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## PTA GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

February 3, 2010

Meeting called to order by Romanna @1805 with 21 people in attendance

Welcome- Romanna

### Approval of Minutes

- Motion made, seconded and carried forward unanimously (18) for approval of January 6th, General Meeting Minutes.

### President's Report

- Spanish immersion discussion (district wide) for what to do for HS transfer, immersion programs, etc., HS redesign.

### Principal's Report

- AYP results sent out again, which addresses the federal mandate. Update to follow by Tina in school newsletter.
- Appreciation Days/Week for Classified (March) and Teacher (May). Further discussion to follow.

### Treasurer's Report

- Budget status
  - Current bank balance of \$10, 866.19 with expenses at \$5,056.35.

### Student Council Report

- Kicked off coin drive for Haiti (competition between houses)
- Crafting a letter for donation of lockers to the Rebuilding Center.

### Committee Reports

- Fundraising
  - Bobcat Beans: \$298 sold this year. Not sure of profit given back to school
  - Scrip orders: \$33 profit from 2 orders; thinking about opening up to families as well as staff

- Upcoming Events: Working on 2nd BIG event; target is for end of April/early May, will be an outdoor event; March: Tamale Sale; April: Pizzacato; May: Country Cat/Original Taco House night out
- Volunteer
  - PTA Care Day, February 20th 0930-1200.

### **Old Business**

- After School Program(s) status: Gathering information about all current after school programs already being held. Working on proposal to forward on to Tina. Plan is submit by April/May.
- Kindergarten Round Up nights: Neighborhood, Feb. 11th; Immersion, Feb. 18th. Attempting to get parents of current kindergartners to attend and available for discussion.
- Sweetheart Dance: February 12th. Committees formed and tasks assigned.

### **New Business**

- Teacher Support Fund: Motion made, seconded and carried unanimously (18) to replenish line item "Teacher Support" by \$500 from 123 Auction proceeds.
- Fund Request: Jay, Americorps volunteer, requested \$165 in bus fare for day conference to take several students to "Junior Coach" conference. Motion made, seconded and carried unanimously (18).
- Living La Vida Healthy Carnival: Community wide event with emphasis on activities for families to be held Saturday, May 22nd.
- "Read Across America": Dr. Seuss Pajama Party, March 4th. Details to follow.
- Lunch order: looking into further at Administrative level
- Facebook: Bridger Page?
- Field trip to Ms. Tatum's Science Lab

### **Adjournment**

- Motion made, seconded and carried unanimously (18) to adjourn at 1930. Next meeting, March 3rd at 1800.

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