

PTA BUES MAY 143, 2014

SAC - NO NEW INFO

PTA: meetings next year meal 5:30-6 and meeting 6-7, gift card give away
2nd Tuesdays of each month.

? new principal will be at the next meeting, Mary Sullivan.

- April minutes accepted

- - Introductions: large community group including many 3rd graders.

4th Grade - Mollie Kowalsi

Kids are going to the Museum of Science. for 50% it is the 1st time, 20% is the 2nd time.

Field trip- Meeting house Farm- volunteers from college introduce composting etc.

MCAS are completed. Kids felt they were "fair". This is the 2nd year and the curriculum was matching up better.

Science- plant cycle

Social studies- wrapping up the states.

Thanked for the gift cards.

Requested: units of instruction from state "we Are the Ship" for a research project, background building. She needed a class set of hardcover books ~ \$19.95 / book. She plans to share with other classroom teachers. ACCEPTED

5th Grade - Erin Batson

Thanked PTA for gift cards and fruit from MCAS, 900 students received 1 banana plus 1 additional fruit during testing as a break.

Students are generally doing well on the MCAS. Teachers used creative ideas for review like "Wheel of Wonder" for science.

Studying the food chain. ELA - working with science. Math- Go Math data analysis and moving onto geometry.

Field trips : Barnstable Historic Society, Osterville Historic Society, Wellfleet Bay in June is a STEM field trip.

Treasurers Report- Accepted budget

Staffroom Delights - parent volunteers needed.

May 27 will be a tropical Luau

Sign up genius used for sign up

Year Book

Will be delivered June 20th and delivered to the kids the following week.

40 extra for lunch sales. 94 pages

Courtyard Update:

Sat 8-3 is a workday. Mrs Clark and Mrs. Ewald are coordinating. Re-roofing this summer , will resume in the fall.

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PTA BOARD TO BE VOTED ON FOR NEXT YEAR

Can Drive : \$4000 april can drive

Signed up for January next year. Volunteers needed.
Potential of holiday and Super Bowl cans

Book Fair Update:

All for Books- Jar to collect in each classroom
Cone drive , funds returned to our students.
Scholastic matches and gives \$2100 in change.
We bought 60 vouchers and \$40/ teacher to build their library.
Fall fundraiser
Spring - purchased 1 book for summer reading list of the 3 books they are supposed to read. There is a link to the public library for the public.

Field Day

Tues June 17th. 1 grade in am and 1 grade in the pm.
TShirts for field day.
? design, no contest. Red and white.
? logo contest- BUES field day, classes will vote (sports, klds, or stars)
Approved funds to be spent.
Flying Frisbee \$0.77 plus shipping APPROVED
Maybe frisbee can be incorporated into the field day event.

Funding APPROVED for remainder of teachers to get gift cards. ~20 more teachers

Bonnie Stanley / PLAYAWAY

Auditory books requested for library . \$35-70 /each. Students are responsible if not returned. No CD. Self Contained. ELL - helpful to follow. eEncourages higher level listening skills. Pair it with a book. APPROVED 10 books/ playaway.

Backyard Movie Equipment

APPROVED \$2500- \$3000
Store it in the PTA office. \$100/ year for licensing fee.
June movie night to be planned.

Volunteer Reward Program

Raffle for volunteers. Gifts from donated restaurants,. Match program with locals \$500 to match with their gifts.
Raffle at last meeting. Must be present to get your pick of prize.

Fundraising: Meadow farms 40% profit.

Walk A Thon \$13000 done with gym class. 1.5 mile walk

