

Hartland School - PTO Minutes
March 8, 2017

Meeting called to order at 7:10 p.m. by Michelle Ferrari, Hartland School.

Attendance: Amy Maliszewski, Jodi Ouellette, Michelle Ferrari, Pam Weber, Siobhan Murphy, Sarah Schackner, Christine Hart, Shayla Jabs, and Laura Hollingsworth

OFFICER REPORTS:

President (Michelle Ferrari):

1. Michelle read thank yous from Ronnie Alicata, Kate Langer and Jill Skaret for the PTO Bookfair and books for their classrooms.
2. Michelle and the PTO would like to thank the student council for their tremendous help at the PTO movie night on Saturday, March 4, 2017.
3. Due to a lack of volunteers, the PTO may only have one bookfair next school year. Michelle will forward information to parents (similar to what the Kindergarten parents receive in their welcome packet) that outlines how the PTO helps reduce costs for student activities and also donates funds for cultural events at the school.

Treasurer (Pam Weber):

1. The current balance is approximately \$7,007.22.
2. The following invoices have been received:
 - \$165 for a bus
 - \$200 for a bus
 - \$400 for 7th & 8th grade field trip bus

Secretary (Jodi Ouellette):

Nothing to report.

Principal Report (Laura Hollingsworth):

1. Laura indicated that Hartland School has received a category 1 out of 5 designation for Next Generation Accountability Measures which include the SBA testing from 2014. This means that Hartland School is in the top 20% of schools.

Fundraisers (Tara Nielsen/Kerri Battistoni):

1. There will be a painting party on Friday, February 11 at 7:00 p.m. at the East Hartland Firehouse.
Update: This is postponed. Information will be sent shortly.
2. The braided bread and cookie dough fundraiser was sent home with students on Friday, February 11 2017 raised \$550 for the PTO.
3. The Mixed Bags Design fundraiser is the next PTO fundraiser.
4. Christine spoke about a direct marketing fundraiser for April/May 2017 to benefit the PTO.

Hartland Clothing (Amy Maliszewski):

Nothing to report.

Upcoming Events:

1. Siobhan confirmed that the New Britain Bees game will be on Saturday, June 10, 2017 at 6:35. The Bee's mascot will visit Hartland Baseball's opening day on April 22, 2017 at 9:30.
2. The 7th grade classes won the All For Books fundraiser. They will enjoy a pizza party soon!

Miscellaneous:

1. The PTO would like to encourage attendance from teachers at our monthly meetings. This will help communications between what teachers and students need and what the PTO can offer.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

**Please join us at our next PTO meeting on Wednesday, March 8, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.
at the Hartland School Library.**