# Monday, 3/9/15 PTO Meeting- Called to order at 6:30p.m.

**Attendees:** PTO Officers – Barbara Murray, Dawn Rowder, Amy Draskovich, & Denise Strasser. Sara Trumpf, Valerie Valentine, Nicole Foras, Josh Peeples, Char Keuler, Jackie Leighton.

**Secretary's Report:** Denise Strasser distributed minutes from 2/9/15 PTO meeting and read aloud.

### Treasurer's Report: Read by Amy Draskovich

Checking:\$5,969.54Savings:\$6,161.30

### **Ongoing Fundraisers:**

<u>Box Tops</u>- Stacy Forkner Chair – Not Present – No report. <u>Campbell's Soup</u>- Collection of soup labels is ongoing - Shelly DeLeeuw Chair – No Report. <u>Kwik Trip</u>- Amy Draskovich – no new report given.

### **Old Business:**

 <u>Spring Fundraiser</u> – Amy Draskovich will distribute forms in Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup> Folders for April delivery.

#### **New Business:**

- School Board Meeting Report –PTO Vice President Dawn Rowder reported that Dr. P. discussed the ongoing efforts to gain open enrollment to include an article in the Waterford Post. The school board approved W-C to have a Facebook page which will be managed by Kelli Vogt. Facebook can include group photos but will not include students names. There are 2 seats to be filled on the school board. Tim Szeklinski, President of the school board requested W-C participation in Lions Club Picnic in the Park on May 31<sup>st</sup> in Jensen Park it is free admission. Requested PTO represent with a booth.
- Update on Faculty Meeting Barbara Murray Charging Crow represented PTO and reported the meeting went well. She reiterated the need for attendance at PTO meetings and explained the PTO Incentive Program.
- Conference Meals Dawn Rowder reported the meals went well. Served baked potato bar and fruit. Teachers/staff were appreciative and gave PTO a signed thank you card.
- Turn Off TV Week Kelli Vogt advised it will be the week of March 23<sup>rd</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>. The theme this year is Under the Sea. The Book Fair coincides with Turn Off the TV Week Monday through Thursday. Kelli said that the teachers would plan two nights and requested that

PTO also plan two nights. Val Bluhm agreed to organize Bingo for Monday night. Denise Strasser will organize Wednesday Cook-Off along with another family activity TBD.

- Spring Concert No Update from Mr. Schroeder.
- Honor Roll No Update from Ed Dumke.
- Year End Carnival Josh Peeples reported everything is on track for 6-5. PTO advised budget is \$1,700.
- Next Year's Fundraisers Locked In No discussion.
- Reminder of Elections/Chair Positions/Committees Denise Strasser will contact current chairpersons as to whether they will chair again next year. PTO Officer election forms will be distributed in May 1<sup>st</sup> folders for election date May 8<sup>th</sup>.
- PTO Set Up at Registration Denise Strasser will have the volunteer boards ready for May 11<sup>th</sup> PTO meeting and subsequently for registration May 27<sup>th</sup> & May 28<sup>th</sup>.

# **Other Business:**

- Finance Committee Barbara Murray Charging Crow suggested a finance committee be formed to decide if budget items or fundraising should be reduced, eliminated or increased. Discussed rather than selling fundraising items to do more community event such as a color run. Volunteers for finance committee included Amy Draskovich, Barbara Murray Charging Crow, Josh Peeples and Nicole Foras. Barb will email volunteers to set up date & time for further discussion.
- PTO meetings and how to obtain more attendance/participation. Idea from Char Keuler who is a teacher at W-C is possibly change the PTO meeting time to 4:05 may increase teacher participation. Nicole Foras suggested giving \$5.00 bonus for PTO Incentive program for teachers that attend the meetings.
- Parent Teacher Conference meals Dawn Rowder reported that she has organized Potato Bar & Chili. She has organized with volunteers to bring any additional items and she is ready.

Next Meeting: April 13th @ 6:30pm Meeting Adjourned: 7:35pm