

## PSS Board Meeting February 8th, 2010

Attending: Mary Killea, Karen Simmons/Ayala, Ericka Katz, Leslie Jenson, Allison Sherman, Michelle Woolard, Angee Glastra Van Loon, Lisa Krecklow, Stephanie Wettstein, Jodie Westing, Jennifer Patterson and William Patterson

Budget Review- Jodie gave us the report for the checking and other account balances. There were questions about how to budget the candygram money and speakers for parent night. We decided to put this line item in assemblies.

Event Review- Texas Hold-em is coming up Feb. 19th- we need more people to register! We currently have 4 sponsors. There will be food supplied by Albertsons. We will not be selling gift wrap in the fall. Let's support these new programs. Signs will be going in at the school to promote this event.

Bingo- Is coming up on April 9th. We will have pizza and prizes. Watch for more information soon.

Family Write Night- April 12th- this is a partnership with site council. We will have a wonderful author- more info soon.

Mad science night was well attended and the feedback was positive.

Book Exchange- Naomi Hayes and Tricia Borgen are in charge. This will be around April 20th. The budget will be \$500.00 for upper level books.

Fun Run- Getting started. There will be a walk /run for the parents this year. The parents will get a raffle ticket and t shirt for participating. The event is May 14th. The fun run will likely be moved to the fall.

Staff appreciation is the first week of May!

Nominations and elections- The next board meeting is the annual meeting which will be at school. There will be elections before the next meeting.

Innovative teacher grants- Mrs. Sabom and 5th grade team had their proposals up for approval. Both grants were approved with an addendum for Mrs. Sabom.

Passive income report- Box tops have been doing well. The box top website is helpful. The gift card program- is going fairly well. We need to sell more cards!!! Albertsons will give 5 percent back and Thriftway will give 7 percent back towards the school.

Art Fundraiser- The program will run through Original Works. Each child's art will be made into a magnet and then you can order other items. It will start in March and items will be back by May for Mother's Day. We will get 33% for our school.

Principal's report- Lucy Caulkins- writing guru gave a workshop on the writing process for many teachers. Another big group of teachers went to a local literacy conference. Boones Ferry will be hiring another spanish immersion teacher. There will be opportunities for students to get help with science fair projects on Feb. 19th and 26th. The last day of school is slated for June 17th.

The meeting was adjourned.