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Meeting Minutes February 9th, 2012

Meeting was called to order by Amber McNinch at 6:40 pm. There were 21 people in attendance.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mimi Magadia.

Karen Henderson made a motion to approve the minutes from January 12, 2011 meeting. Jerica Siska seconded the motion. The motion was passed unanimously.

Program Updates and Reports:

Family Movie Night-This community building event was a huge success! We raised approximately \$250 for this 1st annual family night. We had many positive comments from our Blue Oaks families. Thank you to Carolyn and her crew for making this such a fun & successful night.

<u>Box Tops</u>-New contest underway and will continue on until May. Third Grade will be having their party very soon for winning the Winter Box Tops contest.

<u>Dinner Out</u> - The next Dinner Out will be Wednesday, Feb 22, at Panda Express in Rocklin from 11am-8pm. The March Dinner Out will be at Smash Burger. There was discussion about having an Adults Only Dinner Out. The location is yet undetermined. Possible childcare opportunities were discussed.

Yearbook Sales - 200 books have been sold so far. The price has increased to \$22 from the "early-bird" special of \$20. Pictures are still being accepted and collected for the 2011/2012 yearbook. The cover is still being decided on. The opportunity for dedications will be in March.

Upcoming Events:

Nail Event at Oni't Salon, Spa and Lounge, Friday, February 10th, 5:30-10 pm - The nail spa is hosting a special Blue Oaks event including an evening of free wine tasting and appetizers. Gift certificates purchased on this evening will count towards the



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Blue Oaks donation also. Purchase the Signature Royal Pedicure for \$50 and \$15 goes back to Blue Oaks! Purchase a combo package Signature Royal Pedicure & Spa Manicure for \$80 and \$25 goes to Blue Oaks! Appetizers will be served and a professional wine consultant will be doing wine tasting while you are pampered. Can it get any better?!?

Pancake Breakfast - Feb 25th Planning is underway for our 3rd annual event. 150 tickets already sold. There will be a maximum 500 tickets available. This event sold out last year. Griddles, coffee pots and extension cords are still needed. For the Auction, Beth Wells and Christi da Cunha said there will be some awesome prizes up for grabs such as 7 nights in Mexico, Basketball camp, Disneyland tickets, Kindle Fire, Kenny G and Co., wine baskets, classroom basket....plus much more!

Grub Crawl - February 26, 2-5 pm, sponsored by the Roseville City School Foundation, Tickets for this event will be \$25. Serious grubbing will be done at Cheesecake Factory, Il Fornaio, & Ruth's Chris Steak House! Check-in begins at 1:30 at the Cheesecake Factory and the grubbing goes until 5pm.

Run 4 Roseville - April 15, sponsored by the Roseville City School Foundation, Team deadline is March 15th. Prices increase April 1st. Takes place at the Maidu Regional Park. Different from a Jog-A-Thon in that it is a community event that welcomes participation from everyone in the region. It shows their support of education, from families to runners, to neighbors on your street. For more info and to sign up, visit www.run4roseville.com.

<u>Tiles for Technology</u> - January extended hours paint day went well. There will be two more painting days in April. T4T committee gifted a tile to Mr. Ancker!

<u>Volunteers</u> - Pancake Breakfast volunteers still needed. Kitchen manager position has been filled by 2 PTC Board members.

Teachers' Reports:

First Grade - was so excited to attend their field trip to Roseville Theatre's play about a boy who didn't want to move to a new town. The penguin unit is complete with studying about penguins around the world as well as related math games that



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promote problem solving. Also, they just celebrated the 100th day of school!

Third grade - is working on the finishing touches to their Journey to Mars performances later this month. Some classes are doing planet reports as they continue to learn more about our solar system. In math, third graders are learning to multiply two digit numbers: a big step in their curriculum! Many art and literature activities abound with Valentine's Day just around the corner!

Fourth Grade - In language arts, fourth graders are rehearsing a musical about the missions, reading Island of the Blue Dolphins, reading and writing about slow and fast changes to the earth's crust, and writing a report about California Native Americans. In math they are learning geometry. Today they had a presentation by the California Waterfowl Association where they learned about the habitats and adaptations of waterfowl. They are also invited to participate in the Junior Duck Stamp art contest. Next month they will be taking the state writing test and go on their first field trip of the year to the Roseville Utility Exploration Center.

Fifth Grade - They have been continuing their language unit about the West. They have been learning all about effective narrative writing and common grammatical errors. They are wrapping up their science unit on Earth's Weather this month in science and completing their history unit on Life in the Colonies. They will soon be preparing for their final tests for the trimester.

Adjournment at 7:13pm

