

Leon PTO Meeting Minutes
January 12, 2015 – 6 p.m. – Leon Media Center

In attendance: Pam White, Kory Skrob, Gayle and Stacy Carlton, Bettina Teson, Wendy Schulte, Ansley Kramer, Sharon Berrian, Ben Giglio, Kayce Giglio, Bettina Teson, Suzanne Rita Byrnes, Gretchen Bruner, Dorenda Groom, Heather Reed

Welcome and Introductions: Shannon was home sick so Wendy Shulte ran the meeting.

Minutes: The minutes from the September 15, 2014 meeting were reviewed and approved.

Treasurer's Report: Pam White gave the report. We exceeded the \$3600 goal in donations. Mlle Clark won as the teacher with the most percentage of students donating and received a gift card for Hopkins. Sheffield's made a donation to Leon Elite for books.

Announcements:

Volunteer hours are due Thursday. Please send to Helen Parker. You must keep track of your own hours - none are kept at school.

New Business:

Nominating committee was proposed and accepted to slate officers for next year: Shannon Guse (current president), Wendy Schulte (President elect), Kate Kile (Fairview), Jan Morgan (Montford) and possibly Kay Meyer (Raa).

Gretchen Bruner volunteered to be the new treat coordinator to provide monthly treats for teachers, starting in March.

Committee Reports:

Partners – not here.

Volunteer Coordinator – not here.

Teacher Appreciation – Barkley not in attendance. Pam said cookie exchange was a big hit and there were plenty of cookies.

Student Appreciation – Wednesday is the day. Jimmie John's is coming and donating 660 mini subs. In addition, the honor roll kids will receive a coupon for a free donut from Krispie Kreme and a package of Smarties. The next student recognition will be in April. Kory will be done after this year and there will be an opening for someone to handle this committee. Student recognition occurs on report card day three times a year. The Partner Coordinator takes care of coupons and food and the Student Recognition committee chair takes care of getting volunteers and candy.

Faculty Meetings – There is a faculty meeting this Thursday. On the menu are sandwiches, chips and water.

SAC Report – not here.

Leon's Pride - Sharon Berrian explained that this is a recognition program for students who show respect and work ethic, for students who go above and beyond and for being kind - something other than great grades. The students are nominated by teachers. Awards 4 U is the sponsor, providing medals and certificates for the students. Sharon wants to offer incentives for teachers who turn in nominations - maybe a drawing. The ceremony will be held on April 30th.

Leon Foundation - The Spring Fling will be held at Capital City Country Club on April 8th from 6-8pm. The tickets are \$125 per couple.

Principal's Report:

Not here.