

PTO meeting

December 3, 2015

Attendance: Kristi Denison, Sarah Prock, Valerie Coolidge, Amy Ham, Tracy McNall, Jennifer Desjardins, Rachel Lacey, Stacey Kester, Vantrese Tompkins, Bertha Villa-Maldonado

Meeting call to order: 6:02 pm

Meeting minutes were reviewed, a motion was made to approve the November minutes by Jennifer Desjardins and second by Tracy McNall. Missoula Children's Theater (Feb. 29-March 5th) was mentioned to be funded by donations and the rest covered by PTO

Treasures Report:

Reported by Kristi Denison, \$150 deposit was made, current balance is \$3,989.99 with \$1,730.69 belonging to Mr. Olson for annual 4th grade trip.

Old Business:

New officers introduced themselves

It was agreed to leave the PTO Suggestion Box in the School's office to make it readily available for submissions

New Business:

PTO PO Box: Vantrese spoke about the necessity of having a PTO PO Box for keeping up to date with essential organization correspondence, the annual cost is \$50, the 1st 6 months were donated and paid for by Vantrese, a motion was made to approve a PTO PO Box by Tracy McNall and second by Bertha Villa-Maldonado, PTO PO Box is: PO box 324 Tonasket WA. 98855.

AR Rewards: a motion was made by Tracy McNall to approve expenditures of \$50 or less a month for AR Rewards, it was second by Jennifer Desjardins. A motion was made by Tracy MacNall to approve the request made by Kristi Denison to replenish pencils and second by Jennifer Desjardins.

Mt Bikes: a motion was made by Jennifer Desjardins to buy 3 mountain bikes for the Reading Program, it was second by Tracy McNall.

Carnival Chairperson: Amy Ham has agreed to be one of the chairpersons, we'll continue to look for a co-chairperson.

PTO technology: It was discussed that the following technology is available for PTO event info: School Website PTO Link, Facebook: TES PTO, Twitter: @TonasketPTO, e-mail: Tonasketpto@gmailcom, Robocall and School District's Blackboard (the night before), Vantrese

Tompkins) encourage people to use the technology available and let others know to do the same.

Creating visibility for PTO: Have bake sales at sporting events (Amy Ham), like and invite others to like PTO's Facebook page (Tracy McNall), piggyback with other activities/events (Kristi Denison), partner with other groups/clubs—like the Booster Club (Vantrese Tompkins), Make announcements during school events/activities and school's Newsletter(Sara Prock).

PTO meeting presenters/activities: WA Reading Core representative Valerie Coolidge let us know her organization was available to do reading activities for PTO events.

Next Meeting is on January 7th with a tentative time of 6pm (an online Survey will be made to see if this works for everyone or if we need to change it)

Meeting was adjourned at 7:03 pm