



### January PTC General Meeting Minutes

**January 09, 2014**

The meeting was called to order by Cindy Mastro at 6:35 p.m.

Mimi Magadia led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Past Minutes** – A motion was made by Nicole Owston to approve the minutes from the Nov. 2013 meeting “as presented on the PTC website.” The motion was seconded by Gina DiBlasio. The motion was passed unanimously.

**Review Financials** – We made a profit of over \$7K with Mixed Bags this year (our 3<sup>rd</sup> year doing this fundraiser). The Holiday Shop made almost \$2K (\$1,912) in our first year and was a great success.

**Electronic Marquee** – The electronic marquee will be installed this week. The gray poles on the side will be painted blue (to match) once the weather warms due to the paint type. We will be temporarily using Mr. Murphy’s laptop for the wording/graphics.

#### Program Updates:

**Box Tops/eScript** – No new info.

**Dinners Out** - The next Dinner Out will be at Placer Pizza on 1/15 & 16 (2 days). This is a new business to Roseville and they will be giving us 30% back over 2 days. Mr. O’Connor & Mrs. Hoffman were the class winners from our last Dinners Out contest.

**Holiday Shop (Cindy Mastro/Nicole Owston)** – The Holiday Shop was a great success and fun for the kids. We made almost \$2K (\$1,912).

**Skate Night (Tracy Terry-Sells)** – The Dec. Skate Night was not as heavily attended as other Skate Nights, but the kids had a great time. The next Skate Night is Wed. Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Movie Night (Cindy Mastro)** – Movie night is coming up on Jan. 24<sup>th</sup>. The movie is Disney’s Aladdin. Flyers were sent home this week. Price of admission, which includes popcorn & a drink, is \$3. Doors open at 5:30pm, the movie starts at 6:30pm. Volunteers are needed to help staff the event.

**Spiritwear (Nicole Owston/Beth Wells)** – No update.

**Pancake Breakfast (Sarah Wilk)** – The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Pancake Breakfast will be on Sat. 2/22. Beth Wells is continuing to collect donations for the auction/raffle. We will be asking PTC Reps/Room Parents to organize a class basket/auction item for each class. Nicole Owston will be coordinating this piece. PTC

Reps: look for an email regarding this. We are also asking the teachers for any creative auction item “experience” with the students. Last year’s examples: Breakfast with your Teacher, Ice Cream Party with your Teacher, etc. Flyers will be sent out Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> (after Movie Night).

**Staff Appreciation** – Thank you to all the volunteers who contributed to the Holiday Staff Luncheon! The staff really appreciated it. The Jan. staff appreciation will be a surprise.

**Student Recognition** – No update, Bear Hugs are running smoothly.

**Yearbook** – A flyer for pre-order sales of the yearbook was sent home this week. The \$20 pre-order price will be available only until Mon. Jan. 27<sup>th</sup>. Any pictures from school can be submitted to Becky Barry via a CD or flash drive.

**Principal Report** – Mr. Murphy reminded us of a fun event hosted by RCSD that benefits our school. Savor Roseville is an adult food/wine tasting event at the Roseville Galleria Open Court on 1/31, 6 – 9pm. There will be a link in the eNews next week to registration.

Our school will be pilot testing the common core assessments this year. These tests will be online, and the staff is looking at the different issues this could present. One concern is that the kids will need strong keyboarding skills to be able to complete the test in a timely manner. We have purchased a program to allow the kids to practice their keyboarding skills. The window of testing dates is: 4/22 – 6/6. Blue Oaks has not been assigned our testing dates as of yet. Parents will be sent information about how they can go online to preview the test. There is the possibility that the 5<sup>th</sup> grades will be taking the ‘old’ (paper) standardized science test. More information/details to come on this!

**Teachers Report** – The teachers gave updates on field trips, academics, and other classroom activities for grade K – 5.

**Open Floor** – Jennifer Haas (VP A) thanked the following Event Chairs for all of their hard work so far this year: Sarah Wilk – Garage Sale, Malena Madrigal – Mixed Bags, Amber McNinch/Diane Hillburn – Fall Book Fair, Carolyn Turpin – Bear Jamboree, Nicole Owston/Mindy Corr/Cindy Mastro – Holiday Shop. A big thank you to all !

**The meeting was adjourned at 7:19pm.**