

February PTO Meeting Minutes

Due to the weather, the PTO meeting is cancelled and will not be rescheduled.

Below are the meeting minutes, any questions, please contact any PTO officer.

Night at the Races is Saturday March 3rd at Wilkes Barre Twp firehall. Doors open at 530pm and race starts at 7pm. Many volunteers are need for his event. Horse sales are 10.00 and MUST be handed in by Wed Feb 21, please send cash or check in an envelope marked PTO attn. Cheryl Koval. Last year we had 712 horses, as of today we have 92. Top class wins a pizza party and top selling student wins a \$100 Target gift card. This is our biggest fundraiser for our students! All donations and sponsors are also due by Wed Feb 21. If you own a business or know someone who does and they would like to make a donation or sponsor a race, please contact Cheryl Koval or Kim Pugliese.

Krispy Kreme donut sale was successful with a little over \$2,000 raised. Thank you to everyone who bought and sold donuts. Also thank you to Renee Sipple, Brittany Weitz, Candace Farrell, Nancy Neale, Nikki Newcomb, Denise Abrams, Jen Guesto and Brandy Lewis for their help organizing and distributing all of the orders.

Box Tops for Education collection will be February 12 through the 23rd. Please bring all Box Tops to their homeroom class. The class collecting the most Box Tops will win an ice cream party! Every Box Top counts toward our goal of \$1,000 for the winter collection. I submitted the Campbell soup labels and

we got enough to buy like a kickball or a couple of jump ropes. I also received a \$25 Visa type card from our last submission. I will bring it to the next meeting.

Teacher appreciation will take place on May 4th. We will be having our first committee meeting February 26th at 5 o'clock, this is a Monday. The meeting will be at Norm's Pizza 275 North Sherman Street, Wilkes Barre. We will discuss ideas on food, decorations, etc. Anyone that has not previously signed up for the committee but would like to help is more than welcome to attend the meeting. If you can't make the meeting, but have ideas or suggestions, please feel free to email Jill or Shannon.

Administrators Report

February 15th – All Pro Dad Breakfast

February 15th- 8th grade pictures

February 19th- Full day of school (make up day from Jan. 5th)

Read Across America week is Feb.26th – March 2nd, which will also be Spirit Week:

Monday Feb. 26th- Dress up as your favorite Movie/TV/ Book character (no weapons or blood and gore)

Tuesday Feb. 27th- Crazy Hat Day

Wednesday Feb. 28th- Mismatch Day

Thursday March 1st- Spirit Day (wear school colors of blue and green or Spirit Wear)

Friday March 2nd- Dr. Seuss Day (dress up as a Dr. Seuss character)

Friday March 2nd - Noon dismissal / teacher in-service

Saturday March 3rd- Night at the Races

Wednesday March 7th- next PTO meeting

Student Council is currently working on coordinating their next service project: Treasuring our Troops, which will be a collection of spare change in order to send care packages to our Troops stationed overseas. Start date - to be announced- but most likely the week of February 12th.

Next meeting, Wed March 14. (Hopefully no snow that day!)