

BBMS PTA Executive Board Minutes

November 10, 2010

Present:

Teachers/Staff: Matthew Adkins, Chris Nobis, Jessica Petrlik, Terry Rainey, Avi Turner

PTA board members: LaVonne DeLattiboudere, Sangita Patel, Beth Webster, Pam Gray

PTA Committee Chairs: Maryann Cohea, Wendy Williams

PTA members/parents: Lori Magoon

October minutes approved

President's Report, LaVonne Delattiboudere

-Low turnout tonight because of scheduling conflicts with other school activities

-Suggested by Wendy Williams to have meet and greet with principal in late afternoon or another time to accommodate working parents

-PTA Activities Scheduled for Feb.

* Feb. 4th Poetry Slam at 7pm.

*Feb. 24th Dads on Campus 11:23-1:20

6th grade lunch 11:23-11:53

7th grade lunch 12:03-12:33

8th grade lunch 12:50-1:20

-Dates to Remember for November 2010

*American Education Week 11/15-11/19 (parent Visitation day 11/18 starting at 8:30am)

*Coffee with the Principal from 9am-10am

*Turkey trot/Fall Fling 11/19

*Parent Teacher Conferences 11/22-11/23

*Honor Roll Assemblies

8th grade 8:10-9:00am

7th grade 9:00-9:50am

6th grade 11:05-11:55am

Breakfast of Champions 7:30am.

*PTA Dance will be rescheduled for April 1, 2011

*International Night is scheduled for May 6, 2011

1st VP, Bernice Dargan-no report

2nd VP, Sandra Miller-

Social Events

-International Night scheduled for Friday, May 6, 2011

- **Forming a committee if there are any parents or teachers that wish to assist they may contact me or Meena Ahmed.**

-Days on Campus Lunch scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 24, 2011

- All building permits have been submitted

Watch Dogs.

- Waiting for kit to be order. Placed the order form in the PTA box and contacted Sangita.

- Once the kit is received we can began implementing the program.

Treasurer's Report, Sangita Patel- need to consider fundraisers. Short of direct donations goal.

Principal's Report, Carolyn Jameson

10/27 – Good family turnout for the parent outreach dinner and student support @

Phelps Luck

11/1 – pickAtime opened at 3:00 to schedule conferences

11/15 – Report Cards Issued to students

11/15 – 11/19 American Education Week:

Great Public Schools: A Basic Right and Our Responsibility

11/17 - Coffee with the Principal from 9 – 10 AM

11/18 – Parent Visitation Day for American Education Week

11/19 – Turkey Trot/Fall Fling

11/22 -11/23 – Parent/Teacher Conferences (1 – 3) & (4:30 – 7:15)

11/24 – 8:00 – 3:00 (only teachers who couldn't come during evening conferences)

11/22 – Honor Roll Assemblies:

8th Grade 8:10 – 9:00 AM

7th Grade 9:00 – 9:50 AM

6th Grade 11:05 – 11:55 AM

Breakfast of Champions @ 7:30 AM

11/25 – 11/26 – HAPPY THANKSGIVING☺

Teachers Reports:

-**6th grade**, Avi Turner(ESOL) is the WEB leader also. Meeting with WEB kids this week and they have chosen to do a bake sale as a fundraiser. Ms. Tuner also interested in helping with International Night

-**7th grade**, Chris Nobis-Field trip to aquarium was successful. Fundraiser on 11/17 at Pei Wei. 20% of receipts will go towards field trip in spring to Medieval Times.

-**8th grade**, no report

-**Related Arts**, Terry Rainey(Music/Chorus) Canned food drive. Donation bins at end of hall where band/chorus room located. Shark Shop looking for new Volunteer coordinator for the rest of year and next year. Also need to recruit volunteers to work in shop. Contact Mr. Emery. Mary Ann Cohea volunteered to help look for someone to step up to this position. BBMS band/orchestra concert 7pm Dec. 15th HHS. Chorus concert Dec. 16th at BBMS.

-**Special Education, Jessica Petrlik**-Team STAND is group of 19 7th/8th grade boys who are participating in a Community outreach and leadership activities on Wednesdays after school. Currently, they are organizing fundraising for Special Olympics of Maryland.

Staff members have been participating in monthly professional development activities with the theme of increasing student engagement.

-**Support Services-Matt Adkins**-BBMS held first Community outreach Program at Phelps Luck Elementary. First of four scheduled this year. Staff met with students, families and had dinner and sessions. Reviewed strategies for families who may not have computers, how to study, etc.

These are families who are involved in some type of intervention program here at BBMS. Would be good to have dates so PTA representative may be able to attend.

Committee Reports:

-PALS, Dayna Crisco-no report

-Hospitality Chair, no report

-Special Events Chair, Sandra Miller-

-PTAC Representative, Pam Gray- Budget being reviewed by county. Hope to be approved in January. Race to TOP. County will be reviewing information on how to spend the money. There will be a focus group to form to get input regarding weekly e-newsletter. Also, a diversity team to look into GT program and kids who may fall through cracks who should be in program and not. Also reviewing and changing policies for school usage.

-Reflections, Jillian Storms-no report

-Membership and Direct Donations, Laura Zulick- no report

-Poetry Night, Gail Miller Myers- no report

-Parents for Positive Change, Jillian Storms- no report

-Student Directory, Beth Webster-directory finished. Decided that we will not make additions at this point.

-Boxtops, Dedra Harris-no report

-Health and Wellness, Yvette Rooks- no report

-STARS, Amy Schroeder-no report

Minutes submitted by Secretary Beth Webster