

Woodcrest Elementary PTA Meeting Minutes
January 11th-2011 Next Meeting February 7th-2011

Joanne Satter - President
Jodi Schwagerl-treasurer
Bobbi George- Secretary

Introductions of PTA board members and by everyone is attendance were made.

Treasures report:

Candy bar sales have brought in \$5,667.00 so far. Bills are being sent out to the remaining parents who still need to turn in their sale money and leftover candy, accounting for \$2,000.00. We still have about 900 bars to sell.

Woodcrest Principal- Judi Kahoun:

Woodcrest is currently doing a pilot program with our 2nd and 3rd grade reading that the other elementary schools are waiting to see how this works. 1 teacher stays with 1 reading group for 70 minutes at a time to help each group level up and also to challenge our readers already at a higher level. Mrs. Kahoun has also received many compliments on what a great school Woodcrest is.

Kelly Delfs- School Board:— Absent from meeting, no report.

Mrs. Krull:

Mrs. Krull currently teaches music to Woodcrest and Northpoint elementary schools in this district. She shared with us that K-12th grade are doing a new spiraling curriculum so each grade level moves smoothly to the next grade level. This year 1st graders are doing a Good Pirate musical at the fine arts center. March is ' Music in Schools' month and Mrs. Krull shared some statistics with us that schools who have music programs have a 20% higher graduation rate than schools who do not have music in their curriculums.

Mr. Vogel:

Mr. Vogel teaches physical education and shared with us his current curriculum and what he incorporates into every class. NOISE + 6
N=neuromuscular skills, run and jump O= organic vigor, fitness I=intellectual thinkers S=social, be on a team E=emotional, how to be a good sport. +6 is to carry over all these things for life. Mrs. Kahoun also shared that Mr. Vogel is the Physical Education leader in our district and helps all the other phy-ed teachers

Upcoming Events:

Carnival planning meeting on January 27th in room #202 Bring your ideas.
Tupperware Fundraiser Kickoff- February 8th—demo at next PTA meeting
Bookfair/ Reading Night/ Art Fair-February 24th—A fun and busy evening.