#### Ridge Road PTO Meeting Minutes April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018

The meeting was called to order by Anne Marie Bailey at 6:05 pm and adjourned by Anne Marie Bailey at 7:30pm.

## Attendees:

Principal: Anne Marie Bailey Vice President: Courtney Danna Treasurer: Christine Eddy Secretary/Fund-raising Committee : Melissa Gillette Others:Emily Ivanshek, Kim Bourgois, Corey Bourgois, Nichole Gilbert, Katie Youngs

## **Treasurer's Report**

Capitol Balance: \$19,781.32 Checking Balance: \$20,276.56

# Carnival:

- Raffle package updates: Hotel stay has been secured, at the Fairfeild Inn. Emails have been sent to several businesses. Raffle is coming along.
- Julie and Monohan Rentals will be supplying tents, chairs and tables. Emily is organizing this.
- Courtney is working on contacting volunteers: ASMS, Interact, Heath Classes, Youth Beauro.
- Signage: Danielle? Will need to be printed and laminated at school this year.
- Christi contacting the Photo Booth
- Mrs Bailey is contacting John Hooper in regards to using his trailer
- On Wednesday 4/25 at 10 am we will be meeting at Ridge Road to clean out the shed to help determine prizes and games

## **Teacher Requests:**

- Kim Bourgois came to discuss purchasing Field Day T shirts. Each grade level would have one color, but the same design. Mrs Bailey suggested that this year we purchase the shirts as a surprise and let parents know that we would like to start this tradition, and that next year we would be requesting \$5 per shirt. Courtney voted in favor, Christi 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion, all in favor.
- Lisa Earley would like to go to an Anger Management training to help students who are feeling frustrated. The cost is \$119 if submitted early. Melissa Motioned, Courtney 2<sup>nd</sup>, all in favor. Christi wrote the check, Lisa will send in application.
- Mrs Benton would like to know if the Student Council can move ahead with the Box Drive. They would like to do a Beach Themed Day on May 24<sup>th</sup> if 5000 box tops are collected. Courtney will order a reusable box top thermometer, Melissa will be printing and laminating classroom signs. Letter will go home to parents on May 7<sup>th</sup> Goal Date of May 22<sup>nd</sup>.

# **Old Business:**

- Spring Pictures went very smoothly. Sherri Boughton and Melissa assisted. Every thing was done early.
- Japan Visitors: Went very well, kids were all engaged.
- Science Night: Great night! The corning scientists did a great job, as well as all of the kids.

#### New Business:

- Grandparents Day: April 20<sup>th</sup> Kim will be purchasing coffee, juice, fruit, pastries, napkins, cups, and small plates on Thursday. Melissa will ask Zeiglers to donate dish gardens. Christi will purchase 3 restaurant gift cards. Helpers will include: Melissa, Christi, Courtney, Sam D., Corey B, Kerri L? Sherri B? Angela? Sarah? Mrs Bonnell? Shannon C? Courtney asking Lorrie if Fire Department can assist with parking.
- NYS Testing: 4/11/12 and May. Teachers planning a testing party with Christi Eddy.
- Kindergarten Screening and Orientation: Courtney doing purchasing
- Budget Vote is May 15<sup>th</sup>, will be putting a reminder for parents on our FB page
- Spring Book Fair: 5/29-6/1 5/29 evening will be parent book fair. Courtney will be organizing volunteers.
- Teacher Appreciation week: 60 staff

Monday:Bagels and Blarney and juice: Courtney organizing this day Tuesday: Melissa supplying baked goods Wednesday: Melissa will come up with something Thursday:Rita's Friday Emily supplying lunch

## **Upcoming Events:**

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 8th: 6pm carnival planning, 6:30 regular meeting Kindergarten Screening: May 14-18<sup>th</sup> Kindergarten orientation: May9th 4<sup>th</sup> grade concert: May 17<sup>th</sup> Spring Book Fair: May 29-June 1<sup>st</sup> K concert : June 1<sup>st</sup> Carnival:June 8<sup>th</sup> Grandparents Day: April 20<sup>th</sup>