

## PTC Meeting minutes - September 26, 2006

Attendees- Debbie Hart, Tammy Case, Angie Shrimplin, Sue Koning, Kelly Jones, Sandy Fishel, Kathy Uphoff, Cindy Knight, Wendi Schafer, Mark Meurer, Patty Bridgeman, Kathie McAllister, Michelle Bartlett, Shawn and Carrie Kelleker, Doris Kennay and Helen McMahon

The meeting opened with introductions and a welcome to the new attendees.

### Secretary Report

August minutes were distributed and reviewed. Cindy Knight made a motion to approve the minutes. Sandy Fishel seconded her motion. Minutes approved.

### Treasurer's Report

Patty Bridgeman distributed the September treasurer's report. A discussion on the disbursements and allocations along with the few wish list items left to be purchased was had. Sue Konig explained that she input all of the information into Quick Books and presented drafts of what the reports will look like when completed. Discussion was had regarding possibly using a money market account in order to grow interest. Patty was going to check with the bank regarding this possibility. Kathie McCallister motioned to approve the report. Kathy Uphoff seconded the motion. Treasurer's report approved.

THANK YOU TO SUE KONIG FOR ALL OF YOUR HARD WORK IN TRANSFERRING THE ACCOUNTING INFORMATION TO QUICK BOOKS.

### Referendum

Doris Kennay spoke regarding the referendum. She thanked the PTC for coming together to support the effort and thanked the PTC for the donation.

### Old Business

Kelly reported that there was about \$100 raised at the last family week at *Yogi Bear*. \$30.00 was raised over the summer and provided for the treats at the meet and greet.

*Middle School Dance* was well received. Andrew Feiden is taking over Aaron Roux's deejay business. The PTC will work on finding a deejay who will interact well with the kids. It was suggested to check with Phil Holden to Mr. Yocum or the next dance. It was suggested to change the way the song list was done as well (as far as letting the kids make song requests)

*Laptop* Discussion was had on the laptop. It was questioned whether or not Joe Gleissner would service it, or if he would be able to. He did not have any laptops available for the PTC. Sue will see if Monetta can put something in the paper saying that we are looking for a used laptop and will check with the Ashton Computer Store to see if they have anything available.

### Current Business

*Market Day* - Amy Hilliker was unable to be present at this meeting, however, she contacted Deb and indicated that she still needs child care for the pick ups. The Band co-sponsored the September Market Day. Also she indicated that a Market Day representative would be present at the Open House on 10-19-2006 and reminded us that Market Day raised over \$7,000.00 last year.

*PTC Newsletter* The newsletter idea was brought back to the table. It was decided to do newsletters each quarter for K-8. Kelly has volunteered to do this. Also the newsletter will remind readers that the information is available on the website. We will check with Joe Gleissner to see if he can put the

newsletter on the website.

*Volunteers* Angie Shrimplin input all volunteer information. She broke them down into lists for specific events and activities. Cindy Knight will check the e-mail addresses provided against her e-mail lists. THANK YOU ANGIE!

*Auction* **Auction committee will meet on October 17, 2006 at 6:30 p.m. at the middle school cafeteria.** At that time the committee will go through the addresses, stuff seal and stamp envelopes. Angie will contact Rhonda Cardot for a vendor list and will check with US Foods re donations of food etc for auction. Also, Lisa Heal is to get Angie a list for letters to vendors. Angie is waiting to hear back from the FFA to see if they are still interested in doing the snack bar.

#### New Business

*Referendum* Cindy discussed the money for the referendum and that the ad for the newspaper was more than expected and that there would possibly be a negative balance in the referendum side of the account. Indicated that she was hopeful more donations would come in to cure the deficit. She provided signs for members to take home and discussed registering folks to vote and urging them to vote.

*Symphony* Ms. Coffman has advised that the symphony will not occur during spring break this year. Has requested the PTC Fund the trip at the rate of \$4.00 per student. The trip is 4/23/07. There are 102 students. No bus charges that we are aware of. Patty Bridgeman motioned to approve this request. Cindy Knight seconded. Voted to approve.

*Lowes Grant Program* Mark Meurer will check into this grant program.

*Target* - check with Target to see if we are on the list and will add to the newsletter that we are members of the Target program that gives cash to schools when using the Target card.

*Parking Lot Sale* Celeste Lyles has provided us with information on a parking lot sale that will take place on October 7, 2006 in Belvedere from 8 am to 11 am. Cindy Knight has more information. Sue Konig or Wendi Schafer may be able to go to sale and purchase items for PTC events.

*ES Fun night* Kelly has planned the fun night again this year. We will charge \$3.00 for admission and vote to allocate the funds after collected. Kelly will ask a faculty member to be present at the fun night to work the door and make sure all attendees are students. Also will ask Mrs. Pitzer if she can generate a list like the middle school with names and emergency numbers to alleviate need for permission slips.

*MS Dance* Sandy Fishel will chair the December Dance. It will be one dance in the gymnasium. Cindy and Sue will chaperone. Deb will take care of getting staff, \$ box and list. She also said she can post signs. Refreshments are still being decided upon.

*Appreciation Dinner* Wendi suggested a year end appreciation dinner. Kelly Jones offered up the convention center at Yogi or the dinner. Shawn Kelleker offered his chef services to prepare the meal. More on this to come.

*Harvest Fest* Wendi advised the PTC members that she was a member of the Franklin Grove Summer Harvest Festival Board as a PTC Representative.

*Father/ Daughter Dance* Will work on putting together a dance in January, a winter dance.

*Spirit Shop* Deb Hart advised that she is starting a spirit shop for non-apparel spirit items and donated

Upcoming Events

Fun Night was scheduled for October 27, 2006 at Elementary School. Kelly will chaperone, Wendi will help. Amy, Kathy and Tammy will also assist.

THANK YOU to the 8th Grade Class for providing babysitting services.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Wendi Schafer  
PTC Secretary