



## Willett Elementary PTO Minutes

June 6, 2017

The meeting was called to order by Kirsten Mailhot at 7:05pm.

### In attendance

See Attendance List.

### Officer's Reports:

#### A. President's Report

- i. Welcome  
Kirsten Mailhot – President  
Teresa Lavallee – Treasurer
- ii. Event/fundraiser binders
- iii. Subcommittee/event chairs. Back to school movie night.
- iv. Mini grant requests
  - a. 4 Moby Max Licenses for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade – Approx. \$396.00; Voted & Passed
  - b. 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Spelling City – Approx. \$213.75; Voted & Passed
  - c. 1 – iPad for Special Ed Groupings – Approx. \$350.00; Voted & Passed
  - d. Network Projector for Art – Will shop around for this cost not to exceed \$596.00; Voted & Passed
  - e. Network Projector for Music – Will shop around for this cost not to exceed \$596.00; Voted & Passed
  - f. Stone Sealer, Acrylic Paint and Rocks for Mrs. Bernier, Mrs. Nicoloro and Mrs. Gattoni – Approx. \$149.50; Voted & Passed
  - g. 6 Ikea Stools for Mrs. Slater (\$5 x 6 chairs) – Approx. \$30; Voted & Passed
  - h. Clipboards for Mrs. Martin – Approx \$30; Voted & Passed
- v. Storyworks Magazine for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grades - \$411.95. There is enough in Scholastic dollars to cover this; Voted & Passed
- vi. Library Funding – Plan to refresh library and replace old and damaged books to keep the library current. \$2,200.00 raised from Scholastic. Voted to spend up to \$2,200.00 to refresh library and passed.
- vii. PTO Survey – 39 responses received. Interest in a Fall Harvest

#### B. Treasurer's Reports

Teresa briefly discussed overview of year and wrap up. See treasurer report.

**Principal's Report:** Kindergarten students finished on 6/2. Looking forward to their return as 1<sup>st</sup> graders in the fall. Mrs. Ferney has returned from her maternity leave. Much appreciation to Lynn Falzone for filling in. Willett hosted Lieutenant Governor Karyn Polito assisted by State Rep Heroux to announce that Attleboro Public Schools has been awarded a grant with contribution from the City of Attleboro, State and Federal Governments to further improve Wi-Fi networks. The library will be transitioning into Library Media Center in the fall. A school-wide community day is planned for June 14<sup>th</sup> – grades 1-4 will be giving back to City organizations; Grade 1 Fire & Police Stations, Grade 2 Library, Grade 3 Christopher Heights and Grade 4 Senior Center. Field trips are planned for Grade 3, Freedom Trail and Grade 4, Museum of Science. 4<sup>th</sup> grade event night planned – dance, ice cream social and yearbook signing. Six submissions were received from families who watched the Feinstein Leaders of the Future broadcast. These were submitted to Alan Feinstein and the Feinstein Foundation has generously sent Willett \$1,800.00! Community Connections Committee will be meeting in the fall to discuss a Mix, Make and Mingle event that will be held in the garden.

#### Subcommittee Reports:

- a. Blank-A-Thon – Went well. Did not raise enough money to purchase new playground equipment, but will roll into 2017-2018.

- b. Color Run – Went well, less attendance than last year. Raised approx \$600-\$700 depending on custodial bill.
- c. Restaurant Night. 6/5 Chipotle raised \$158.43. Two summer restaurant nights are planned: Friendly's on July 12<sup>th</sup> from 4 PM to 9 PM and Bertucci's on August 17<sup>th</sup> from 11 AM to 10 PM.  
Raised a total of \$1,684.32 from restaurant nights for October 2016 through June 2017.
- d. Yearbook- Raised \$1,307.09 to be forwarded towards next year's yearbook.
- e. Box Tops for Education 2016-2017 – Projected balance \$1,314.00, less expenses (postage \$11.35 in October and \$18.31 in May and \$30 for Five Below gift cards for Box Top submissions) = \$1,254.34.

**New Business:** Board will meet this summer to discuss new ideas and schedule for the fall.

**Next Meeting**

TBA September 2017. Meetings will be set by PTO Board over the summer.

Motion to adjourn was made at 8:28 PM