

Stone Ridge Elementary PTO Officer's Meeting

Meeting Minutes
September 2, 2008

Opening:

The regular meeting of the Stone Ridge Elementary PTO was called to order at 7:00p.m.on September 2, 2008 at Stone Ridge Elementary by Robin Rose.

Present:

Elizabeth Atchley, Caroline Baker, Christi-Lynn Bethea, Karri Bigelow, Amanda Burton, Laura Butler, Gary Chrisman, Sara Coker, Riann Fallan, Annie Farris, April Finch, Brooke Fonzi, Michelle Knight, Tiffany Kozikoski, Stephanie Lloyd, Melissa Mason, Daphne McDermott, Lora Meade, Leeanne Metzger, Sherri Padgham, Mollie Raymond, Robin Rose, Ann Young,

A. Welcome and Pledge

B. Approval of Agenda

The agenda was unanimously approved as distributed.

C. President's Report

Robin Introduced the PTO Officers. Robin encouraged participation and membership of PTO. She stated that the three biggest fundraisers are All 4 Kids, Carnival and Christmas Store. She explained the Allocations committee and procedures.

If you are not a member of the PTO, you may join at any time. In order to receive a school Directory you must join by September 4th. Only members have voting privileges .

D. Approval of Minutes

May PTO Minutes were unanimously approved as reviewed individually per the Stone Ridge Website. Motion for approval by: Tiffany Kozikoski, 2nd by Daphne McDermott

E. Principal's Report

See attached report.

F. Treasurer's Report and PO Information

See Report. Balance right now does not reflect the Silent fundraiser. PTO will fund artist in residence.

Allocations report distributed. Allocations process explained per Robin Rose.
Allocations approval motion made by Gary Chrisman, 2nd by Kristi Bethea.

- PO for All 4 Kids for \$25,000 (approximate – won't know until fundraiser is totaled) to Kerri Bigelow. Motion by: Tiffany Kozikoski, 2nd – Daphne McDermott, Approved.
- PO for Carnival cash box for advanced armband sales for \$200. \$100 cash box for Jail. \$100 cash box for Dunk tank, \$500 cash box for kitchen. \$300 cash box for armbands sales at the door. \$150 – Gazette. \$200 – Chester the Clown. \$500 for food and supplies to Robin Rose. Motion made by Daphne McDermott, 2nd by Lora Meade. Approved.
- PO for \$300 cash box for Carnival Auction. \$200 cash box for carnival cash and carry to Stephanie Lloyd. Motion made by Gary Chrisman, 2nd by Daphne McDermott. Approved.
- PO for Campbell's soup postage to Sherri Padgham – Motion made by Tiffany Kozikoski, 2nd by Gary Chrisman. Approved.
- PO Helping hands from \$150-\$300 to Stephanie Lloyd. Motion made by Stephanie Lloyd, 2nd by Kristi Bethea. Approved.
- PO for \$200 for colored copy paper to Stephanie Lloyd. Motion made by Stephanie Lloyd, 2nd by Daphne McDermott.
- PO for \$500 for Cinnamon Roll supplies to Melissa Sharp. Motion made by Stephanie Lloyd, 2nd by Daphne McDermott. Approved.
- PO for \$200 for Classroom Incentives to Michelle Knight. Motion made by Stephanie Lloyd, 2nd by Daphne McDermott. Approved.

G. Committee Reports

Membership – Lizette Collins – Coordinator. This will be her last year to be coordinator. Currently 250 members. Anyone can join anytime.

Homeroom Parent – Michelle Hamon – All HR parents have been assigned. Very hopeful at getting people to sign up in the beginning, at Meet the Teacher. It is a process that we will get better at as we go.

Helping Hands – Stephanie Lloyd – All have been assigned. Helping hands serve as an assistant to the Teacher or Secretary. An average of 2 hours per week.

Fall Fundraiser – Kerri Bigelow – Kick off is Thursday, September 4th. Will be selling Cookie dough and OU/OSU items. Close will be September 22nd. Delivery will be

October 23rd from 2-6. We need volunteers to help with delivery. Last year we made \$550 from Dunk tank. The dunk tank will be donated from All 4 Kids as well as inflatable's.

Barefoot Bookworm – Michelle Knight - Planning on having Ice Cream Party for Bookworms in September. Need volunteers to help with parties.

El Chico - All money from El Chico goes toward “Airliners” for the smart boards. These are wireless devices to use with the smart boards. Chippers are needed. The class with the most students in attendance will get El Chico lunch brought to school.

Birthday Book Club – This is a program where you can donate a book in honor of someone's Birthday during their Birthday month. The student will be recognized at wildcat wake-up and the book will be labeled in the student's honor and kept in our Library. This needs to be purchased now, not during the birthday month. There will be a bulk order of books.

Carnival – Gary Chrisman – Last year there were 1,000 children. \$9,000 was raised. We need volunteers to help run booths. Booths will have to be closed if there are not enough volunteers. Need help from anyone to help set-up after school. We are doing the Jail and the “Dunk-a-teacher”.

Teacher Basket – Stephanie Lloyd – Money made by teacher baskets goes directly to the classroom. Good idea to have classrooms make personalized crafts to sell. Last year each teacher made approx. \$200 from the teacher baskets. We also accept items for the general auction such as homemade items.

Buy 4 Less – Receipts must be dated after September 1st. Credit Card receipts do not work. Need itemized receipt. Last year we bought 2 dye cuts.

Box Tops – Lora Meade – Contest for fall carnival armbands and coupons for free dunk tank, jail, etc. If we reach our goal of 3,000 box tops, Mr. Hatchett will be slimed. If we reach our goal of 3,500, Mrs. Dale will be slimed. There will be a big prize at the end of the year for the child who collects the most box tops. Register on-line on [boxtopsforeducation](http://boxtopsforeducation.com) to receive school credit. We raised \$1,800 last year.

Campbells Soup – We made 6,652 points last year. Bought many items for Mr. Hatchett. In August we have 679 points. Our goal is 7,000.

Piedmont Poets – Need volunteers

Cinnamon Rolls – Melissa Sharp – We will be making Cinnamon rolls on Nov. 14th and delivery will be the next day. Last year \$2,000 was raised for the library. Need donations of supplies.

Christmas Store – Daphne McDermott/Tiffany Kozikoski. Will be the first week of December. We need a coordinator for next year. You must love to shop! There will be

items on sale from \$1-\$25. There will be a parent night from 5p-8p. Please help us by collecting Braum's sacks.

Talent Show – This will be in April Every student will participate somehow if they audition. The profits all go to the Music Dept.

Popcorn – On report card day there is popcorn given to the kids. Need volunteers!

H. New Business

Pet Project – will be the Library this year.

Voting in bi-laws – Next month look on the website at the bi-laws. Look for the changes in yellow. Let Robin know if you have questions about any changes. If there are no questions, the bi-laws will automatically be voted in.

Adjournment:

Meeting was adjourned at 8:25p.m. by Robin Rose. The next general meeting will be at 7:00p.m. on October 6, 2008 at Stone Ridge Elementary.

Minutes submitted by: Michelle Knight

Approved by: Robin Rose