

Bacon Elementary School
5844 S. Timberline
Fort Collins, CO 80525

Minutes of the Bacon PTA Meeting
January 12, 2010

- Call to Order** The Bacon Elementary School PTA meeting was called to order by President Bridgette Johnson at 9:02 a.m.
- Attendance** Wendy Gorman, Sarah Zacher, Jill Wood, Jana Parker, Sharon Fessler, Bryon Fessler, Liz Longshore, Holly Hevelone, Bridgette Johnson, Jodi Greer and Joe Horky
- Reports**
- Secretary** (Jodi Greer) The minutes for the December 8, 2009 meeting were approved.
- Treasurer** (Sarah Zacher) The budget was briefly reviewed.
- Partnership Center** – (Jill Wood) Current volunteer needs are:
1. Holly Williams needs morning help with cross guard duty. The time frame is 8:30 – 8:50.
- Invest In A Child** – (Holly Hevelone) Jason's Deli was the latest family night fund raiser. The next family evening will be on Feb. 9 at Red Robin. Discussion was held on including the pre school in future communications.
- District Advisory Board** – (Per Bridgette Johnson) Gayle Schmidt reported that there will be a Text Book Fair on Jan. 14. The district will be selecting material by the end of March. Whatever the district chooses, Bacon will adopt. Input is needed on this.
- Principal** (Jana Parker) Jana reported that the Kindergarten Orientation will be held next Thursday, Jan. 21 from 6:30 to 7:30.
(Joe Horky) Shared how he intends to revamp conferences for next year. He wants specified times and dates so that they are not all spread out. He also wants to be an integral part in them. It was discussed that possibly the Book Fair will move to conference week. He would also like PTA to be involved in providing food for teachers during the conference days/evenings. Traffic concerns were also brought up!
- Carnival** (per Liz Longshore) Selected board members, the carnival committee and Joe Horky met to review the carnival. 5th graders will be utilized again next year.
- Merchandise** – (Bryon and Sharon Fessler) An overview was given on the new merchandise proposal and unveiling (see attached). With budget revisions, the upfront money needed will come from the General Fund. It was moved and approved to allocate up to \$1550 from the General Fund for initial purchase of hoodies and both t-shirts pending SIT approval. Water bottle choices will be tabled until next meeting.
- Room Mom Meeting**– (Jodi Greer) A Room-Mom get together has been scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 26 at 9am in room 123. Communication and connecting is the whole purpose.
- Chess Club** – (Per Bridgette Johnson) John Trone will be starting Chess Club soon. Contact him with any interest.
- Science Fair** – (Liz Longshore) The CSU Chemistry Club will be providing the big kick-off assembly. Nature's Own will be giving us a discount on prizes. The Science Fair is the first week in April.
- Newsletter** – Liz announced that this month's deadline for submissions is January 21.

Box Tops – (Liz Longshore) We just received a check for \$600 from Box Tops! A new form will be coming home this week.

Other News

1. President Bridgette Johnson sent out an e-mail inquiring about possible interest in evening meetings. 4 people have responded positively to her so far. It was decided that the February General Assembly meeting would be held on Feb. 11 at 6:30 p.m.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 10:15 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Jodi Greer
PTA Secretary

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