

PTO Meeting Minutes

**North Liberty Elementary School PTO
General PTO Meeting Minutes
School Media Center
Tuesday, November 11, 2014 3:00PM**

Kimberlee Bers, Lisa Rice, Amanda Gill, Randy Romer, Amy Weiss, Karlie Gibson, Lisa Watson, Julie MacLeod, Kristine Tolleson Melinda Frick, Melissa Meersman, Elisabeth Roush, Kelli Craft, Denise Scott, Denise Brooks, Chris Houston, Erica Franklin total 17

Meeting called to order at 3:00 PM by (President, Lisa Rice)

Presidents report – Our Cheerleaders pom poms are not good. They are falling apart and they are brand new, because the wrong kind was bought. If we need to return them they are in Mrs. Martin's room. Elisabeth Roush suggested that we look into Omnicheer.com. They are \$3.95 per pom pom but they are of better quality and are for youth hands. R. Romer said that the school athletic fund would cover this.

Boys Basketball uniforms are horrible. The letters and numbers are all falling off. We could send them to Lisa to try to fix them but it is a temporary fix. 85 to 90 percent of the 6th grade uniforms are bad and Denise Scott will ask Mr. Podell how many needs to be fixed for 5th grade. Denise and Amanda will fix the bad uniforms.

Vice Presidents report – Amanda would like to thank all the parents that donated food for the parent teacher conferences. We had an amazing turn out.

Treasurer's report – We earned \$2,799.32 from the bookfair, \$100 under fun fair in the September activity is a donation from Falcon 500 for the 2014 Fun Fair, We spent \$44.94 was for Grandparents week, \$400 was for Kim to start buy supplies for Elves Workshop.

Committee Heads -

1. *Science Fair meals for the judges-* Denise Scott said this all handled.
2. *Fun Fair-* We have lost Mr. Mishler who was in charge of the silent auction. We are looking for a staff member and a parent or two that are willing to run this. We need to revamp the old letter with our tax exempt number and start sending out letters now. We need some theme ideas so we can vote on them. Welcome to the jungle, under the sea, Ocean, cereal, board games, sports team, Dr. Seuss, Planrt Earth, Carnival, and Circus. What if we decorate the back s of the bleachers with paper and the theme and streamers? Lisa will contact the Art club about face painting and the back drop. Adam about the donations. If we want to use Tri- Kappa again this year we need to do a formal request for money and man power next Wednesday November19 is their next meeting. Julie will check with her contacts for balloon people.

Unfinished Business-

1. Reading of board policies – The by-laws were approved as written by all.

New Business-

1. *Spell Bowl Meals – Spell Bowl is November 20th. We normally buy food for our team and all the coaches. We normally do Pizza, chips and water. Amanda will call Hometown pizza.*
2. *Stem Assembly for 1-6 - From Mobil Ed productions. This would be an all day program so the whole school could get through, it cost \$1025.00. The company would need four parent*

volunteers. If teachers treat this like a field trip and provide four parents each to help this would work. Amy thinks the kids would love this, because it is all hands on. It would be either April 21st or 22nd. Randy would like PTO to donate \$325.00. Randy will present more information at the December meeting.

Principals' Report – The Staff would like to thank PTO for setting up the food for conferences. There will be a survey coming out in December through e-mail about the balance calander. November 21st is our Awesomeness day celebration for all students. This for our A rating. Tuesday December 2 and Wednesday December 3 will be our community build days for our new playground. We will need 10 volunteers to help these two days.

NEXT PTO MEETING: December 9, 2014 7:00 PM, School Media Center

Meeting Adjourned at 4:20PM

Prepared by:

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