

# BLUE OAKS PTC

*Working together for our students*

Minutes From General Meeting  
April 9th, 2015

## 1. Welcome:

Meeting was called to order by Cindy Mastro.

## 2. Business Items:

- a. Minutes: were approved by Beth Wells, seconded by Suki Eaves. Motion carried.
- b. No new items were brought from the preceding board meeting.
- c. General Updates: the PTC will attach their survey questions on how to better serve the school to the general school survey. Watch for the survey to arrive in your -email in the next few weeks.
- d. Call for Nominations/Elections: Next month we will hold elections. A nomination form will be coming home.
- e. Cooley PTC: Anyone with students moving on to middle school next year, Cooley is always looking for volunteers to serve in the PTC.

## 3. Program Updates:

- a. Dinners Out: May is open house at the school, and the PTC will be providing food trucks like last year to be that month's dinner out.
- b. Skate Night: Final skate night will honor 5th grade. Luau theme.
- c. Spirit Wear: All orders have been filled. New shipment of hats is in. They have been very popular. Would like to have a table set up at open house. ½ hour time slots for volunteers.
- d. Staff Appreciation: Staff appreciation is coming up the week of May 4th through the 8th. Also, farmers' market will be the theme of the next staff event coming up in a few weeks.
- e. Yearbook: The yearbook is now complete. Final flyer went out. Make sure to get your orders in asap.
- f. Birthday Marquee: Going well. Please remember to get your requests in early.
- g. Golf Tournament: The golf tournament will be held next Friday. Things are moving along. Have all the vendors in place. Slots are filling up. Should be a great event for the school.
- h. Walk a thon: Will be held in the morning on May 8th. Volunteer requests will go out via sign up genius after the golf tournament. PTC will fund gift cards for the winners as well as a class party for the class with the most money brought in. There will be a paypal link to donate to the walk a thon.

## 4. Teachers' Report:

**TK:** The students are working on rhymes, counting with 10's, and learning about butterflies and life cycles.

**K:** The students are working on biomes for open house. They will also be hatching chicks. They are getting ready to perform their play Nanny Goats Gruff.

**1st:** They are hatching ducklings and working on their play Hansel and Gretel Eat Right.

**2nd:** Mr. Murphy is working with the second grade students in the science lab. Learning about fossils and working on geometry in math. They will be going to the Woodcreek Nature Center.

**3rd:** In math the students are working on graphs as well as how to create and solve problems. They continue to work on writing opinion papers. The Journey to Mars play continues. They will also be going to the Bernhardt Museum in May. They are also prepping for their upcoming state tests on the chromebooks.

**4th:** Getting ready to take their CASP test. The students are reading Island of the Blue Dolphin. They are learning about decimals in math and continue working on narrative writing. The Blue Oaks team took second in the Nature Bowl and is now heading to Sacramento State for the finals. Blue Oaks was the only public school from Roseville to advance.

**5th:** The students have been working hard on their living wax museum. Important upcoming dates for the students are Casp tests the week of April 20th and the science portion on April 28th.

#### **5. Principal's Report:**

Alice in Wonderland went great. Both nights sold out and the kids did fantastic.

The students who participated in the Nature Bowl did great. Only public school in Roseville to advance to the finals at Sacramento State.

Grades 3-5 are gearing up for the CASP test. It will be held over the next four weeks with 4th grade starting off, then 5th, then 3rd. It is stressful for all involved.

#### **6. Open Floor:**

No new business

#### **7. Adjournment:**

Meeting adjourned at 1900.