

United Christian Academy

Parents' Association

September 12, 2011

Attendance: Melissa Larabee, Julie Laforce, Monica Delabruere, Cheryl Hosford and Diane Ianni

The Minutes were reviewed. A motion was made to accept the minutes and it was seconded. All were in favor.

Election of Officers will be done at the next meeting for lack of attendance.

The Finance Report. A few Barton fair expenses left to handle. It looks like we made about \$3500.00. A motion was made to accept the report and it was seconded. All were in favor.

Barton Fair Fundraiser. Melissa asked that we have a significant amount of time allotted at the April or May PA meeting to discuss next year's fair. There are some changes she would like to discuss regarding schedule, etc... Discussion was had on the health inspector's request that we paint the inside of the booth. Julie and Melissa will make arrangements to get that done.

Fundraisers: We would like to do the Home Party on Nov. 3rd. Julie will check that date with the sports schedule and with Dr. O in case there is a conflict. The Thanksgiving Bake sale will be for the scholarship fund and we will look into doing a Zumba fundraiser, also for the scholarship fund. Julie will check with Jennifer Daigle to see if she can coordinate the pizza fundraiser again this January.

Teacher Appreciation Breakfasts: We will again do monthly teacher appreciation breakfasts this year. We would like to find a volunteer to coordinate the date each month, letting the office know when it will be, setting up two volunteers to bring in items, and setting the table on the morning of the breakfast. Julie will bring this up again at the next meeting. We selected Monday, October 3rd as the first date and Julie and Melissa will bring in something. Cheryl Hosford and Monica Delabruere will bring in items for the November date.

The Box Tops deadline is September 29th. We need a new coordinator. Julie will put a request in the weekly newsletter. We will bring this up again at the next meeting if we don't have one.

Other Business: Mrs. Lippman is in need of more volunteers to help with the Four Winds Program. She particularly needs someone for the grades 3/4, starting in October.

Julie asked that we all think about some long term goals for the PA to consider. We currently have a good rhythm of fundraisers lined up with covering our expenses, ie. Teacher gifts at Christmas, conference money, Eli Goss Scholarship, sponsoring various events for the students, etc...

No sports update.

Other business: We did the mums for the front steps and then gave them to the faculty and staff again this year. Special thanks to Agway for providing and delivering those for us!

The Meeting Adjourned at 8:10p.m.

Next meeting will be on October 17th at 3:00 pm (trying to get more parents!!)