

JR Briggs PTA Meeting Minutes
November 10, 2016

President: Alisha VanHillo
Vice President: Michelle Parkinson
Treasurer: Myriah Zwicker
Secretary: Jeraldine Lumbert

Meeting Called to Order at 6:08

Welcome and Thanks

Principal's Report

Mrs. McGrath reported that the Veteran's Luncheon hosted by Jr. Briggs welcomed 63 Veterans this year. As the holiday seasons begins, it is important to think about others during this time of year. Jr. Briggs will be collecting food donations for the local church and food pantry with the yearly Turkey Trot. They will also be collecting unwrapped toys for Toys of Tots that support members of the community.

Mrs. McGrath also let us know that the budget planning has begun for next year and there will be a meeting on November 15, 2016 at Oakmont High School in the Library at 7:00 pm if anyone is interested in attending the meeting.

Secretary's Report

Jerri Lumbert, PTA Secretary, presented meeting notes from October's meeting for approval. Notes were approved as presented.

Treasurer's Report

Myriah Zwicker, Treasurer, was not able to attend the meeting. She will update the PTA at the December meeting.

Movie Night

Tiffany, Karen, and Lindsay reported that planning is going well. The district already has a license in place so we do not need to obtain one of the evening. West Boylston Cinema, Village Pizza, and Brother's Pizza have made donations of popcorn and pizza. Peer leaders will be at the event to help out. We have had 50 tickets purchased prior to the event and they can also be purchased the night of the movie. They are waiting to hear back from Dunkin Donuts. BJ gift cards will be used to purchase water and additional supplies if needed.

Box Tops

Brenda Brown reported that we have made \$242.00 so far with the Box Top collections.

Coupon Fundraiser (Update)

The coupon books are out to the school community until November 15th. So far, we have made about \$30.00. She will update us at the next meeting.

Roll on America (Fundraiser)

We had a good turn out. The next event will be closed to the public including Jr. Briggs only. It will take place on ½ day and one on a Sunday.

BJ's Membership

Michelle Parkinson reported that Jr. Briggs will be running this fundraiser again. BJ's will buy or renew memberships for 15 months for \$40.00. They give us \$5.00 for each membership.

Mini Grant

The 5th grade Team are requesting \$500.00 mini grant toward the Earth, Space & Science field trip. It was approved as presented.

Bingo Night

Bingo night is scheduled for January 13, 2017. A chairperson is still needed to help organize this event. The money raised from this event is given toward a particular fund.

Parent Night Out

We are still in need of volunteers to set up and donate baked goods for the event. We are looking to add more vendors to the night. The event will be on the JR Briggs PTA and parent page on Facebook to also advertise the event. PTA will have a table at the event to sell off clothing, cookbooks, and coupon books.

Meeting adjourned at 6:50 pm

Next PTA Meeting is December 8th @ 6pm in the library.

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Parent Teacher Association J. R. Briggs School