

WRMS PTO Meeting
September 1, 2010

Present: Tammy Guilmain, Tammy Guilmain, Pam Miller, Deb Martinson, Jeanne LaBelle, Carolee Longley, Joyce Fulweiler, Candice Weingartner, Jo-Ala Markson, Gail Lyman, Michelle Joseph, Stacey Jones, Kelly Lang, Lynne Doyle, Sue Berry

1. Welcome – Tammy Guilmain welcomed everyone.
2. WRMS PTO Mission – Carolee Longley shared our mission statement.
3. Review of 2009/2010 Accomplishments – Carolee Longley and Tammy Guilmain shared some of our accomplishments. We have sponsored teacher appreciation day, custodian appreciation day, a “Go Green” event, several 6th grade socials, and fundraisers (ink cartridges for kids, Target, Box Tops, and Hannaford to name a few).
4. PTO Perspectives – Tammy Guilmain and Carolee Longley shared their perspective as parents. Cenanne Sanders and Sue Berry shared their perspectives as teachers. Pam Miller shared her perspective as an administrator.
5. Review Treasurer’s Report – Our balance as of July 30, 2010 was \$2, 413.74. Candice Weingartner made a motion to accept the Treasurer’s report as written and Gail Lyman seconded the motion. The report was unanimously accepted.
6. Discussion on PTO Status: to dissolve or continue – We went around the group and listened to what each person attending would like to see from the PTO and what they might be able to bring to the group.
7. Next Steps – Candice is willing to write another letter to the editor.
8. Election of Officers – Gail Lyman nominated Carolee Longley to be the president, Deb Martinson seconded and it was unanimously voted in the affirmative. Deb Martinson made a motion to nominate Stacey Jones as vice president, Kelly Lang seconded the motion and it was unanimously voted in the affirmative. Deb Martinson has agreed to be the acting treasurer, but would like to be replaced if there is anyone who would be willing to take on the job. Joyce Fulweiler nominated Cenanne Sanders as the secretary, Jo-Ala Markson seconded motion and it was unanimously voted in the affirmative.
9. New Business – Tammy updated everyone on what we have done in the past at our Open House. We discussed having our PTO dinner before the Open House on Thursday, September 16th. Last year we sold 158 slices of pizza and we paid \$6.50 for each of the pizzas. We ordered 30 pizzas. We had gotten our pizza from Constantly. Sue Berry contacted Constantly Pizza about getting 30 large pizzas and the cost will again be \$6.50. The dinner will be from 5:00 – 6:00. Tammy Guilmain will talk with Michele Beasley about salad from Olive Garden. Sue Berry will coordinate getting the orange drink from McDonalds. Cenanne Sanders will be sure that the bottled water gets in the refrigerator the day of Open House. Kelly Lang has volunteered to bring smoothies. We will send out an email asking for dessert donations fruit, brownies, cookies... We can put our dinner mailer in teacher homeroom boxes. Carolee will give Kelly Lang the mailer from last year. Kelly will design a new one and send it to Cenanne Sanders. Jo-Ala Markson will get 150 forks, napkins and bowls from BJs. We

- will charge \$2.00 for a meal and \$1.00 for an extra slice of pizza. Carolee will let Joyce Fulweiler know if we need her to get tickets for the dinner.
10. Other - Candice Weingartner, Lynne Doyle, and Jeanne LaBelle will work on the PTO bulletin board. They will contact Cennane Sanders when they know they will work on it so she can offer school supplies to help in the process.
 11. Other - Lynne Dolye volunteered to contact Staples about getting a school account where we could earn money by turning our ink cartridges in to them.
 12. Other – Our meetings will now be held on the second Tuesday of the month. Our next meeting will be September 14th at 6:00 in the middle school media center.