

# Center Road School PTO Meeting Minutes

*December 13, 2016*

**CALL TO ORDER** – please see attendees at the end of the minutes

## **OFFICERS REPORT**

### Principal's Report – Mike DeBellis VP

- November parent/teacher conferences went well.
- Concert being held on Thursday, December 15th and a Kindergarten winter concert on Friday, December 16th.
- Finding creative ways to use social media. CRS will be testing out the facebook live feature at the concert on December 15th.
- Parents can schedule conferences in March even though the school is not formally holding parent teacher conferences.
- Sue Rubinstein needs a piano player. If you know anyone that is good with a piano 2 after school rehearsals for the May concert.

### President's Report – Angela Fredrickson

- PTO put together holiday cookies for the teachers/staff at CRS that they will receive December 14th.

### 2<sup>ND</sup> Vice President's Report - Peggy Wilde and Diane Sirois

- There is a family in need. full size bed, twin size bed and a kitchen table with chairs. If you have that or willing to donate please reach out to Peggy Wilde.

### Secretary's Report - Nichole Greco

- Approval of November PTO Meeting Minutes - approved.

### Treasurer's Report - Melissa Saucier

- November Treasurer's report - approved.
- Break down of profit numbers from our recent fundraisers/events:
  - Gift and Wrap \$2,800
  - Yankee Candle up to \$1,500
  - Square 1 - no numbers yet.
  - Jumpin Johnnies made \$226.00
  - Holiday Vendor Fair \$260
  - Book Fair \$7,920.

### Board of Education - Laurie Bajorek

- BOE will start the 2017-2018 budget planning in January.
- Update from November's PTO meeting: the ice cream being sold in the cafeteria meets the federal nutritional guidelines and they are allowed to be sold.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- Carnival - Nichole Greco
  - **Saturday, March 4th 10:00 am - 2:00 pm**

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- Awaiting approval from Jocelyn to communicate to staff the classroom raffle baskets
- Looking for volunteers to chair the Classroom Raffle Baskets and to shadow the local donation raffles
- Family Events - Cindy Kristoff/Kathleen Marth
  - Spare Time
    - January 15th from 1-3pm. 6 bowlers per lane
    - \$20 per bowler Pre-sale tickets only (bowling, rental, pizza and soda)
    - final headcount to Spare Time Tuesday, January 10th.

## **NEW IDEA/BUSINESS/VOTES REQUIRED**

- Cards for a Cause - Brett Gotler
  - A box of 30 greeting cards, only need to sell a minimum of 15 boxes.  
[cardsforacausefundraisers.com](http://cardsforacausefundraisers.com)
- CRS PTO donated to the Rockville High Project Graduation \$50.00
- We held our first gift card drawing for the volunteers that have donated their time. Every time you volunteer, you get entered into the drawing.
  - Misi Mattos - won the \$25 99 restaurant
  - Carolyn Lapworth - won the \$25 Dave and Busters Gift Cards.
- Drawing 2x a year, Dec/May. We have many volunteer opportunities available throughout the year. Please keep in mind that where a chairperson is needed the duties can be divided between more than one person so grab a friend or two and try something new! Any amount of time you have is needed and appreciated.

## **Attendees:**

Angela Fredrickson  
Cindy Kristoff  
Diane Sirois  
Peggy Wilde  
Giuletta O'Coin  
Brett Gotler  
Mike DeBellis  
Melissa Saucier  
Keri Hermanson  
Lisa Traska  
Nichole Greco