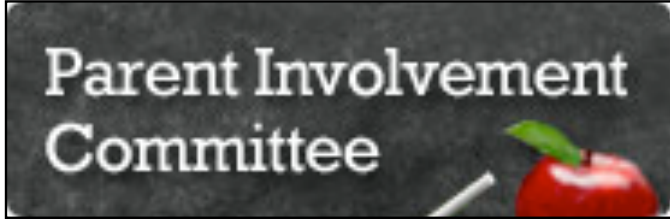


Pine Grove PIC

Attendance:

Indy Jaswal, Greg Curry, Tamara Lockbart, Judith Delabunt, Sarah Lamont, Zinat Shabrin, Jennie Neff, Vanessa Parson-Robbs, Ronda Martin, Julia Noble



Motion to Accept Minutes:

1st: Indy Jaswal

2nd: Sarah Lamont

Class Ambassador's Presentation:

- Mrs. Halfyard and Miss Mazachowsky's introduction
- Initiatives: Wells of hope collection, Community Care candy cane drive, Humane Society collection of food and treats.
- Discussion of volunteer opportunities, spirit day, Class Ambassador t-shirts to still arrive
- The PIC paid \$60.00 to the Ambassador's Club to help cover cost of members t-shirts. (12 x \$5)

Principal's Report: (Dec and Jan)

Dec. 1- Gr. 1/2 & 2/3 to Children's Safety Village

Dec. 2- Joy Day

Dec. 7- Gr 1 to Heidehof

Dec. 12- Art in a Cart, JK/SK and Gr. 1

Dec. 14- "Annie", Gr.'s. 1-6

Dec. 19 - Art in a Cart, Gr. 3/4 and 4/5

Dec. 20- Art in a Cart, Gr. 2/3 and 5/6

Dec. 21- Gingerbread Houses

Dec. 23- Student Recognition Assembly,
9 am/Last day of school

Jan. 9- First Day Back

Jan. 13- MacDonald Cup Volleyball Tournament,
rescheduled from Dec. 16th

Jan. 20- PA Day, no school

Jan. 22- Student Recognition Assembly

Treasurer's Report:

- We have \$7800.00 in our account, not including monies from poinsettia sales. Teacher allotment of \$2100 has been withdrawn from the account already.

Other Business:

- Gingerbread Houses/Men Day- Wed, Dec. 21st @ 1:35 (9:15 am for morning JK/SK). The PIC is seeking volunteers for making gingerbread men, houses, icing and helping in the classrooms. Chantel will be getting a flyer out this week to send home. We are offering a gluten-free option for gingerbread this year. Sarah Lamont has volunteered to make up the batches. This special request will be offered as an option on the hand out. It was noted that an early reply date would be helpful to orchestrate baking the separate batches of gluten free gingerbread. Grades JK-Gr. 1 will be decorating gingerbread men and grades 2-6 will be decorating houses. Each child will be asked to bring in nut free candy for decorating.
- Poinsettia Fundraiser- Our first annual poinsettia sales drive was a success! The PIC generated \$1175.00 from this event. Delivery is set for Tuesday, December 13th at 10 am.
- Hot lunches- Numbers for orders are down to only 206. A discussion took place regarding uncertain quality of the lunches and the simultaneous arrival of both hot lunch and pizza day forms. It was brought up that some parents are feeling overwhelmed with money being put out for both food items at the same time. Judith and Tamara will check the hot lunch quality on Wednesday, December 7th and report back to the PIC.
- Dance-A-Thon: Will take place this year on Friday, February 24th. The cost for DJ services (family member of David Leighton's) is \$500, which will be split with Micheal J. Brennan. Vanessa Parson-Robbs has a DJ connection who may be able to provide complimentary services for next year. It was decided that this year we will reward prizes to the Top 3 Fundraisers, plus for the best group effort. Pledge envelopes will be handed out the 1st of February. Discussion regarding glow bracelets and a better source needed for next year's event.
- Pro-Grant workshops: April/May 2012
- Possible Pine Grove Play Day event to be scheduled in 2012. Decision will be largely based on parental support and volunteering for the day.
- There will not be a PIC meeting in January.
- Next Meeting: Monday, February 6th, 2012 at 6:30pm. Everyone welcome!