

**Jenkins Elementary PTA
Board Meeting
10/12/11**

Attendance: K. Stober, E. Hollenack, R. Nichols, B. Cochrane, J. Correll, C. Hand, C. Newman, S. Dischiavi, and C. Snyder

Motion to accept minutes by E. Hollenack; 2nd from K. Stober.

Fall Update: Fall Fundraiser came in approx. \$1,000 under budget. There was much discussion regarding the potential to move the cookie fundraiser from the Spring to the first week of November due to possibility of increased sales prior to the holidays. E. Hollenack motioned to move cookie fundraiser to first week of November. 2nd from B. Cochrane. Motion approved unanimously.

Fall Festival: Silent auction to be located in cafeteria once again. Set up will begin on Friday, 10/4. Permit has been approved – fire marshal will be here at 11:30am to inspect set up of inflatables. Food will include Chick-fil-A sandwiches, hot dogs, pizza. No drinks donated by Pepsi or Coke. Beta club members and volunteers are all organized and assigned. Room baskets will be wrapped by Whitfields for free.

Budget: K. Stober presented the budget information on Roxanne's behalf. 139 PTA memberships have been sold YTD. Dante's Pizza raised \$498! S. Dischiavi commented that our requests for waiver of instruction fees has tripled this year.

Council update:

AlertNow was discussed again. PTAs are being asked to contribute what they can toward this system. Since our Fall Fundraiser came in under budget, we will wait to pay our budgeted amount to be sure that the funds are available. Give Kids a Smile will be held again in February.

Volunteers are needed to sit with the kids while waiting at the dentist.

Principal's update:

Mrs. Dischiavi reported that 8 classroom computers were delivered on Monday. iPads for the K-2 classrooms are in, however, the wireless capability is not in place. Training is being held later today and they should be in use in the classrooms by next week. The School Board did not approve the proposed IT plan from Jeff Tice. A request for more research on possibilities has been made. An Eagle Scout has approached Jenkins about refurbishing the basketball court and surrounding mulch and timbers.

New Business:

There was discussion about using special event budget for a school-wide performance by Billy Jonas. The date of 2/16/12 was selected from a list that he had provided.

Next meeting will be held November 1, 2011.

Meeting adjourned at 10:55am.

Respectfully submitted,

Constance Snyder