

Bellview PTA Board Meeting
October 8, 2009
Peace Lutheran Church – Rogers, AR

Call to Order:

Kelly Brain called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM.

Introduction:

Mrs. Duncan was introduced as the teacher representative at board meetings.

Attendance:

In attendance were: Karen Arriaza, Deb Ellis, Lori Long, Lori Duncan, Marilyn Seabolt, Jaci Uecker, Rebecca Chanyi, Marcy Winchester, Carla Laing, Jennifer Apolskis, Pennie Laird, Tiffany See, Mindy Allen, Kelly Brain, and Julie Henley. Attendance met quorum requirements.

Review of Minutes:

Minutes from the September 10, 2009 board meeting were approved as transmitted.

Treasurer's Report – Trina Davis:

Treasurer's Report was read by Pennie Laird. Current cash balance was \$29,188.09. The treasurer's report was approved as read and will be filed for audit.

Committee Reports:

- *Recycle Challenge* report was given by Marilyn Seabolt. Plastic bags are ready to start. For complete list of items accepted to recycling, please refer to www.BellviewPTA.com. Recycling challenge committee is looking into adding clear tape cores and ink cartridges as well.
- *Holiday House* report was given by Marcy Winchester. Holiday House planning is underway, and this year Marcy is checking on renting tables instead of borrowing them.
- *Fall Carnival* report was given by Jaci Uecker. Approximately \$5500 was raised at this year's fall carnival. Jaci thanked everyone that helped organize the storage unit. Next year, more teacher participation would be appreciated. It was suggested that we change the fall carnival to a spring fling to prevent conflicts that impact volunteers, such as football games.
- *Silent auction* report was given by Carla Laing. The teacher experience auction raised approximately \$1000. The silent auction, as carried out this year, was more successful than the silent auction class gift baskets as done last year.
- *United Way* report was given by Jennifer Apolskis. The United Way fundraising goal for Bellview this year is \$5000. The fundraiser will be kicked off with a short video in Rise and Shine. The suggested donation is \$3 per week, per child, for three weeks. Children may purchase paper links for 50 cents each, and the class with the most links will be given an extra recess. October 30th will be a popcorn and juice day for the kids.

President's Report:

- *Schwan's Fundraiser* – October 19th the Schwan's truck will be in the parking lot from 2:30 – 6:30. Bellview will get a percentage of the sales. The percentage will depend on the sales and can be up to 20%.
- *Flu Clinic* – Additional doctor and nurse volunteers are needed for the flu shot clinic on November 3rd from 3:30 – 6:30. Bellview is donating leftover snacks and sodas from the Fall Carnival. More information will be sent home soon.
- *Correspondence Distribution* – Dr. Standridge needs to approve all correspondence that goes home in Tuesday folders.
- *Book Fair* – Volunteers are needed for the book fair on November 9th – 13th.
- *Cookies with Santa* – Alvin and the Chipmunks movie will be added to help distribute the crowd this year.
- *PTA Membership* – Membership has increased over last year.

Upcoming Events:

October 9	Homecoming
October 12	Chik-Fil-A night
October 16	No School
October 19	Schwan's Fundraiser
October 19 – 23	Conferences
October 23	Box Tops due
October 29	Skate night
October 30	Men of Bellview Coat Drive Ends
November 9	Chick-Fil-A Night
November 11	Veterans Day
November 12	Board Meeting
November 20	Box Tops Due
November 23	Professional Development Day

November 24 – 27 Fall Break

Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 10:05.

Karen Arriaza, Secretary