

Butler Middle School PTSA Board Meeting, November 5, 2014

Attendance: Brandis Smith, Tami Schwendiman, Devi Fournier, Jenn Searle, Doug Graham, Tatiana Grant, Jenna Ellingson, Becky Noel, Lois Kristensen

Minutes Approved from October meeting

Treasurer Report Reviewed by Brandis Smith

Membership update: Breakfast recap Tami Schwendiman
The Polar Bear team had the most memberships and won a breakfast donated by Chick Fil A. Our students loved the breakfast. Chick Fil A donated \$500 worth of food. Our special guest of honor was our Canyons Superintendent Dr. Jim Briscoe. He spoke to the group about the importance of PTSA and student participation. It was suggested that our next event be for members of the PTSA only.

Reality Town Recap Lois Krsitensen
It was a great success and the students seemed to have enough time to visit most of the stations. We are still hearing great reports on the many valuable things students learned.

Red Ribbon Week Heather Passey
The theme was "A Happy Me is Drug and Bully Free". Wristbands were handed out on Mon and Tues. Students who still were wearing them on Friday were given a prize. Announcements and activities were planned each day. The faculty supported the theme well. Friday there was an assembly by the acapella group ReVoiced recommended by Ms. Banfield. Friday at lunch the students were given a Hi-Chew with a note that said, "Hi Chews to say no to drugs." Heather Passey was primarily responsible for the week and it was a success.

Reflections Jen Searle
November 21st is the deadline. Applications are in the office. Dec 2nd 5:00-7:00pm there will be a gallery display in the main Hall for students and parents. Judging will take place that evening after the showcase. December 9th there will be an assembly for all reflections participants. Mrs. Searle asked administration to attend the assembly and help hand out certificates. \$1000 budget for reflections.

Counseling Center Tatiana Grant
Ms. Grant reported that she was very appreciative of the all the volunteers help with the success of Reality Town.
CCRs are being prepared with the 8th graders. Counseling center is going to use online scheduler this year for CCR appointments with students and parents.

Memory Book Becky Noel

First Payment Installment due. Check will go out this Friday. Becky sending home a flyer next week from Lifetouch. If there is a good response she may use this as a way to collect funds next year. Becky is doing a survey during lunch for Memory Book input.

SCC

Jenna Ellingson

Nancy Tingey Hosting an open house

Report# 1 already turned in by Brandis

Reflections must have Bylaws up-to-date to participate

19th SEC mtg 11:00

Any pictures from school functions submit to Suzanne Edwards for District website.

Community Partnerships

Our next Family Dinner Night will be Monday November 24th at Chick Fil A. Our SBO students and parent volunteers are going to help bus tables and seat guests. Jenn Searle will help coordinate.

Calendar Items:

Mr. Graham

November 11th Veterans' Day Assembly

November 12th Snow Blitz signing up students during lunch

November 15th 5K Fundraiser by Brighton SBO

November 17th Locker clean out

Spirit Day week of Thanksgiving

November 21st Reflections Deadline

November 24th Chick Fil A Family Dinner Night

December 2nd Reflections Showcase 5:00-7:00 pm