

In Attendance

Northview Staff Members: Kerri Town, Liz Waters and Becky Hanson

NVPTO Board Members: Heather Lorentz (President) Sara Moran (Vice President), Heather Thaller (Co-Secretary) and Collleen Frank (Co-Secretary)

NVPTO Members: Lynn Stein, Chris Krogh, Brigette King, and Sue Groskreutz

- Call to Order** The meeting was called to order by President Heather Lorentz at 5:30 pm.
- Introductions** Heather Lorentz welcomed everyone and began introductions. Introductions were made by those in attendance.
- Meeting Minutes** Heather Lorentz made a motion to approve the January Minutes. Motion was seconded and approved.
- Treasurer’s Report** Taxes were filed on February 16th. There was a hold up due to waiting for checks to clear that are outstanding from the last two years. Heather Bronwell is working on this. Teachers have been turning in their \$50 vouchers to be used on the classroom.
- Fundraising** The book fair sold \$3,700 in book sales. Northview profited \$1,850. \$500 will be given to the library to purchase books. The rest will be used to purchase books that teachers can use for their units of study in literacy.
- Box Tops have made \$1,030 so far this year. That is down \$500 from last year. Heather Bronwell the box top coordinator is thinking about trying a school wide incentive this spring. Liz Waters mentioned that if PTO sent the information to teachers, they could include it in their grade level newsletters and emails.
- Communications Survey** The survey will be sent again as several people did not receive the most recent PTO liverse message.
- Kindergarten Open House** There will be a table with information about PTO but the officers are unable to attend.
- Open Positions** Heather Thaller and Colleen Frank will be returning to the board as co-secretaries. PTO is in need of a President, Vice President and Treasurer for the 2015-2016 school year.
- Principal’s Update** Fine dining has been going well, this has been a popular with Northview students. The Destination Imagination teams have been working hard and having good success. Site Council members will be going on a learning walk to see what the 1:1 Beta classrooms are doing. Irish dancers will be performing at Northview on 3/17. In May there will be a residency where students will be learning about and making murals for the Northview halls. Kerri would still like to look until buying a video camera. There is \$1,000 in the budget for this item. There is still \$2,500 in the budget for science resources. Becky Hanson is going to look into having a petting zoo come to Northview.

Carnival Sara Moran gave an update for this year's carnival. She is looking into having a dunk tank this year and would look for staff members to volunteer to go in the tank. There will be more food trucks this year. There will not be a trampoline due to cost. There will be a game truck instead this year.

Color Run Donation information for the color run will be coming home in the next two weeks. Next year the color run will be in the fall. Chip Shoppe will be after winter break if needed.

Funding Requests Becky Hanson and Liz Waters put together a proposal of items they would like to purchase. The suggested items were a sign out front, flower pots, banners, picture frames, TV. monitor in the hallway, microphone for morning news, brochure/email blast and Northview promotional video. The total cost if all items

Adjourned 6:45 pm