

Brussels American School Parent-Teacher-Student Organization John F. Kennedylaan 12 1960 Sterrebeek, Belgium

# **BAS PTSO GENERAL MEETING** Sept. 1, 2010 Attendees:

President- Vice President- Treasurer- Secretary- VP Programming- VP Ways and Means- Box Tops- Hospitality- Faculty VP-Membership- FOTA- SCA Rep- Scholastic –Snack Shack- SLO- Publicity- Parent Ambassadors- Volunteer Coordinator –PTSO Advisors -

#### **Visitors**

Meeting was called to order at 3:25 p.m.

The PTSO President thanked the volunteers both old and new.

A motion was made to accept the May minutes as written, motion was seconded and motion was passed.

**Budget** – was overviewed by PTSO Vice President. Motion was made and seconded and the budget was passed.

**SCA Rep** thanked the PTSO for Planners

#### PRESIDENT-

A nomination was made for new member as secretary and new member for Treasurer. A vote will be taken at the next PTSO meeting.

## Monetary Requests -

- 1. Vice principal requested \$450 to purchase shower curtains, hooks and tension rods for new gym showers. Motion was made, motion was seconded and motion was passed.
- 2. 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teacher requested \$475 for weekly readers in middle school. Motion was made, motion was seconded and motion was passed.
- 3. 2<sup>nd</sup> grade teacher requested \$88 for pencil sharpeners. This was tabled to see if other teachers needed the same pencil sharpeners. Kindergarten teacher, the grade level chair will be contacted.

# **VICE PRESIDENT-**

No report

**TREASURER**- See enclosed report for the month. Please use proper form for reimbursement. Receipts are required. Checks will be payable to requestor or with prior approval to the organization.

**SECRETARY-** No report.

## **VP WAYS & MEANS-**

4 Major Events

Info meeting Thursday 30 SEP @ 10 am

1. International Food/Tombola

- 2. Winter Wonderland Santa's workshop shopping
- 3. Bingo Night
- 4. Swing the Night Away (biggest fundraiser)

### **VP PROGRAMMING-**

Story teller, author (Helen Grant), nine artists and a painter are in the works.

# FACULTY VP-

- -request: tutors in HS.
- -Vice principal is having a meeting at the garrison for soldier tutors

## SLO-

- -College night at ISB on 29 SEP
- -reiterated availability of Tutor .com
- -survey available at mymilitaryvoice.org
- -working adopt a school MOU

# **SCHOLARSHIPS-**

Seniors or their families must be PTSO members to be eligible for scholarships.

Deadline for membership for scholarship eligibility is 1 DEC for seniors.

#### FOTA-

ES play 1 April: Sleeping Beauty 6pm dinner, 7pm show

7-12 graders meetings for play

# **SCHOLASTIC-**

5 New volunteers

**PUBLICITY-**DB entries can go to cece714@yahoo.com

# **MEMBERSHIP-**

-Membership 64

#### **HOSPITALITY-**

Welcome back Brunch 22 SEP 9-10:30

### **BOX TOPS-**

-New box top volunteer

#### SNACK SHACK-

- -Thanked PTSO for support.
- -Thanks to new member for volunteering for treasurer
- -overview supplied and attached
- -suggestions of protractors, composition books taken for supplies
- -volunteers needed for shopping

# **PARENT AMBASSADOR** – need volunteers for open house

**VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR**-please keep track of volunteer hours and submit them on the form provided in the PTSO room

## **NEW BUSINESS-**

-HS dance 6:30-8:30

Meeting was adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

*Next meeting*: Wednesday, October 6, 2010 at 3:25 p.m. in the Library.