

Beverly School
A Title I School
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PTO Meeting Minutes from Monday April 13, 2015, 6:30pm.

The President called the meeting to order at 6:30pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Board Reports

1. Secretary

- Motion made to approve the March 2015 minutes, with an amendment to the Athletics request for funds section. Motion carried.

2. Treasurer

- Motion made to approve the March 2015 ledger. Motion carried.

3. Principal

- Looking to add some foreign language to Beverly School. Next year we will have a Japanese teacher from Bowsher coming to Beverly.
- PARCC testing starts 4/20/15.
- Extended days for the 7th & 8th graders start on 4/13/15.
- Jim Gant came to look at traffic/drop off/pick up routine. Discussed putting in field tile to help with the drainage of water in parking lots and on sidewalks.

4. Ways & Means

- Earned a \$68 check for Spirit Shop.
- Check from Parents Night Out is getting recut due to change in Athletics program.
- The DJ for Carnival is being changed.
- Renew Kroger Community Rewards cards. Looking into a reward for the classroom with the most participants.

5. Vice-President

- Still waiting on applicants for the \$500 Beverly scholarship for a Bowsher HS senior.

6. President

- Events in April:
 - Marcos nights are 4/13 & 4/14, we receive 15% of sales.
 - TPS Chess Tournament is 4/18/15 from 8:30am-3:30pm. Approximately 130 kids are registered.
 - Spring Luau Dance is 4/24/15, 5-6:30pm for 5th & 6th grades, and 7-9pm for 7th & 8th grades.
 - TPS Parent Congress Meeting is 4/27/15 at 6pm at the downtown library.
 - Spring Musical Concert is 4/29/15 at 7pm for 2nd, 4th, & 5th grades. There will also be a dress rehearsal that day at 2:30pm. There is a need for a few parent volunteers. If interested contact Ms. Miller.

7. Past President

- There will be an additional PTO general meeting for all members on 4/29/15 from 6-7pm to review the proposed changes to the by-laws. The current by-laws and the proposed by-law changes are currently on the PTO website.

Any changes made to the proposed by-law changes during the 4/29 meeting will be posted on the PTO website for review before the May meeting. Then the proposed by-law changes will be voted on during the May meeting. The time of this meeting may change due to the Spring Concert time.

8. Teacher--no report.

New Business

1. PTO board nominations: nomination forms available tonight at meeting or may orally nominate somebody. Nominees must be PTO members. Nominees will get a call to confirm if interested in the position. Voting ballots will be available in the office starting on 5/4/15 and the voting will take place on 5/11/15 at the PTO meeting.
2. Carnival: Scheduled for 5/15/15 from 5-8:30pm. Next planning committee meeting is 4/15/15 at 6pm at the school. There is a green box in the office to collect empty milk/juice/coffee containers. Will have the same DJ as the grandparents dance. Will also have air extreme present. Silent auction items may be turned in until 4/27/15.
3. Field day: Scheduled for 5/29/15. Information on volunteering will be coming home soon. 8th graders will be volunteering as well.
4. Request for funds
 - 2nd grade teachers asking for \$85 for the Toledo Zoo Outreach Program. Will come to Beverly on 5/20/15. Motion made to approve \$85 for the Zoo Outreach Program. Motion carried.
 - Ms. Miller/Mrs. Mason asking for \$500 for a Toledo Opera performance. Toledo Opera will come to Beverly and have a 45 minute performance for the K-5th grades on 5/28/15. Will have a question/answer session after the performance. Volunteer Appreciation is the same day, so they are welcome to come watch the performance. Motion made to approve \$500 for the opera performance. Motion carried.
 - Mrs. Hamann's asking for \$1040 for bulletin boards for the school, 8 total, 5 specific to the art department. Motion made to approve \$575 from the general fund for the 3 non art boards and \$625 from the art department fund for the other 5 boards. Motion carried.
 - Motion made to have the \$800 for the Artist in Residency Program come out of the general fund vs. the art department fund. Motion carried.
5. Outdoor plans update
 - Meeting with Jim Gant took place 4/13/15.
 - Damian Ruggiero spoke: Discussed need to reallocate \$1800 that was approved for the mulch border to pay for better tables & adding a rail to the fence (protect the fence). Motion made to reallocate this money. Motion carried.
6. Volleyball clinics will be held on Wednesdays from 6:30-8pm (except the Wednesday of the Spring Concert 4/29/15). Cost is \$10 for all 6 sessions. For 3rd-6th grade girls. University of Toledo Volleyball players will be coming to help!

Old Business

1. Grandparents Dance was a success with a good turnout. Thanks to all who helped.
2. Market Day: April earnings=\$50.14

3. Athletics: Have three K-2nd baseball teams (boys/girls), 3rd-4th grade BB team (boys, kid pitch). One player short for 3rd&4th grade team (12u), and one player short for 7th&8th grade team (14u).

Motion made to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Next meeting 4/29/15 for by-law revision discussion. The following meeting will be Monday May 11th at 6:30pm (this is the last meeting of the school year).