

Lava Ridge PTO General Meeting Minutes May 1, 2012

Board Members: Jen Phillips, President, Kristie Wild, Vice President, Candace Tanaka, Secretary.

Attendees: Jen Davis, RayLynn Nichols, Melissa Hassell, Tasha McFarland, Ned Myers, Jon Lindsay, Amy Van Nice.

Meeting called to order at 6:35.

Principal's Report:

Parent input forms will be available on May 14th, to be returned by May 25th. Teachers will be meeting in the next couple of weeks to put together the classes for next year. Class lists will be posted about one week before school starts. Postings are done at this time because as many as 15-30 new students can register over the summer, and Mr. Lindsay prefers to wait until he knows the final numbers before posting the lists.

Jen Phillips said that Carnival earned \$2,100 before expenses, Read-A-Thon \$16,200 before expenses.

Mrs. Schendel has requested new items for music classes including an Ipod dock with remote, instruments, for a total of \$998.95. PTO members voted approval for these items. She also needs 2 wireless lapel mikes, including one for Mrs. Soto, but has applied for a grant for these. If she does not receive the grant, the PTO will pay for the new mikes. Cost of mikes: \$1,200.

Jen Phillips would like the PTO to put \$500 towards re-stocking playground equipment for next year.

Staff Appreciation is next week. On Monday the staff will be served breakfast. If you would like to bring a breakfast item please have it at the school by 8:00. Tuesday staff members will receive flowers, Wednesday will be a soup bar. If you would like to make soup please have it at the school by 12:00. Thursday the staff will receive chocolate.

Elections were held and RaeLynn Nichols will be President, Jill Williams, Vice President, Kristi Hurst, Secretary. Treasurer was left open during the meeting, but Jen Phillips mentioned that a mom moving to Bend in June is interested in the position. After the meeting Beth Thompson did take the position as Treasurer.

Amy Van Nice reported that third and fourth graders are wrapping up Oaks testing, Dibels and EZCBM testing will take place, planning on a field trip to Shevlin park in June.

On June 11th the whole school will go to a baseball game at Vince Genna. It was suggested that the PTO buy a treat from the concession stand for each student to eat while they are at the game.

Tasha McFarland offered to have her Boy Scout troop do some landscape maintenance in front of the school. She will also check into whether they can sand and stain the bench in front of the school.

Miles for Myers will take place Saturday May 12th at Skyview Middle School, a fundraiser for Mr. Myers and his family.

Many thanks to all of the parents who donated their time helping with PTO events and coming to meetings, and who supported PTO fundraisers this year!

Minutes respectfully submitted by,
Candace Tanaka, PTO Secretary

Minutes approved by Jen Phillips, President