PTO meeting minutes May 1st 2017

In attendance: Vickie Robertson, Erin Kelly, Katie Niemiec, Stefanie Gagnon, Barbara Szparkowski, Melissa Urranaga, Sherry Rice, First grade team, Matt Correia, Jen Degrandi, Stacey Denardo, Stephanie Dimauro, Amy Dempsey, Susan Burghoff, Chrissy Caliandri

Call to Order: Vickie 6:34

Old Business

April Minutes, no changes noted

New Business

Staff Representative- 1st grade. First grade explained that they are in need of wheeled organizers for their small groups to keep their student small groups in order and asked for some carts for each class. The motion passed to order the carts for the staff. Books on wheels mobile library and the mobile storage center.

Upbeat- Jack Rudy

Principal Report- Dr. Correia thanked the PTO for the breakfast for staff appreciation and the decorations and the "gratitude garden" on the wall for the teachers. Budget update-the budget did not pass and Dr Correia encouraged parents to continue to follow and support the schools.

Treasurer's Report- Joe Miller. The awesome report was presented and there were no questions.

Offier Elections- Jen Degrandi
Membership- Susan Burghoff
Hospitality- Tom Niemiec
Fundraising- Lisa James
Book fair- Erin Kelly/Dawn Pauley
Box tops- Brenda Wall
Spirit WearTeacher Appreciation- Stacey Denardo
Vice President- Barbara Szparkowski
Secretary- Katie Niemiec
Treasurer- Joe Miller

Discussion ensued regarding a vacant president position. Dr. Correia will send out a flyer outlining what could potentially be lost next year if there is no president. A decision will be made on the budget and future of PTO at the June meeting.

Summer Reading- Vickie Robertson. Scholastic dollars will be used to buy summer reading for every child. Books are being purchased.

Hospitality/Event needs- Katie Niemiec

Cart will be purchased by the PTO to support fundraising and other PTO activities. The carts are around \$100.

Committee Updates:

Cub Scouts- Carrie Fowler, Space Derby went well, Sloper family weekend is coming up May 19th-21st.

Membership- no updates

Box Tops- Sherry Rice, collection ending on May 12th, classroom can have them by the 19th. Box tops made about \$1200 for the year.

Fundraising- NB bees, June 9th. Money due by 5/22

Carinval- Erin Kelly, may 5th is carnival. We need more volunteers to run things.

Cyndi Goode-Stop and Shop almost \$7000 for the year.

Price chopper points, ordered art supplies

5th grade- Date of 6/15 for the party.. Pizza and hot dogs. Martin Rosol are donating for carnival and for 5th grade. Obstacle course, traditional games, ice pops vs. ice cream truck Year book underway- remind staff to make sure they uploaded all their pictures to a shared drive

Upcoming events:

May 5 Spring Carnival 5:30-7:30

May 9- K welcome 4-7

May 11 K welcome 4-6

May 17th -Chorus concert and graduation

May 24- Band concert

May 25 Upbeat picnic

May 26th - field day, rain date June 6th

June 1st- art and publishing show 4:30-6

June 7th - volunteer breakfast

June 9 Bees game

June 15th-5th grade

June 16th Last day of school

Next PTO June 5th- budget meeting Meet adjourned 8p