

## PTAC Minutes 9 -16-14

Welcome and introduction of president by Tammy Seib our school Principal.

Welcome from Dr. Ben George our PTAC President for the 2014-15 school year.

### Volunteer Reports:

Kelly Bruehl: Laps for Learning on October 10th. Talked about the kick off and various dates coming up in preparation for the fundraiser. Spoke about prizes for the kids to get them excited about getting pledges from family and friends. Have asked parents to donate items to use as prizes to keep expenses down for the school.

Natalie Fowler: Watch Dogs. Spoke about how dads, uncles, grandpas and other male support figures associated with the students can get involved with the school and activities.

Natalie Fowler: Square 1 Art fundraiser. Spoke about this fundraiser happening in early 2015 with delivery of items by Mother's Day.

Renee Tonnis: Helping Kelly Bruehl as parent volunteer coordinator this year. Spoke of additional need for volunteers, such as a lead person or persons for the yearbook.

Heather Reed: Book Fair. Spoke about the book fair happening Oct 6-9<sup>th</sup> and various activities leading up to and during the fair.

Tammy Seib spoke about the need for PTAC Board Members. There are four meetings through the year, in September, November, January and April. There is also a UIP - Unified Improvement Plan - meeting in October.

A vice president is needed to shadow Dr. Ben George this year and take over as president next year.

A secretary is needed for meeting minutes - Heather Reed volunteered and was voted into this position.

Nominations are welcome for Vice President.

Attendees were asked to consider presentations that might be brought to the PTAC meetings.

Presentation: The Program Manager for Junior Achievement was at our meeting and shared information about Junior Achievement and how parents can get involved. It was described as very easy to do and a great way to interact with the kids and give the teachers a break. Parents who volunteer to teach a course will teach five sessions, each lasting about 30-40 minutes. All the materials and supplies are provided.

This is a great way to bring real life experience and a fresh perspective into the classrooms as well as help to meet economic standards.

November 11th will be our next meeting.