

PTSA Meeting Minutes December 16, 2013

Present: Deanna Louis, Kari Honer, Tezra Menne, Jill Plonka

The meeting was called to order by President Deanna Louis.

The secretary's report was approved as written.

Treasurer's report: Current balance is \$3400.11

Old Business:

Thank you: Ms. Durkin emailed her thanks for the PTSA sponsoring the Passages food drive pizza party. Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. Newkirk, Mrs. Gabrielse and Mrs. Steinmetz sent nice thank yous for the supply checks we sent out a couple weeks ago.

Mrs. Schmitz will let us know how much she will need for the Family Fun Reading night when she has more details.

The Spiritwear will be handed out on Wednesday, December 18 from about 3:30 – 5:30. Deanna put it in the announcements and on Facebook to notify everyone.

The Winwin website is now up and running for anyone who would like to order clothing and support the PTSA (the PTSA makes 5% with every purchase). However, you will have to pay shipping. Jill will ask Mrs. Ziemke to put the link on the school website homepage. The link is <http://www.winwinsportswear.com/category/156/ithaca.aspx>

Bylaws discussion has been tabled until the next meeting.

Vending Machine: Deanna said the machine has been working nearly perfectly for a month now. It has run out of change (gives the "use exact change" message) which means sales are great! Deanna fills it M-W-F one week and T-R the next week.

School supplies: Jill will send out an email to teachers letting them know that if they need any school supplies to contact Mrs. Moser as she is in charge of the supply cabinet.

Jill and Tanya will be selling spirit items at the home basketball game this Friday, December 20. Jill will let Deanna know if she needs any more seat cushions. She will also put the notification that we are selling in the announcements and on Facebook.

New Business:

We selected the winners of the Holiday Coloring contest. They are as follows:

4K - Kaylee Manning - Ms. Barto

K - Ilana Bloczynski - Mrs. Gabrielse

1st - Abby Wiedenfeld - Mrs. Newkirk

2nd - Ryan Tourdot - Ms. Grassman

3rd - Talena Sprecher - Mrs. Wobschall

4th - Haleigh Colson - Mrs. O'Brien

5th - Noah Drone - Mr. Meixelsperger

Kari will get the \$5 Culver's cards and get them to Jill on Friday at the Elementary Christmas concert. Jill will put them in the teachers' mailboxes for the kids on January 2. Jill will also display the winners in the office window this week so everyone who attends the Elementary Christmas concert will be able to see them. Deanna will keep the rest of the coloring contests for use in the Elementary Yearbook.

Mrs. Ziemke had brought it to Jill's attention last week that the toner/phone collection bin was gone. It may have been put in the dumpster as it didn't smell very good. Tezra will work on getting a new, clear bin for those supplies as we are still collecting them.

Since we don't have any urgent business, and because the PTSA usually does not have a meeting in December, we decided to not have a meeting in January since on the regular meeting date there is no school. So the next meeting will be **Monday, February 17, 2013 at 6 pm in the Commons.**