

Coventry Grammar School PTO Minutes  
May 11, 2010

The meeting was called to order by Kari Bennett, Co-President at 7:05 pm.

Terry Bitwinski is sitting in for Marybeth Moyer tonight.

Principals Report – Ms. Bitwinski

Our annual Arts Festival will be held on Friday June 4<sup>th</sup>. June 7<sup>th</sup> will be the rain date.

The Run for Fun Club has been a huge hit. 40 kids turned out and 20 kids were put on a waiting list.

Don't forget to wear your Hawaiian shirts on Friday to support the Dolphin Dance.

2010/2011 planning is underway.

Wish list for PTO - \$1200 to outfit the 2 other classrooms for smart boards and projectors.

\$1000 for tables/chairs and headphones.

Thank you to everyone who helped with Teacher Appreciation.

Acceptance of April 2010 Minutes - Beth Hassett

Crissy Stinson and Carrie Houk accepted the April 2010 minutes.

Treasurer's Report – Darby Muia

Balance is \$5,795.00 . Darby has put projected additional expenses into the report this month to show and figure out how we want to allocate the remainder of funds. Lots of discussion on how we want to proceed. We are going to check with Mrs. Moyer to see if Box Tops, Big Y points or Campbells points will get any headphones for the computer room. The board suggested that we fulfill the wish for \$1200 and make a donation to wish #2 in honor of the teachers retiring this year. Wish #2 was put to aside until Mrs. Moyer came back with any information on if points/checks could be allocated towards the headphones. A motion was made for \$1200 for technology enhancements. Crissy Stinson and Leslie Anderson passed the motion. All were in favor.

Spring Book Fair – Martha McKerley

Book fair made \$4300. Because it was a buy 1, get 1, there was no profit on this one. Loose change collected was \$1,000. \$500 went to the library and \$500 went to the teachers. A recommendation for 2 cash registers next year.

Teacher Appreciation – Kari Bennett

Huge thanks to Jen Oberlin. The meals were great and much appreciated. Kari Bennett made up over 30 raffle baskets. The teachers loved them. Thank you.

Dolphin Dance – Jen Zawacki

Friday 6-9 pm. Come in your Hawaiian luau wear. Snacks and drinks will be provided.

Rock Cats Game – Saturday June 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. Gates open at 5 pm. CGS will make \$2 on each ticket. Tickets will be available at the will call window. Send in your money by May 27<sup>th</sup> to reserve your tickets. A fun family day !!

Family Fun Festival – Jen Zawacki

June 4<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 – 8:30. There will be a DJ, face painting, tattoos, games, raffle baskets. Feel free to bring a picnic lunch and sit on the CGS grounds to have dinner. Save room for the ice cream. \$1.00 for ice cream, Festival is free, donations to PTO are appreciated. Motion was made for \$250 for DJ. Crissy Stinson and Claudia Schenck accepted the motion.

2010/2011 Elections and Board –

Beth Hassett and Carrie Houk were welcomed in as Co-Presidents for the next school year. We are still in need of a Treasurer and Secretary. If interested, please contact Beth Hassett at [bhassett5605@charter.net](mailto:bhassett5605@charter.net) or 860-742-5605.

Next meeting is June 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. Last meeting of the year!!