

OQS PTO Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, October 09, 2012

Attendees: Nicole Ofstad, Christina Scott, Lucy Archie, Kate Kebbekus, Lorin Durand, Paul Sadowski, Amos Kornfeld, Sarah Kniffin, Melissa Michaels, Sara Williams, Theresa Richardson, Allison Weglarz, Emily R. Clough

**Principals Report**

- NECAPS started
- PBIS going well

**Miscellaneous Business**

- Movie night - went well
  - Vote is in: Aladdin will be the movie next month
- Bark in the park was very successful. Bake sale took in \$125.50
- Halloween Party
  - Write up for newsletter in to Amos by Oct 17
  - Post pictures on bulletin board
- TOOLS for school at Price Chopper
  - We wasted points last year
  - Convert your Advantage card so points go toward the school (art supplies, classroom supplies, etc)
  - Theresa to hang poster on board and make step by step directions on how to convert your Advantage card

**Skiing (Paul Sadowski)**

- Skiing will take place 1:30-4:15PM on the following dates:
  - Jan 4 – ok
  - Jan 11 – ok (but should confirm)
  - Jan 18 – No school – no skiing
  - Jan 25 – ok
  - Feb 1 – ok
  - Feb 8 – make-up date
- Goal is to have at least 4 ski days
- Dates Paul could do sign-ups for ski program
  - Wednesday, Dec 12 – 3:00-7:00PM (Maggie, Sarah and Christina will help Paul)
  - Breakfast with Santa – Dec 15 (Paul may not be able to be there)
- Paul to write up a note to go home week after Thanksgiving
- Sarah and Paul to meet to discuss price and scholarship plan.
- Volunteers – need commitment ahead of time
- For more information contact Paul via email: [sadowskip@comcast.net](mailto:sadowskip@comcast.net)

### **Harvest Dinner**

- Friday, October 26, 6pm
- Price \$5 (child) and \$10 (adult)
- Subcommittee met last week
- Menu done
- Door prizes, fun and entertainment
- Possible fiddler
- Doing 5 buffet stations instead of 1 big table for line control
- Note for Harvest dinner to go out by Friday, October 12, with another reminder the following week. Deadline of October 22 to sign up.
- Budget for garden club - \$500
- Budget for Harvest dinner - \$900

### **NECAP snacks**

- Sign-ups went around asking for snacks to be providing during NECAP testing weeks – PTO parents to donate snacks

### **Funds request**

- KH and 3T want to purchase bulbs to plant out in front of the school and asking PTO for money. PTO voted and agreed on \$50 contribution
- Amos Kornfeld – Wolves on the Prowl for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders
  - Trail building, outing club, great opportunity for kids,
  - Amos initially obtained service learning grants but funding is mostly gone.
  - Amos would like the PTO to consider helping fund the program. He needs supplies/tools for trail work.
  - Amos will bring a wish list to the next meeting

### **Funding and Activity Suggestions (Allison Weglarz)**

- Monarch hockey game – discounted tickets
- Fundraiser: Turn children's artwork into gifts, bags, mousepads, shirts, etc

### **Next PTO Meeting**

Tuesday, November 13, 7pm. OQS School Library