

Valley View PTA Minutes – General Meeting

May 14, 2009

The meeting was called to order by Kim Johnson at 7:17 p.m.

Approval of the Agenda

Motion was made to accept 1st and 2nd. all in favor and motion carried.

Opening Ceremonies

The Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of the Minutes

Minutes will be ratified in September with the May minutes.

Correspondences

Correspondences were read and placed on file.

Special Program

Retiree teacher presentation

President's gift presentation from PTA

Recognition Award to Scholastic Books (Senator Mellow and Rep. Staback were unable to show for their recognition).

Treasurer's Report

Read by Sara Fox. Balance on Hand as of May 14, 2009 is \$31,178.10.

Budget for next year was submitted and approved.

New Business - Motion to open new business was 1st and 2nd, all in favor, motion was carried.

- **Year End Gift to the School** – Estimates were given to provide a School District sign on Columbus St. The sign approved was estimated at \$1,700. Motion approved.
- **2nd Grade Farewell** - 2nd Grade Teachers requested support for a 2nd Grade Farewell. PTA motioned and approved the spending of up to \$1,000 and placed in the budget as a future program. The program was coordinated with the step up day visitation at the Intermediate School.

Old Business –

- Arbor Day went well.
- 6 delegates went to the PA State convention from VVEPTA. VVEPTA won for Most Outstanding Newsletter.

Standing Committees

Bylaws – Yvonne Propst

Bylaws were approved by motion to be sent into State for approval.

Membership – Kelly Passeri

Current Membership count is 369. Carolyn Vanston won the annual membership raffle to the NYC Dinner Cruise.

Play Day – Stephanie Miller

Play Date times are as follows: Kindergarten – May 29th; 1st Grade - May 28th (am), 2nd Grade - May 28th (pm).

Special Committees

- **Book Fair**

The book fairs went well.

- **Campbell Labels – Amanda Russell**

The winning class in the current UPC contest was Ms. Elkins and Mr. Callejas. Collection was 3000 points during the contest and 11,600 points for the year.

- **Family Movie Night 2 – Maria Kishel and Kristie Strubeck**

The movie night went well and the food sales covered the expenses for the night.

- **Fifth Grade Farewell –**

Tracy Kranick is the chair, please contact her if you want to help.

- **Teacher/Staff Appreciation – Lisa Shanley**

The teachers enjoyed the luncheon. Many thank you notes were received.

- **Quarterly Attendance –** The third quarter attendance awards were coupons from Texas Roadhouse or Rita's Italian Ice.

Special Orders

Nominations –

Kim Kaschak withdrew for President; Kristie Strubeck was nominated from the floor. Nomination accepted by Kristie.

Kim McAndrew for 1st Vice President, the floor nomination of Amy Borgacci was made, Kim McAndrew was withdrawn. Nomination accepted by Amy.

Marla Kovatch for 2nd Vice President

Stephanie Miller for Secretary

Kristal Clifford for Treasurer

Debbie Smith for Historian

Nominations were closed. Acceptance by majority for each position was made. The following individuals are elected for the 2009-2010 year:

Kristie Strubeck, President

Amy Borgacci, 1st Vice President

Marla Kovatch, 2nd Vice President

Stephanie Miller, Secretary

Kristal Clifford, Treasurer

Debbie Smith, Historian

Historian's Report – Motions made to accept the Historian's Report, all in favor and placed on file.

Fundraisers – Gertrude Hawk was chosen for the fall fundraiser, the motions were made and accepted.

Membership Raffle – Winner was Chris Farrell. (Marianno's Gift Certificate)

50/50 Raffle - \$8 winner was Dina Angeloni.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:16 p.m.