

***PTM Meeting***  
**January 20, 2011**

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM by Renee Hill.

These people were in attendance: Heather Hudson, Megan Ravenscroft, Brandy Hardy, Renee Hill, Theresa Pendergast, Shelly Cowan, Nancy Preston, and Jenny Owens.

Nancy provided a copy of the Treasurer's Report to everyone present.

Renee said that no one has contacted her about the ski scholarships that we discussed at the last meeting, so she thinks that all of the students who needed scholarships must have already gotten them from the school.

Mrs. Muchmore requested \$50.00, so that she can take some students to a math competition at the University of Montana. Since she will be taking 20 students, and the cost is \$3.00 per student, Jenny made a motion to give her \$60.00, to cover the cost of all 20 students. Heather seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Volunteers are needed to help take students to and from the DIBELS testing room on January 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> from 8:45-11:00.

Snacks and dinner were provided for some children during the MCT practice. Heather made a motion to use Curriculum Enhancement funds to cover the cost of this food. Brandy seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Ideas for next year's Christmas Shop:

Mrs. Miller is concerned about children who didn't have money to buy anything from the Christmas Shop this year, so she suggested having a free Christmas Shop next year, full of donated items, so that these children can get gifts for their families. Heather and Renee said that this did not work the last time they tried it, but they would like to find a way to help kids who really need it, so that they can participate in the Christmas Shop, too. Heather said that, surprisingly, most students did not use their 50 cent coupons this year, which would have allowed them to get one or two small items. She also said that she would like to use the profits from this year's shop to begin buying items for next year's shop, so that there will be even more low-priced items for the students to choose. Jenny made a motion to give Heather up to \$300.00 for that. Theresa seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Renee, Theresa, Brandy, Heather, and Nancy will all be helping with the Valentine's Day Cookies and Carnations. Students and parents can order them before Valentine's Day (look for order forms to come home), and they will be

delivered to classrooms on the 14<sup>th</sup>.

The check that the school received for Box Tops will be deposited into the FRC sub-account of the PTM.

Kindergarten registration will be on March 24<sup>th</sup>. Renee suggested having a PTM booth there, in order to meet new Lone Rock parents, and give them information about PTM, kindergarten readiness, and parental involvement.

Nancy suggested doing the same thing at Kindergarten Orientation, too, since even more parents attend that evening than attend the registration day.

Renee would also like to provide bags for the incoming kindergarten students.

She would like to fill the bags with small items that would interest the children.

She will check prices, and bring information to the next meeting.

Amy Reed has scheduled the first Booster Club Meeting for Monday, January 24<sup>th</sup>, at 3:30 in the library.

Mrs. Miller's class won the fundraiser contest, and gets to "adopt" an animal from the Smithsonian Zoo.

Theresa suggested pre-ordering candy canes from Valley Drug, so that next year's Candy Gram ordering/delivery will go more smoothly. Nancy suggested ordering 300, and selling any extras at the Christmas Shop. Jenny made a motion to order 300 candy canes from Valley Drug. Nancy seconded the motion. The motion passed.

The next PTM meeting will be February 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM.