

Brewerton Elementary PTO Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, March 12, 2025

1. Mr. Bowden's Principal's Report

- a. Chromebooks need to continue to go home until the end of the year in the event that there is an emergency day such as power outage, water problem, etc. that would cause school not to open
- b. 4th grade math fact challenge completed at the end of January. There was a 3 minute expectation for 100 facts. About half of the grade were able to go to McDonald's as a prize. Those who had the highest growth had a pizza party.
- c. Outdoor recess was paused due to the amount of snow we received after February break. It is now muddy out there so we are waiting to go outside.

2. Old Business

- a. Playground Equipment - Emily Basile is looking at slides and will send to school for approval shortly
- b. Cafeteria Picture Frame - was looked at it and determined that the plexiglass needs replacing so need to measure
- c. 5th grade celebration is June 24 at 9:20am. Camp Talooli is June 5. A flyer was sent home for 5th grade parents to send in candid photos for the yearbook and slideshow. Cheri contacted CNY Yard Cards for our 2 remaining signs. One for 5th grade celebration and one for teacher appreciation.

3. Updates

- a. Upcoming Activities: (*PTO Sponsored Event)
 - Bingo Night* - Rescheduled for Thursday, April 10th
 - Paint Night*- Wednesday, March 19th
 - Sky Zone Event*- April Break (we made about \$100 from February break so thought we would run it again)
 - Spring Open House- Thursday, May 8th
 - Mets Game*- Sunday, May 18th at 1:00. Kids eat free and run the bases!
 - Spring Scholastic Book Fair at Open House - all set per Beth. She will email Corry for schedule for volunteers. Cheri will send out a google form for volunteers for book fair and basket raffle as it gets closer..
 - Ice Cream Truck dates*- Jess contacted Skippys, Ricks, and Kona. It costs at least \$2 per person. We need them for the end of year and possibly for 5th grade event.
- b. Current & Upcoming PTO Fundraisers:
 - Spring Open House Raffle Basket - Cheri has started organizing. Flyers are ready for distribution at the end of March/beginning of April.
 - Spring Hanging Basket Sale at C and J Farms- May 7th-11th

4. New Business? Questions?

- a. SPC Meeting 3/19. Beth will attend

- b. Staff Appreciation- May 5th-9th. Flyers are ready. Donations will be due by April 11th.
- c. We need help on the board possibly for next year and following years. We need volunteers to head up some events/fundraisers. Please continue volunteering and helping your child's school.

5. Treasurer Business

- a. Activity Statement - approved

Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, April 8th at 6:30

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