

1. President's Report: Skipped
2. Secretary's Report: minutes were emailed to those who attended last month's meeting
 - a. Thanks again to Katie Putrino for taking notes in my absence
3. Treasurer's Report
 - a. Art to Remember sales were up
 - b. Checking balance: \$10,309.29
 - c. Savings Balance: \$54,184.03
 - d. Motion to accept: Amy Kline, 2nd: Chris Clifton, carried unanimously
4. Principal's Report:
 - a. State of the Schools
 - i. Video will be on the website soon
 - ii. 3rd grade state assessments on November 9th & 10th
 - iii. 4th grade Good Assembly coming up on the 7th
 1. 2 shirts per class, hanging in the room all year and given out at the end of the year assembly
 - iv. 11th: Veteran's Day Assembly
 - v. 8th: Building is closed for elections as HTE is a polling place, which we are grateful for, especially as this is a presidential year and crowds are expected to be high
~teachers are still working and attending Hilliard U
 - vi. Chase Life has kicked off. Year round curriculum for 3rd graders: practice making good lifestyle choices and giving back to the community. Mrs. Gage and Mrs. Dameron will be leading this.
 - vii. Yearbook contest kicked off today, open until next Friday. 2 designs per grade will be selected and electronic voting thereafter. The entire process will be finished by the 18th. There will be several "winners" (1 for the front cover, 1 for the back, several in pages throughout the book, etc).
 - viii. 5th grade play will occur truly in January, but November's performance will be more of a workshop on the 17th
5. ISPTO:
 - a. Business partner: HEF
 - i. Grants for unique, out of the box ideas
 - ii. Over a million dollars has been awarded thus far and they give scholarships too.
 - iii. 2 fundraisers each year. Upcoming is Engage in Education and will focus on the arts. There will be a gallery of created work and live performances throughout the night. Casino Night will be in April.
 - iv. HTE PTO gave a \$500 donation so we get 4 tickets (2 to Casino and 2 to Engage)
 - v. They're changing the grant process and there are monthly review cycles that are evaluated throughout the year.
 - b. Issue 58
 - i. Focused on the bond issue part of the levy which is to build the new middle school.

- ii. Differences in design take into account what we've learned from our other middle schools, including security. It will also have a 1k student capacity, whereas the other middle schools hold 850.
 - iii. District already owns the land. Wwater and sewer is already present onsite, so the district is ready to seek bids after the 8th
 - iv. Next meeting is the 15th at Avery, 6:30pm
- 6. Communications:
 - a. Continuing to share. Upcoming is promotion of box tops and Book Fair.
- 7. Spirit Wear:
 - a. 4th and K have chosen designs
 - b. 5th grade is combining this with what has traditionally been the "graduation" t-shirt
- 8. COSI on Wheels
 - a. Set up October 31 immediately after school
 - b. Program runs all day on November 1
 - c. We are still in need of a few volunteers, but huge commitment from the Panther Ambassadors already
- 9. Family Night:
 - a. November 11 from 6-8 (book fair opens half an hour before and closes half an hour after)
 - b. Pirate Themed
 - c. 7ish games, set up in the gym
 - d. Food trucks (Kookie's Cookies and Romeo's Pizza)
 - e. Pirate ship photo booth, scavenger hunt
 - f. We need volunteer face-painters
- 10. Book Fair:
 - a. Scavenger hunt has book prizes from the fair.
 - b. Hours are posted in the newsletter
 - c. Spirit Day Friday the 11th (dress like a pirate)
 - d. Tuesday-Friday, VIP lunches NOT Monday!
 - e. Used book Drive and collecting coins and cash for the SON Ministries literacy program (infant through high school materials). Goal is to raise \$600.
 - f. Teacher wish lists will be available.
 - g. Call for volunteers is upcoming
- 11. A-Thon
 - a. Dance-a-thon
 - b. January 27th
 - c. Similar to last year
 - d. Classes will choose their own song and dance again
 - e. Encourage more parents to come watch
 - i. Share videos from last year
- 12. Hospitality Committee:
 - a. Many thanks for everyone covering the conference night dinner
 - b. Corrine Febus is now chair – WAHOO!
 - c. Upcoming events include Conference dinner in February.

13. Old Business:

- a. Mumkins: Raised \$12, 674.88 in profit
- b. Harvest Fest: \$751.42 over budget
 - i. \$300 on Pumpkins because they weren't donated and didn't sell well (very different from last year).
 - ii. Some funds will be recouped because water and candy was donated and we can sell that at Movie Nights
 - iii. Income was \$2,793 (raffle was big winner, also dunk tank and bake sale)
 - iv. Total cost of the event is about \$6,500 (for future budgeting)
 - v. Key Club ran games, Giggle Factory ran face paint
 - vi. Minimally served 600-1,000 people
 - vii. Wonderfully well done Melissa Rios and all who helped!

14. New Business:

- a. Britton PTO has a Holiday bazaar on Nov. 12, still looking for vendors
- b. Don't forget to vote
- c. Movie Night wrap up:
 - i. Cleared \$1, 053, helps cover BizTown
 - ii. 300+ canned goods collected for the Hilliard Food Pantry
 - iii. Packedhouse
 - iv. nearly 200 pre-orders for the hot dog meal
 - v. Kids ran it
 - vi. Next one is December 9th (title to be determined by the hosting class)
 - vii. Hat and Glove Drive
- d. Giant Eagle Rewards post

Motion to Adjourn: April Keller, 2nd: Carol Slavka, carried unanimously