**HYES PTO Meeting Minutes**

**Highland and Fritz Elementary Schools**

**Date:  January 10, 2018**

**Time: 6:30 pm**

**Meeting Place: Fritz Elementary School**

**Attendees:  See attached Sheet                                Call to Order:  6:33pm**

**Executive Committee Reports**

Presidents’ Report- Chris/Nilvio-

Nilvio- Holiday shop took in $4615.00. The PTO made $1519.00 for. (budgeted $1300)

Nilvio- Asked about Chipotle fundraiser night. Long application process, but they give 50%. Consensus is to apply.

Chris- McDonald’s has not gotten back re: McD night.

Chris- Sweetheart Dance- discussion to figure out how to word FB post. Will make it “girl and their guest,” not “guests”. Will add on flyer that this is not a drop off event. Sweetheart dance is on 2/2. Flyers will go out soon (probably 1/16), and due back 2/24. $15 per family. Flower order probably not due until 26th. \*Still looking for raffle items. Nick suggests keeping a list of what we got so far so we don’t double up- Mary Beth reported Shannon is doing this. Need to get local businesses to give prizes. Chris shared photography information- Life Touch contract says to access them, but Mary states Peter, Life Touch contact, says we can use other source. Non-issue. Russell photography will do it.

Chris- Caft fair kitchen made a little money. Will tweek next yr.

Vice President’s Report-Shannon/Ane- nothing.

Treasurers’ Report- Marybeth/Megan-

* Review treasurer’s report

Secretaries’ Report- Lynn/Kelly

* Approval of last month’s minutes- Nick & Deb

Principal’s Report Highland – Ms. Reed-

* only in school 4 days. Outside recess past 2 days.

Principal’s Report Fritz – Mrs. Poisson –.

* Schedule adjustments have been made due to snow. (e.g. CCMC pj day got moved.)
* Greg tang/family math night about 25 families.

Highland Teacher Rep Report – Ms.Denya/Mrs.Hajjar-

* Teacher membership/Scholastic funds- Deb— question arose if teachers who aren’t members of PTO should still get scholastic dollars? Answer: Yes. Scholastic dollars are staff wide. Board will discuss $50 classroom reimbursement is for PTO members only. Scholastic is for all students/teaches. Sined shared Scholastic money is used for thing they wouldn’t otherwise get. Fritz teachers want to keep it as is.
* Chris- Project Fit America voting is on.

Fritz Teacher Rep Report-Mrs.Mezzi/Ms. Tyrrell–

* Nothing new. Remember to vote for Project Fit America.

**Committee Reports**

Sweetheart Dance- Beenie Boos (Kelly)- keep with 100 of them.

**Other Business/Questions**

Ginny Berson retired. Gift? (Kelly)- we are sending her a PTO thank you .

Passed around cultural night thank you for PTO money to support Salsa dancing activity.

Deb- talked about Yankee Candle order pick up.

Marybeth- box tops @ highland collected $207, and Fritz collected $365. (This was for ones submitted between March and Nov, 2017.)

**Next Meeting:  Wednesday, Feb 21, 2018 @ FES @6:30 after PTAC**

**End:   7:14pm**

Attendees:

Megan Malason

Mary Beth Francy

Nilvio Perez

Lynn LaValley

Tracy Tyrrell

Kelly Rainey

Allison Denya

Debbie Hajjar

Sinead Mezzi

Ane Miller

Mary Poisson

Chris Brint

Mary Ellen Sansone

Victoria Reed

Mary Poisson