

Brimfield Elementary School



PTA Meeting Minutes – June 7, 2011

Call to Order: President Michelle Moore called the meeting to order at 6:04 pm

Attendance: Michelle Moore, Natalie Bish, Vicki Martin, Angela Brockway, Pam Way, John Brockway, Jon Lynch, Ashleigh Ziemann, Dana Boston

Approval of Minutes: Motion made by Pam Way to approve minutes of the May 3, 2011, PTA meeting. Motion approved.

Treasurer Report: Motion made by Dana Boston to approve monthly budget for May 2011. Motion approved.

Report of Board:

Michelle Moore - The district will have informational levy meetings held throughout the summer on Tuesday evenings at the High School. PTA is continuing to presume "positive intentions".

Natalie Bish- There will be an Audit and a Budget Committee meeting in July this summer. We are looking into an outdoor classroom grant, the Greenhouse Grant. There is also a "Backpack" Grant used to sustain free/reduced lunch students through the weekend.

Old Business:

- 1. Walk-a-Thon** - This was a successful day. We will plan it again for next year. \$3774.23 was raised plus \$941 in donations to various charities such as: Akron Zoo "adopt an animal", Portage County APL "adopt a kennel", Lovelight, Brimfield Food Cupboard, Akron Childrens Hospital, American Cancer Society, Haven of Rest.
- 2. Box Tops** - A total of 12, 809 box tops were collected. Our school earned \$1280.90
- 3. Coke to Rewards Program** -We would like to look into this to earn money for the school next year.
- 4. Falcon Fund** - We will vote on this at our August/September meeting 2011.

5. **Library Committee** - The district will only have one librarian traveling to all buildings next year. We will develop a committee of parents to help in our building and to assist with the equipment that is stored in the library.

New Business:

1. **Sign for School** - We are currently getting quotes to have a sign put in, in the front of the building.
2. **Field Trips** - Due to the age of our district's school buses, there will be no field trips next year. We are researching programs that can be brought into the school building.
3. **Purchase Requests:**
 - A. PTA requested a membership to Sams Club for the 2011-2012 school year. Mr. Lynch made a motion for a Sams Club membership. Motion approved.
 - B. John Brockway made a motion to donate \$100 to the Levy Committee. Motion approved with 2 abstains.
4. PTA still has \$1900 in the budget to spend for teacher supplies.
5. PTA is looking for a utensil dispenser to purchase for the cafeteria.

Principal's Report:

Thank you to everyone who helped with the 4th Grade DARE Graduation and the 5th Grade Recognition.

Meeting Adjourned: 6:45 pm

Next meeting: August/September 2011 (TBA)