



PTO Meeting - October 2, 2017

Principal's Update (Mr. Conetta, Vice Principal)

- Flag Football Tournament this week
 - No School Monday or Tuesday
 - Progress Reports close on the 6th
 - October 20th Haunted Halls with Dance 6pm-9pm
 - Turkey Bowl Wednesday (half day) before Thanksgiving
 - Possibly changing pick up procedures
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Treasurer's Report (Margaret McCarthy, Treasurer)

- Report presented
 - Field Trip money requested by Team 8-1
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Fundraising Report (Jacqueline Creed Ebone, Fundraising Chair)

- Silver Lake Red Card: Cards came back as paper cards, not plastic as anticipated. Plastic cards will be 40 cents per card (\$800 total). Concern voiced about spending this amount of money up front. Silver Lake High School Football team was quite successful with similar card, so investment while high should yield high profits. Launch card the 14th of October at the recycle centers.
 - Box Tops: Teams to put together. Jackie to do October submission. **We need a coordinator for the February/March submission.**
 - Book Fair: **Discussion tabled till November meeting.**
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Apparel Report (Pam Quinn, Apparel Coordinator)

- Next pick up will be at Parent Teacher Conferences
 - Store will be open again in November with pick-up at the chorus concerts
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Event Updates (Peggy Frost, 8th Grade Chair)

- Welcome Back Dance: September 29th at 6:30pm. Snacks and Water purchased right before dance. Confusion of One & Done and then asking for donations. **For March madness we will be charging admission but not asking for donations.** DJ originally booked backed out minutes before event. Mr. Dupile's son covered the event last minute and was accidentally paid \$100. **Going forward the DJ will be paid \$50.**



Tax Exempt Status (Jacqueline Creed Ebone, Fundraising Chair)

- We will need a new Tax Exempt number which will cost us \$275 for the EZ Form. We will then have to file annual reports. We wouldn't be able to raise more than \$50,000 per year. **Margaret McCarthy to find out what Tax ID number is on our bak account.** Decided we would not seek after tax exempt status as it is too costly.

By Laws (Peggy Frost, 8th Grade Chair)

- Jason Conetta forwarded 2010 version of By Laws to current board. **There is the possibility they need to be updated.**

Open Board Positions Update (Peggy Frost, 8th Grade Chair)

- **Current open board positions include: 8th Grade Co-Chair, 7th Grade Co-Chair, & Secretary**
- Vote was taken to re-name Peggy Frost's position to PTO President/8th Grade Chairman and Katie Berry's position to PTO Vice President/7th Grade Chairman, as there has been no interest in the co-chair positions for both 8th and 7th grades. It was unanimously passed.
- Jessica Gouveia volunteered to take the open secretary position. The vote was unanimously passed. jmasotta25@hotmail.com or 508-633-1100

Next Meeting

- Currently scheduled for Monday, November 6th at 7pm in the SLRMS Library.