

PTA Meeting Minutes

3 October 2009

Welcome—Anne-Collins Albimino

Introduction of members in attendance

Principal—Chris Widrig

Focusing on school wide improvement goals

Technology is main focus – repair and replace outdated equipment

Meetings in future to assess goals

Enjoys Kipps and all the support

Vice Principal—Tracy Kwak

New, but has lots of education experience

Feels very welcome!

Anne-Collins moved to approve minutes from Sept 3rd meeting—Seconded by Kacie Hodge

Committee Reports

Volunteers—Kim Moyer

Parent volunteers are being compiled on a spreadsheet for ease

2 student organizations from VT helping, esp. Fall Festival

Reflections—Michelle Wilkens

Reflections—art based project contest/exhibition for students

Theme: Beauty is...

Deadline October 15

All information on Website

Planning a reception/recognition night January?????

Executive Board—Anne-Collins Albimino

Thank you to Erin Vogt for helping with the PTA web page and emails!

Treasurer Report—Helen Thompson

Expenses: Teacher Back-to-School Lunch, flowers to Marcia Settle

Balance today: \$4,059.73

Membership—Helen Thompson and Kacie Hodge

261 members (22% increase, but donations down)

Dues to National PTA – Dec 1st

Incentives—Erika McBee

Suggestion—Boxtops Lady (in an apron—gathering Tyson A+ and boxtops) to help the students encourage their parents to save boxtops etc. Idea encouraged

Fall Festival—Amy Schott and Sally Poland

October 15th—5-8pm

Pumpkins to teacher/class for contest October 7th

50 Pizzas from Firehouse Pizza

Drinks—4th grade Jamestown fundraiser

K & T Entertainment (carnival games)

Prizes ordered

Volunteers

26 High Techs, waiting on VT Athletics & Gus Teller for 8th graders

Parents offering help too

Gift cards—help from Rain Deskins

Global Roos—Alice de Sturler

Spreadsheet of parents willing to help

2 assemblies

(one to focus on Asia & Africa, the other Canada, Australia & South America—tentative plan for one in December)

Parents making slide shows, Canadian Embassy donated 500 flags and pins

Hoping to have Center of Dance come etc

Ideas—Sister School for Kipps—may have one already will research

Sign Language?

International Dinner—Spring 2010

Fundraising—Pricilla Baker

Innisbrook ends Oct 5th

Not many orders but it's the first year

Directory—Pricilla Baker

Volunteers compiling by grade level

Done by Thanksgiving??

Upcoming Events—check website

Items for membership approval

Anne-Collins Albimino moved to consider changing Kipps from a PTA to PTO. Erika McBee seconded
Committee needed to research change

Rain Deskins, Erin Vogt, Sally Poland?

Process for teachers to apply for PTA money

Discussion tabled until money from basket auction tallied

Merry Mittens—Kacie Hoges

PTA sponsors it—YES do it this year!