

Georgetown PTC Minutes- November 13th 2014

Attendance: Nancy Patrick Krista Lawrence Shannon Klein Cheryl Haven Theresa Reagan Jody Hunt Melissa Heys Audrey Straub Rachelle Klein Linda Fuzi

Principal Report:

*New MEAP test was announced. The MSTEP will replace the MEAP starting this spring. Testing will no longer be done in the fall. It is an all new testing format that will also all be done online. This presents a few challenges as we will need to make sure that we have enough lap-tops for an entire grade to test at the same time.

*We had a Shelter In Place recently. It went extremely well. The staff and students responded as they should and as it was not an on campus threat, it was a great opportunity to review procedures.

***School Calendar-** December 2nd is Georgetown's Annual Holiday program at Fairhaven. Look for more information to come on the blog.

*Conference Dinner-Thank you to Melissa Heys and Kristi Floriani for organizing. Teachers were very appreciative and the potato bar was a big hit!!

Budget Review:

*Budget reviewed. We had a fantastic Walk-A-Thon event and raised over \$18,000! Budget will stay as is and the extra funds will remain as a cushion for future needs.

*Discussed Meijer One Cards and Target Cards. Parents can earn money towards school buy using these while shopping. Audrey Straub to look into how to join either of these and will put out info to parents on blog.

*Box Tops for Education- Earned \$1359.30. Mr. Bowen's class was the top earning class!

Fall Book Fair Wrap Up:

*We had a great fall book fair with almost \$9,000 in sales! Georgetown receives 55% back of the sales back in Scholastic dollars so we raised about \$4,800 for books for Georgetown. We spent \$3,000 filling teacher wish lists after the fair.

With our balance from the last fair we still have \$2,500 left. Discussed need for Mrs. Quigley to get more books for her library as she moved grades this year. Also, will discuss library needs with Julie Vandenberg.

Upcoming Events:

*Holiday Shop – December 2nd Set up, Dec 3rd-5th shopping. Still in need of volunteers. Mrs. Reagan to put out on blog.

Chairs for Holiday shop: Jennifer Dougherty, Nicole McIntosh, Emily Holland

*Georgetown T-shirts. Finalized design and chose color options. Will have available to order at Holiday shop. Will have t-shirts, long sleeve t-shirts, and sweatshirts. Cheryl Havens is still working on final pricing.

*Pizza Nights-Marco's Nov 19th, Dec 17. Jet's Dec 9th and 10th

*Teacher Holiday Breakfast- Friday December 12th Chair: Lori Grzywacz

*Father Daughter Dance-February 21st Co/Chair: Linda Fuzi and Rachelle Klein

Next Meeting Thursday, January 8th at 6:30

