

Olander PTO Executive Board Minutes

Date: Jan. 23, 2007

1. Treasurer Report

- Approx. \$8,000 in checking and \$8,500 in savings accounts.
- \$2,000 (approx. half) to be paid towards Project Based Learning release days now. Remaining balance to be paid after exact teacher days taken are tallied.
- Second semester grants have been paid at \$100/teacher.

2. Spaghetti Dinner

- 300 dinners have been ordered from Canino's. Set up to begin at 5pm. 6th graders have their work assignments. Other details-- tables, cakes, crayons, tableware, etc., were finalized.
- Mad Scientist is scheduled to be in Room 106 from 6-8pm.
- Student Council will have a table set up to sell their calendars.
- PBL displays will be set up in participating rooms with teachers on hand to answer questions.
- Mrs. Thordarson, 5th grade, will be giving a program about PBL from 6:35-7pm and again from 7:35-8pm.

3. REACH Update

- Information about the program should be given to the students by Spring Break. Anita Freiburg to be contacted regarding details.

4. Sock Hop

- Scheduled for Feb. 9th, Susan Robinson spearheading.
- Note in Friday folders to go out this week recruiting more volunteers.

5. PTO Funding Requests

- Mr. McKenzie, PE, asked for \$550-600 to purchase 60 pedometers for the 5th and 6th grade classes for his PBL project. Vote to be taken at next meeting.
- Mrs. Barger, ½ day Kindergarten, requested \$369 + s/h for a 9x12 oval rug with colored squares for the kids to sit on in circle time. Mrs. Lauer, Full Kindergarten, will be asked if this is an item she would be interested as well. Vote to be taken at next meeting.

- Nancy Ozello will be purchasing the 26 cable converters for the DVDs each room received for Holiday Present from PTO. Bill Kranz shopped around and found best price of \$15each.
- Kelley Foerster suggested purchasing blank vinyl banners available from Oriental Trading Co. to use instead of paper or custom printed banners for events. Cost is approx. \$10. Item to be brought up at next meeting.

6. New Business

- Ice skating at O.D.s to be looked into for April Family Fun Night.
- Rockies tickets/group seating to be investigated for May.
- Volunteer system with permanent ID badges to be discussed further. Holly Holland to design possible ID card for next meeting.

7. Next meeting to be held **Tuesday, February 6th, 6:45pm.**

Respectfully submitted,
Holly Holland
January 26, 2007