

SVMSPTO

General Meeting Minutes

November 19, 2018

Present: Ronda Seymour, Sherry Arndt, Jeff Kerchner, Heather Hueske, Anne Ostrowski, Kelly Ruth, Sara Stanley, Sallie Gigliotti

1. Call to order at 6:32pm
2. Secretary's report-
 - a. October meeting minutes were approved by motions from Anne Ostrowski and Ronda Seymour.
3. Treasurer's report-
 - a. Staff appreciation committee spent \$96.90
 - b. Profit from the Works No Cook Night was \$200.96.
 - c. Treasurer's report was approved by motions from Sallie Gigliotti and Sherry Arndt.
4. Principal/Teacher representative's report- Mrs. Seymour expressed her gratitude for the MSPTO's support of the cookie dough fundraiser.
5. Committee reports
 - a. Membership- 108 members
 - b. Fundraising-
 - i. Popsocket sale- \$10.00 each
 1. SOS to make black and white copies of the order forms for \$72.00.
 2. Heather will pick the copies up on Tuesday or Wednesday and disburse the forms to the schools prior to the Thanksgiving break.
 - ii. Cookie dough fundraiser is completed.
 1. Awaiting the profit for the SVMSPTO until the field trip and bus cost are removed from the total.
 - iii. "What a Crock" Fundraiser until 1/21
 1. www.whatacrockschuylkillvalley.com
 - iv. Music Fest
 1. Will be selecting a date possibly in October of 2019.
 2. Mrs. Seymour suggested getting the music and art department's involved.
 - v. Bingo
 1. Planning a Bingo event this spring.
 2. Requesting volunteers to help with this program
 3. Mr. Kerchner would be willing to help with this event.
 - c. No Cook Night- Sherry Arndt

- i. Due to the winter weather on 11/15 the Exteme Air fundraiser will be rescheduled to possibly the second Thursday in December but are awaiting confirmation.
 - ii. Upcoming no cook night will be in January at Dino's Wings and Things. Awaiting Dino's decision on the specific date.
 - d. Rewards Programs-
 - i. Shoparoo has 68 supporters and is approximately 250 points from earning \$50.
 - ii. Will promote the Box Top program by
 - 1. Advertising in the morning announcements at the MS.
 - 2. Sara will create an advertisement to place in the band/chorus concert booklet for December.
 - 3. Developing a competition between the homerooms.
 - a. This competition will begin in January with a potential end date of February 14th. Prizes will be given for the homeroom with the most box tops collected per grade.
 - e. Staff Appreciation-
 - i. Provided fun, fruity drinks for the staff on 11/1
 - ii. Mrs. Seymour conveyed the staff's enjoyment of the drinks.
 - iii. Pre-approval of the staff appreciation ideas will be provided to the administration for future dates.
 - iv. Next staff appreciation date is 1/17
 - f. Web site (SVMSPTO.org)
- 6. Unfinished Business
 - a. Vote to approve bylaws
 - i. Meeting dates changed to quarterly (2/11 and 5/20).
 - ii. Bylaws were approved and adopted by motions from Sherry Arndt and Ronda Seymour.
 - b. Purchased 25 SVMSPTO cards plus envelopes for future correspondence from the BCIU for \$12.21.
- 7. New Business
 - a. Heather Hueske will discuss the possibility of providing a reward to the students who qualified for the honor roll. She will discuss this with Mr. Kerchner.
 - b. Anne Ostrowski questioned whether the MS PTO will be purchasing a personalized table covering to be utilized at future functions. Will research options.
- 8. Announcements- **Next meeting will be February 11 at 6:30pm in the MS LGI.**
- 9. Adjournment at 7:16pm but motions from Anne Ostrowski and Ronda Seymour.