

**Lamping PTA General Meeting**  
**November 10, 2009**  
**1:30 p.m.**

**Attendance:** Tara Imboden ,Jenn Blackhurst ,Erica Bozarth ,Benita Ralston ,Paula Watson, Christine Freeze ,Renay Mirsky ,Melissa Juliano ,Michelle Wells, Jill Marker, Dawn Urban, Gina Wulfekuhle

**Welcome and Announcements:** Jenn B. thanked Christine Freeze ,Jennifer Bowers & Christie Young and everyone who worked on the Fall Festival.

**Minutes:** from October 14, 2009 were accepted as written.

**Treasurer's Report:** Jenn B. reported for Angela Kupiec. Updated Budget, Profit & Loss, and Balance Sheet were presented. Total Assets represents income from Fundraiser for Track 3 but expenses have not yet been paid out. Fall Festival revenue was \$5,000 more than projected. Expenses for Fall Festival were under budget. Jenn asked that receipts be turned in. Fundraising is in really good shape.

**Report from Mr. O'Dowd:** Tara Imboden thanked the Beta Club who in conjunction with PTA collected 3,933 cans for the food drive. The three classes (Knudson, Lake-Hartsell, Grubaugh) that brought in the most also won the Mc Donald's Lunch. She thanked the Fall Festival committee for the event and commented on the good turnout. She attended the AZAC committee meeting where input from the public was being collected. Proposal D was removed and more scenarios will be put forth. Best way to express your opinion is through email. Final decision won't be made until March.

**Fundraising:** Erica Bozarth reported that things are going well. Volunteers are need for Thursday when the Track 3 deliveries will be made. Also, for deliveries on Nov. 17th for Tracks 1, 2 & 5 and on Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> for Track 4. She will send an email out. Hours needed are from 1:00-5:00 p.m. She is currently waiting for a response from Fresh & Easy on a Lamping Night, where Lamping E.S. would receive a % back for all purchases made by Lamping parents. Once confirmed, flyers will be sent home with students.

**Community Service:** Jenn B. reported. She thanked Beta Club and Jenn Woodie for the food drive. Giving Tree will be up on Thursday, Nov. 12. Stacey is waiting to confirm with Sue Ingram who is currently in the hospital, but it looks like Sue will not be returning. PTA in conjunction with the UNLV Athletic Dept. is coordinating a Lamping Night game. Once set an announcement will be made in the newsletter.

**Staff Appreciation:** Shay McLean has scheduled the Staff Appreciation Holiday Lunch for Dec. 18th from 10:45 – 1:00 p.m. Jenn B. asked for volunteers and passed out a sign-up sheet.

**Fun Classes:** The Drama Club class for the first session of Track 1, 2 & 3 has been canceled for lack of enrollment. A minimum of 10 students are needed. Dawn Urban asked that clarifications be made on the sign-up sheet. The next session for Tracks 1, 2 & 3 will be in February and the

first session for Tracks 4 & 5 will be in January. Jill Marker is looking into the French Language program run by Lango. Mrs. Barnewolt's Spanish Class is due to start in a couple of weeks. The cost of sponsored after school activities was discussed. Jenn B. reemphasized that signups are needed for these classes to be made available.

**Fall Festival:** Christine Freeze stated that Fall Festival went well and made suggestions for future events. First, the need for the school kitchen to be cleaned after if used. Also, the PTA kitchen has been reorganized and the key is available at the front office. She thanked Mr. O'Dowd for his help when sprinklers on the field went off. Second, she thought it was important to keep the original date. Christine felt that the event was negatively affected by being held prior to a holiday weekend and Track 4 tracking out. There were fewer parent volunteers as well as cakes for the cake walk. Third, the cold weather made a huge difference in attendance and also in drink sales. She said that it ran smoothly and that people seemed to like the food selections this year, though it was not as profitable as the past year when the food was hired out. Jenn B. acknowledged that the event this year wasn't structured to make money. Silent Auction made approx. \$1,200 and all items had been donated.

**Take Dad to Lunch:** Michelle Wells reported that she needs more volunteers for the Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> event from the hours of 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. She needs three crews one each for set-up, check-in, & break-down. The \$500 budget for cookies was discussed along with the need to allow for Track 4's event on Dec. 3. Mrs. Imboden volunteered to have the Beta Club make banners of welcome and to help direct parents to correct location. Also, the event will be announced on the Marquee and an email reminder will be sent out. Erica Bozarth asked if fundraising delivery dates could also be announced on the marquee.

**Dad and Donuts:** Erica Bozarth reported for Miki Reid. The event is scheduled for Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup>. Volunteers are needed from 8:15 – 9:00 a.m. Budget for event was discussed.

Jenn B. reminded everyone that the next PTA meeting will be held in the evening on Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>. Dawn Urban confirmed that Mary Wurst was moving and asked for a parent volunteer for 20 min. in the mornings to help with the traffic flow.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

11/11	Veteran's Day –No School
11/12	Fundraiser Turn In (T 3)
11/17	Fundraiser Delivery (T 1, 2, 5)
11/18	No School (T 5 only)
11/19	Take Dad to Lunch (T 1-3, 5)
11/20	Reflections Due (T 5)
12/03	Dads and Donuts (T 4)
12/04	Fundraiser Delivery (T 4)
12/09	PTA General Meeting (6:30 p.m.)
12/11	Reflections Due (T 1 - 4)
12/16	No School (PTSAPT)
12/18	Staff Appreciation Holiday Luncheon
12/19- 1/03	Winter Break

The meeting was adjourned at 2:24 p.m.