**HYES PTO Meeting Minutes**

**Highland and Fritz Elementary Schools**

**Date:  March 14, 2018**

**Time: 6:30 pm**

**Meeting Place: Highland Elementary School**

**Attendees:  See attached Sheet                                Call to Order:  6:32pm**

**Executive Committee Reports**

Presidents’ Report- Chris/Nilvio-

Field Day shirt orders are rolling in.

Enrichment forms are coming in.

Points for Penguin Patch need to be used by end of March

12,000 points for Highland

7,000 points for Fritz

Vice President’s Report-Shannon/Ane-

Treasurers’ Report- Marybeth/Megan-

Review treasurer’s report--$3,800 profit from Sweetheart Dance, without photographer

Secretaries’ Report- Lynn/Kelly

Approval of last month’s minutes--Nick and Nilvio approved

Principal’s Report Highland – Ms. Reed-

Pause for Peace at Town Meeting, Imagine by John Lennon

2nd grade—doves and stars

1st—multicultural people

K—traced and cut out hands

Pre-K—butterflies

artwork to be hung in the cafeteria

Next Friday—Literacy Night; activities related to Charlie and the Chocolate Factory

Principal’s Report Fritz – Mrs. Poisson –

Gr 3-5 heard story, Somewhere Today… (things you can do to make the world more peaceful). After listening to the story, the kids drew a picture and wrote ideas about ways to make the community more peaceful

Twin Day—reward for High Five Program

Reading reward—kids ate popcorn at lunch and were allowed to sit with their friends from other classes

Read to Grow received a donation from K-Kids

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

Last month, K-kids did the cups of love (hot cocoa kit), which were delivered the night before a storm; very appreciative of the timing.

Today, they made kindness cards to give out to friends/family

Yankee Candle--$4,000 ($1,600 profit) waiting for a delivery date, hopefully next week. Company has promised to have them delivered by the 27th, so they can be given before Easter.

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

Student planners—current company is getting expensive, new company will charge $2.09, which includes mascot and school name; total would be $832. Last year’s total was $1,600. Need 363 planners for next year.

**Committee Reports**

Fall Fundraiser- **Nick-**—Cherrydale contacted , will be signing up soon

Skyzone fundraiser—will not be rescheduled

Box Tops-- submitted on March 1st ; check should be coming soon

**Other Business/Questions**

Boy Scouts—John and Cory; girls will now be allowed to be Boy Scouts, starting this year. Same program that the boys get, but with “girl only” dens. Girls could earn the honor of Eagle Scout/Gold Award. The program needs PTO’s support, but is up to families to decide. PTO supports the program!

Mother/Son event—committee has not met since last PTO meeting; meeting with Suzanne tomorrow to put together an event.

**Next Meeting:  Wednesday, 4/11 @ HES. PTAC/PTO @6:30**

**End:  7:01pm**