

Trinity PTO Meeting Minutes

January 28st, 2009

Lisa Thompson opened the meeting with prayer. Board members present: Anne Ross, Jenny Boylan, Lisa Thompson, Meridith Anderson, and Heidi Lemke. Carla Hamill was excused.

Jenny Boylan gave the Vice President's report. 115 Trinity parents and students attended the Family Math Carnival. The PTO served walking tacos and a variety of math related games were enjoyed by parents and kids. Jenny also reported that the new playground equipment has arrived. 13 people from the church and school helped unload the truck and put it all in storage. Selling the old playground equipment was discussed. It will be removed the 1st, 2 weeks in June. Todd Erickson will be coordinating the installation of the new equipment. Family service night is Saturday, March 6. Sign-up sheets will be sent home in Thursday folders. Mad Science will be held again this spring beginning on April 5th. It will be held 4 nights after school, 3:30 – 4:30 on Mondays. Lastly, Heidi Becken has 13 students in Math Club, which will begin in February.

Lisa Thompson continued with the President's report. Open house will be held February 2nd for Preschool thru 8th grade at 7 pm. Students will be used as greeters, speakers and tour guides. Also, the board position of President will be open. Nominations will be made in March and April and the election is at the May 6th meeting.

Mrs. Johnson gave the Principal's report. There will be a special open house for Middle School from 7-8pm on Feb. 16th. Also on Feb. 15 (late start day), the current 5th grade students will have a "mini middle school" experience. Lutheran schools week is March 8-12. Mrs. Johnson also discussed the possibility of offering more sports opportunities for 5th - 8th grade students next year. More information will be given at a later date.

Heidi Lemke gave the treasurer's report. Current balance is \$2009.14. The Family Math Carnival expenses were \$381. Kwik trip sales continue to be strong. 620 cards are left to be sold.

Thompson reported for Carla Hamill for the Gala. At least 200 tickets have been sold for the Gala. It is being held at Kilkarney Golf Club. All the classes have created items that will be sold on the live auction.

Anne Ross gave the Ongoing Fundraising report. We have reached our goal of \$1400 for boxtops! We have over 17,000 points to redeem from Campbell's. We have 1150 points to redeem from Funding Factory. We have \$800 pending from Target. Wendy's night is being hosted by the Kindergarten class on Feb. 16. Red Savoy Pizza night is Feb. 2nd. There will be a Non-uniform Day on Feb. 8th.

There was no Old Business to report.

New Business was that the Knowledge-a-thon will be launched by March 22nd. Also, Art Adventure for spring is "Amazing Animals in Art" beginning on May 4th. There will be training on March 11 and 25. The PTO will cover the cost of anyone interested in going.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Meridith Anderson