## BAS PTSO GENERAL MEETING-APRIL 15,2009

Attendees:

President, VP ES/MS, VP Ways and Means, Assist Prin,

Treasurer, Prin, Scholastic, VP Programming,

Secretary, FOTA, Student Rep, VP HS-

Meeting was called to order at 15:27. Roll call was taken via sign-in attendance. The minutes from the March meeting were reviewed, a motion was made to approve, was seconded, and the motion was carried.

President-Has a monetary request he would like to request with new business

Treasurer-Balance \$16,371 current balance in checking. An audit needs to be conducted and paid. A few outstanding monetary requests still exist on the books!

VP Ways and Means-No report

VP Programming- Noted that the job description on the website does not match with her current job

Teacher Appreciation Week is the first week of May. Since it is also AP Exams and the students would need the conference rooms and no disturbances a motion was made to celebrate teacher appreciation week the 27<sup>th</sup> of April to May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009, the motion was seconded, the motion was passed.

VP ES/MS-The author was geared for K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade. She shared a book, both on the computer and hard copy. She would be great to invite again for the upper grades. She writes in many genres, she stayed all day for half price. Thanks to the PTSO for the great lunch.

VP HS- Original Works is on its way to BAS. \$850.00 was our share. She would like to continue the fundraiser if it is only done in the spring.

Principal-Thanks for everything you do!!

a. There is a construction strike all over Belgium so construction has stopped for the time being.

b.The DODDS survey could be misinterpreted. It was done anonymously, no control however a couple of issues did come up-gangs, fighting/violence and drugs/alcohol. Several of these were less than 1%. Not solid results only 1/3 of the school participated. c.Parties have been reported to the school. Not a school matter. Col Conkwright was given the information others were involved. Concerned drugs were coming into the school, nothing was confirmed. The Principal encouraged anyone to come into the school to let the administration know of any drug use.

SCA REP- No report

SLO-No report

International Dinner –No report

## SNACK SHACK-No report

FOTA- Next meeting is 11:50 on April 23,2009. Two arts cafes are approaching May 1 and 28<sup>th</sup>. Showcase is May 8<sup>th</sup> with auditions on April 20<sup>th</sup>. FOTA is dwindling, may not have the interest next year, future is in jeopardy.

SCHOLARSHIP- Applications are now available for four categories. They could add another category if the money request is approved. Applications are due the end of April 2009.

## **NEW BUSINESS-**

- **1.**The President proposed that the current budget would permit PTSO to increase the 2009 scholarship budget from \$5000- \$6000. They could add another category. A motioned was made to increase the scholarship budget to \$6250.00 for five categories, the motion was seconded and the motion was passed.
- **2.**Cub Scouts- The cub scouts requested up to \$200.00 to plant flowers and brighten up the foyer. A motion was made to offer the boy scouts up to \$200.00, the motion was seconded and the motion was passed.
- **3.**Second Grade Teacher- Requested one years supply of weekly readers at the cost of \$504.79 The readers would cover five or six grades. A motion was made to purchase one year of weekly readers, the motion was seconded and the motion was passed.
- **4.**Video Productions Teacher- no response to assist with his monetary request. Tabled until the May meeting.

Other Business-Pennies for Peace will be getting some exposure through AFN, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders will make a video to assist with the fund drive. The bucket is filling slowly. The class set of "Pennies for Peace" are here. The 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders are currently enjoying them.

Adjournment-Meeting was adjourned after a final call at 16:11PM Next meeting is Wednesday May 6<sup>th</sup> at 3:25 pm in the library.