

# Center Road School PTO Meeting Minutes

*April 20, 2017*

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

## **OFFICERS REPORT**

### Principal's Report – Mike Debellis

- bike/scooter walk day may 10th. Meeting a strong farm and walk to school at 7:45 am. Parents will park on Peterson Rd.
- Field day volunteers will be needed to run the water and popsicle stations. Grades 3-5 on May 24th and Grades K-2 on May 30th.
- SBAC testing will start next week. 4th and 5th grade will have one test next week. And grade 3 will have testing starting the following week.
- NWEA will start a couple of weeks after the SBAC and that will be for all grades.

### President's Report – Angela Fredrickson

- Field Day
  - Grades 3-5, May 24th (Rain Date: 6/7)
  - Grades K-2, May 30th (Rain Date: 6/2)
  - The PTO will be providing popsicles and water for students
  - Mrs. Plevyak, has reached out with the idea of selling custom sportswear for field day to sell clothing to promote school spirit. This would not be a fundraiser. This has been shared on the PTO Facebook page
- Grade 5 field trip to Boston, MA on May 19th
- Price Chopper - using the points to purchase playground equipment
- An email from Kelly Brown - used to be a first grade teacher at CRS now at Lake Street.
  - Would like permission from the CRS PTO to borrow the incubator purchased for my prior classroom. I spent a great deal of time and energy developing a hatching unit for my Center Road first grade and now I would love to share the project with the students at Lake. The project will continue at CRS through Andrea Bortolan (she also has an incubator) and we will collaborate to create and update engaging lessons for the unit. I have checked with all of the teachers at Center and there is no one who will be needing it this spring. As the incubator was so generously purchased by the PTO there, I wanted to be sure it was ok for me to use it at Lake Street School. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.
- PTO members discussed the requested and voted
  - Kelly Brown may borrow the incubator with the full understanding that it must be returned to CRS once the unit is over. Our only concern is that while no other teachers wish to use it this Spring, in the future, we may once again have a need for two incubators. If the unit goes well, which I'm sure it will, you may want to ask the Lake Street PTO to purchase one for their students as we did for ours!
- PTO Board Members - need a new President, VP and Treasurer for next year.

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

- Peggy needs a teacher replacement.
- Teachers will come on Friday April 21 after 2:00 pm to get books during the spring book fair.

### Secretary's Report - Nichole Greco

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- March meeting minutes - approved.

## Treasurer's Report - Melissa Saucier

- March treasurer's report - approved.

## Board of Education - Laurie Bajorek

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- April 25th at 7:00 pm, the town budget vote at RHS
- Graduation is June 15th. Last day is June 16th.
- CRS 5th grade recognition is June 9th.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- Book Fair - Lisa
  - Spring Book Fair dates: April 24 - April 28th, it is the buy 1 get one book fair. The PTO is looking for suggestions for a family community event.
    - Family Game Night on Friday, April 28th
    - In need of volunteers to help run the book fair.

## **Attendees:**

Mike DeBellis  
Peggy Wilde  
Nichole Greco  
Angela Fredrickson  
Melissa Saucier  
Megan Ross  
Cindy Kristoff  
Becky Nevelos  
Emily Westerberg  
Pat Spooner