

Kyrene de los Cerritos PTO Board Meeting August 31, 2011 Meeting Minutes



CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Janet Mooneyham, President, at 9:08 a.m.

Attendees for the meeting were as follows:

PTO Board:

President Janet Mooneyham

Secretary Bradlee Reginald

Financial Secretary Allie Scheneck

Hospitality Jen Beus/Nicole Bondurant

Vice President Lisa Baker

Treasurer Lorinda Thompson

Communications *Need*

Volunteer Coordinator Lori Giesen

Darcy Dicosmo ~ Principal

School Update:

- ❖ Cerritos Leadership Academy positively discussed in the Ahwatukee Republic, Foothills paper and soon to be in the Elite publishing. The articles had photos of the children eating in the "Café" at the round tables enhancing the leadership skills all the way to the lunch room. Thank you to Nicole Bondurant for bringing Cerritos this kind of publicity.
- ❖ Parent Superintendent Council Meeting scheduled Tuesday September 20th intended to support communication and community. All PTO board members attendance required.

Treasurer's Report:

- ❖ The current register balance is \$30,171.29. Lorinda provided us with an update that the budget line for Classroom grants now includes requests with \$8200.00 in place. Hospitality provided \$3000.00. Budget balanced at \$352.29 ending.
- ❖ Budget approved motioned by Bradlee Reginald and seconded by Nicole Bondurant.

- ❖ Power Washing requested from Gilbert Rascon \$400.00-\$500.00 budgeted to come out of Misc. Equipment.
- ❖ Chylon Brigham made motion to use \$400-500 for new power washer, Bradlee Reginald seconded the motion.

Committee Updates:

**Lori Giesen created an excel spreadsheet of all parents willing to volunteer!!! This will help for the Ice cream Social Sept 30th 5-7 pm.*

- ❖ *Fall Fundraiser ~ Ericka*
- ❖ *Otter pops ~ Bradlee Reginald and Nicole Bondurant will sell in the “Café” every Friday from 10-12 to all classes.*
- ❖ *Hospitality ~ Working with Dad’s Club to put on Bondurant event, has a fund raising opportunity with Bucca da Bepppo ~ Bradlee Reginald to take for Feb event. Also has approached Ariba ... 20 % provide potential.*
- ❖ *Book Fair ~ Laura Wallis has kindly volunteered ☺ “Out of this world” is the theme ... teachers to wear headbands with bobbing eye balls. Darcy Dicosmo and Sarah Collins volunteered to dress as aliens if we are able to raise an increased amount from last year’s event ... \$10,000??*
- ❖ *Spirit wear ~ Monica Hedeby & Sydney Sterling*
- ❖ *Box tops ~ Laura Wallis*

Teacher Surveys:

***Darcy Dicosmo was very appreciative to the PTO for getting Teacher input**

Holiday Boutiques – Restructure Time

School Store- Redo to incorporate school/learning based items to be sold.

Box Tops- Involve class and kids

Celebration of learning – This will not happen this year it will be incorporated into leadership event

Publishing House – Labor intensive ... solution may be to utilize technology

New Business:

- ❖ *School Directory* ~ Research needs to be done to determine price to charge (\$3-5) based on difference in quantity ordered and the number of copies created.
- ❖ *Capris Sun* ~ Need to discuss
- ❖ 501c3 ~ Cerritos PTO is now a part of ... thanks to Laura Wallis this makes the PTO tax exempt.
- ❖ Dad's Club ~ ok to share PTO supplies such as ice chest with them.

- ❖ *Next Meeting* – Sept 13, 2011 at 8:00 a.m.

□ **The meeting was adjourned at 10:12 a.m.**

Respectfully submitted by Bradlee Reginald.