

Navesink PTA general Membership Meeting Minutes

November 20, 2017

*Member attendance by sign in sheet

*Augusta D'Amico called meeting to order/Pledge of Allegiance 7:36

*Last meeting's minutes approved by Hope Anderson & Melissa Rachinsky/Eckelman

Old Business/New Business:

PIC report (Hope Anderson)

- Re-zoning was voted on and denied. Not off table for discussions as something needs to be done (Nutswamp, Thompson, and South over crowded). Navesink can "technically" hold 72 more students. This discussion brought up the existing Modular issues and we would not be part of any re-zoning plans. Our parents want the modular fixed/if not replaced to due mold concerns with all the leaking that happens.

-Report card changes and will be distributed in December after conferences.

-MFODL (Middletown Friends of Different Learners) meetings held at the Middletown Library; check our website for upcoming dates. They will be included in the 5th grade science testing.

-Board of Education- they should be meeting 2x a month (1x is a workshop meeting/1x is a voting meeting)

-Next PIC meeting December 12

Nicholas Night 42 people showed up; \$2100 in profit; great night and thank you to the Harary Family.

Box Tops 4th graders won; small amount collected

Membership any typos or misprints will be updated and sent out through emails; no reprints

Upcoming Fundraisers/Events:

Artware deadline for online orders is 11/22

Spiritwear (Desiree Ciammaruconi) deadline for online orders 11/23; Mr Altobello to send a remind out; 3rd Friday of month will be "School Spirit Day"

Bricks & Benches (Augusta D'Amico) 3 Boxes of bricks (20 bricks total) have arrived; end of January we will close the sale. Benches currently 2 outside already, 4 paid and being held, with 2 more potential sold. They are \$600 and we get \$150 profit per bench.

Book Fair 12/5 & 12/6 children browsing days; 12/6 family night 6:30-8:30; 12/7 & 12/8 children purchase days in school –volunteers can sign up using the sign up genius; accepting cash, check, credit.

Committee Reports:

Room Parents (Amanda Kelly & Johna English) Continue to let us know if you need any items for class parties; please relay all info from meetings back to your parents.

Book Club (Emma McPolin) To start January and meet Mondays after school in library-5th graders only

Yearbook (Carrie Ercolino) Continue taking pictures during class parties and send to Carrie; the 5th graders are picking the cover and theme-just finalizing.

Library (Angela Kluwin) No library Dec.1st –instead we will be having a library cleaning day; sign up through Angela and continue to sign up for weekly times through sign up genius.

Science Night to be scheduled for April 24th –all grades welcome

Theater Week (Gillian Forrest & Kathy Connelly) 2 weeks; week 1 “Little Mermaid” theme for the 1st-3rd grades week of Dec.4th 6:00-8:00; week 2 “Madagascar Jr.” theme for the 4th & 5th grades week of Dec. 11th 6:00-8:00 practice all week. Final show will be that Friday at 7:00.

Variety Show (Holly Bigley & Sam Talmadge) we will be hiring an AV person from Bayshore to help with the night.

Family Sports Night (Puskas Family) usually last Friday in January-will be confirming dates.

Principal Report: n/a as Mr. Altobello was at Board Meeting

Teacher Report: (Mrs. Moyer)

-Thank you PTA for the coffee/treats, teachers loved it!

-Battle of the Books for the 5th grade is underway. We battle Lincroft, Leonardo, Fairview with a pizza party to follow

-Conferences: please sign up; early dismissal week; due to trimesters the report cards will not be part of the conference, but will be given out later in December before break.

Open Discussion

Pampered Chef party- Jan. 17th at the firehouse

Girls Night/Parent’s night out/Date night ideas –Aimee Remy for February

Meeting adjourned 9:03 next meeting 12/18/17 @7:30