going to the gymnasium. Students will not have to go outside to change classrooms. Exploratory classes will be moved. Monies have not yet been approved, once it has a contractor will be secured. This phase will not be started until next summer.
 - 3rd phase of remodel project; brick & mortar wing, may house entire 7th grade. Would like to have 13 classrooms with a team concept.
- Sign at front entrance will be put up.
- 7th grade awards went very well, looking forward to 8th tomorrow.
- Looking into back-up plan for 8th grade promotion ceremony in case of inclement weather. Options include NBMS auditorium, NBHS or a church.

Faculty Report: (Ms. Boutwell)

- Teachers know that allotments are available.
- There are no longer issues with the boy's bathroom.

Treasurer Report: (Tammy Molis)

- Checking \$5,651.64, Money Market \$9,843.83, Principal's Discretionary \$4,313.02
- We are getting more sponsors for Chilly Challenge.

Committee Reports:

Volunteer (Beth Fiore-Kral)

- No volunteer needs at this time.
- Announcement will be made at awards ceremony about needing more volunteers.

Box Tops (Kaye Roberts)

- Fall contest winners: 1st Samantha Davis (561), 2nd Haylee Morgan (477), 3rd Aiden Honeycutt (428)
- We will be getting \$543.40 back

Chilly Challenge (Tammy Molis)

- Working on getting the word out and getting more business sponsors
- Pushing online registration
- NBMS staff need to be involved through participating or volunteering
- Early packet pick-up will be available

Hospitality (Karen Jones absent)

- Salad lunch went very well.
- There will be another event in January.

New Business: (Tammy Molis)

- Capital Campaign is on hold.
- Grant applications (\$893.13)
 - Boutwell requested \$200 for problem solving games.
 - 7th grade Social Studies teachers requested \$500 for license to Sutori.com (digital timeline for each unit of study).
 - Donley requested \$193.13 for a weather station.

Motion was called to approve all grants by Beth Fiore-Kral and seconded by Kaye Roberts. Grants will unanimously approved.

- Barnes & Noble Book Fair is going on November 30th to December 5th. School will receive percentage of sales.
- Restaurant Dinner Nights- we would like to start having them monthly. Dr. Johnson let us know that they had already organized one at Zaxby's for 12/5. The school will be responsible for setting up restaurant nights.

- Merging with North Windy Ridge PTO? Dr. Johnson talked about Title I monies not being available at NBMS. We will look at pros/cons of merging and vote in January.
- NBMS/NWR Volleyball game- will discuss more at next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 4:35 by Tammy Molis.

Next meeting will be on December 13th at 3:30.