

## Orem Elementary PTA

Meeting Minutes  
January 9, 2012

### **Volunteer Hours:**

December: 170 hrs.

### **Attendance:**

Karen Wynn	Lynette Kendall
Danielle Brown	Melissa Breiter
JanaRae Hemingway	Christy Luque
Bunney Schmidt	Angela Seegmiller
Cathy Ambrose	Amy Chariton
Heather Stewart	
Rebecca Tayler	

### **Reverence: *Bunney Schmidt***

Setting academic goals for the new year.

### **Approval of Minutes: Cathy Ambrose**

December 2011 minutes approved by:  
Eva Riser, 1st  
Karen Wynn, 2nd

### **Treasurer's Report: Rebecca Tayler**

- We are looking really good, our best year we can recall.
- Bunney Schmidt suggested that with extra funds we should look around for new canopies to replace the broken ones we use at carnival (maybe good deals are available at overstock and eBay), especially a larger one for the middle of the field, and some new games.
- The rest we should save for a buffer fund.

### **Principal's Report: Office Staff Lynette Kendall (We excuse Rachelle Bolingbroke for meetings)**

- Construction: Roof repair, new shingles and repair leaks from bad engineering of the addition.
- Parent Teacher Conference will be on Jan 26 from 3 - 7:45 with the goal of teachers being able to leave by 8:00.
- Cathy Ambrose asked Lynette about a parent link that could be sent out requesting help from people interested in working in the PTA. Lynette said she'd forward it on to Rachelle.

### **President's Report: Karen Wynn**

- Nomination Committee - we need a president, president-elect, secretary, and asst treasurer.
- Bunney Schmidt suggested Cathy Ambrose remain as secretary, Cathy Ambrose accepted.
- It was also suggested that Lori Sanders be approached for President and Amy Chariton for Pres. Elect. Amy said she would seriously consider it.
- Collaboration review: Feb 6 from 2:30 - 4:00 (it will be on a minimal day Monday). Who would like to help with the evaluation: Cathy Ambrose, Melissa Breiter, & Angela Seegmiller volunteered.
- Book fair volunteer sign-up sheet passed around. The book fair will be on the 25th and 26th of January.
- Storytelling Festival is coming up with preliminary classroom competition on February 22nd.

**Dads and Donuts/Book Swap: Amy Chariton**

- Can get sprinkle donuts for no extra charge at Macey's. It was suggested to get 3/4 sprinkled and a 1/4 regular.

**Beautification Day: Karen Wynn**

- Amy Glenn is the official rep for the event.
- May 5
- We would like to have an Eagle Scout candidate use this for his service project again this year. Is anyone aware of someone looking for a project. Heather Stewart said her son did and they would take it on.
- Karen wants to coordinate with the school regarding the bark chip dump. Why not get the delivery from the district for Beautification Day when we will have the man power to spread out the chips? - Good idea!

**Excellence in Education (formerly Golden Apple): Karen Wynn**

- Should the board nominate or should we open it up to teachers and parents? Karen will have nomination forms at Parent Teacher Conferences and put a slip in the teachers' boxes asking for nominations.
- Looking for a volunteer of the year.

**Next Meeting:**

Feb. 7 at 9:30 in room 209

**Adjourned:** 10:26am