

Cedar Mill PTC Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, March 6, 2007

The meeting started at 3:20 p.m. in the Cedar Mill Library.

Attendees: Scot Stockwell, Gillian Dyall, Elizabeth Byrne, Laurie Maheu, Karen Dellinger, Sue DeLeeuw, Maryrose Reagan, Sally Weber, Alan Williams, Julie Eggers, John Ragno, Susannah Fennell, Lisa Marineau, Jessie Hawkins, Barbie Zenner, Kathy Smyth, Kathryn Mount, Grace Butler, Carolyn Dillon, Chris Marino, Dawn Miller, Iris Hinz, Inez Bauer, Jillane Onasch, Julie Babcock, Alexis Rund, Heidi Johnson, Kathryn Mount, Gail Turney, Amy Corris, Wendy Kielman, Drue Sampsell

Minutes: The January and February minutes were presented. The February minutes were approved.

Auction Success: (Elizabeth Byrne)

Total Auction Income: \$ 35,524.55, additional donations expected.

Total Fall Fundraiser Income (Sally Foster): \$5,748.73

Attendees: 160

New costs incurred this year:

Seed money given to classroom auction items, live auctioneer, additional food, teacher tickets.

Enrichment: (Wendy Kielman)

Flyers for the spring session enrichment sessions will go home next week.

The offerings are: Mad Science, Digital Photography, Jr. Engineering French, Spanish, Drawing with Ben Adams.

Standing question: Would we like to host a Mad Science assembly as a kickoff for the Science Fair? The cost for a 30 minute show is \$199. Sue DeLeeuw will present the option to the Science Fair Committee and report to the PTC.

Budget: (Gillian Dyall) The Budget Report was approved as presented.

Bank Balance: \$44840.47

Suggested uses for excess budget funds:

Parking Structure

Soap dispensers and Paper Towel dispensers Hot water staff in staff bathroom Classroom DVD Players Elmo Projectors Playground Clock White boards DVDs to support curriculum Smart Board Extension materials for Passport Club Playground equipment Shelter for Parent Pick-Up area Bulletin boards for main hallways (with plexiglass covers?) Air conditioning Science Fair: (Sue DeLeeuw)

This event will take place on Wednesday, April 18th

The Science Fair Committee needs new blood! The current coordinators, Bill and Sue DeLeeuw, Dave Burns and Mary Kinghorn, John Calvin, Larry Bates, Steve Schade and Eric Means would like to add at least eight new people to shadow the current leaders this year and take over the planning of the event for next year.

25 Volunteers are needed as Project Raters to help judge student work during the Science Fair.

Volunteers are needed to visit each classroom to encourage students to participate.

Sue suggested that we skip the Spaghetti Dinner and do the Mad Science assembly as a kickoff, instead.

A planning meeting has been set for Wednesday, March 14th at 7:00 p.m. at the McMenamin's Restaurant at Cedar Hills Blvd. and Jenkins Road.

2007 Cedar Mill Science Fair Entry and Information Form will go home with the Quill.

Art Night: (Nancy Wells)

The Art Night is tentatively scheduled for May 16th. A Co-Chair volunteer is needed.

2007-2008 PTC Board:

Positions open: Two Presidents, Vice President, Secretary, Volunteer Coordinators, Committee Leads and Co-Leads.

Teachers are asked to nominate individuals for the open positions.

School Supply Kits: (Scot Stockwell for Janet Vanoni) More information to follow.

Principal's Update: (Scot Stockwell)

Local School Committee Opening - deadline March 15. This is an elected position, manage school use, school building improvements. Application packets can be obtained from school.

Merlo Station has been using the Cedar Mill Stage. They are rehearsing a show which will be performed for our intermediate students on Thursday, March 8 and performances for the public on Friday, March 9 and Saturday March 10 in the evening.

Other Business: (All)

A parent expressed concern regarding the effectiveness of the HVAC system in the building.

Staff thanked the Auction Committee for their hard work, dedication and success.

Suggestions for next year included doing a biannual auction and offer more activities for whole families.

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