

WFS Parent Council Minutes

October 6, 2008

Attendance: 11

Dates to Remember:

Oct. 18, 2008

Harvest Festival and open house for the new auditorium

November 14, 2008
1:30 pm — Next parent council meeting— please note the time change for those of you who are able to join.

Headmaster Report

A new external security system is being installed.

The school community is getting ready for the mock election.

Please remember your curb manners. Pick up ranges from 2:50pm until 3:10pm. Do not leave cars unattended during pick up or drop off.

Treasurers Report

A Check has been written to cover the costs of a DJ for the 6th, 7th & 8th grade dances. They will be held 11/14, 2/13, 4/24 & 5/30.

New class balances are now posted on the bulletin board. Any questions, please speak to your room parent or Rhonda Cates. Anyone who needs to pay their individual class dues or family dues can drop the check at the school office for Rhonda. The class dues cover class parties, teachers gifts, etc. Monies remaining are a contribution towards the class yearbook.

We have received a *Target* check in the amount of \$153.00. Target donates up to 1% of every purchased made with their REDcard to a school designated. We have received over \$1800.00 in the last ten years. Please consider designating Westfield when using your REDcard.

Please remember to save blue *ACME* receipts from Cinnaminson Acme.

Also, please clip *Box Tops for Education* as they generate profit that enriches our students time at Westfield.

Remember that *Innisbrook* is available year round online. Our school number is 119771.

There are more calendars available at the school office for \$15.00. Many thanks to the Baldwin's and to Darlene Fleming for taking the responsibility of the calendar for these past years. Chris Fennell has agreed to continue in Darlene place for next year. Thank you again.

Orders are being taken for WFS gear. Get your GARNET & BLUE while available!! Contact Kris Propp.

Harvest Festival and the school auditorium open house is October 18th. Anyone that has not reached out and wants to volunteer for harvest festival please email diane.graham4@verizon.net or call 856 829-7400. Any help would be appreciated before, during or after.

Headmaster

Bill Probsting

Clerk

Kathleen Mininno

Co-Clerk

Kate Wilson

Secretary

Diane Graham

Diane.graham4@verizon.net

Treasurer / co-treasurer

Rhonda Cates / Monica Moeller

Head Room Mother

Wendy Klier

Other Business

Erin's Cure event tickets are still available. Anyone interested please visit <http://erinscure.com/> The event is Friday, October 24, 2008. Parent council has chosen to donate \$500.00 as a table sponsor for this event.

Kids Art notecards have been sent home. Please be mindful of the *cut off dates and instructions*. The cards need a six week print turn-around. Our goal is to have them arrive back by the first week of December. Kindly return unused blank cards to the school office or your child's teacher.

Scholastic Book Fair will be held the week of parent conferences (11/3-11/7). The books will arrive on Monday 11/3 (anyone able to volunteer time to help set up the books can contact Meg Franger or Beth Lorenz). The children will be allotted time on Tuesday or Wednesday for wish lists. These wish lists will be left in meeting house while the books are displayed for any parent wishing to view them. There are also books list suggestions for those wishing to donate a book to a classroom or to the library. Purchases can be made on either Wednesday 3-9pm or on Friday during parent/teacher conferences.

Anyone interested in the playground committee can contact Kathleen Mininno @ KCM12500@hotmail.com.

The Kids Holiday shop will be chaired by Monica Moeller. Donations are being accepted for "sale". The holiday shop allows the 4th grade and younger the opportunity "shop" for family or loved ones.

Walnut Street Theater will be coming to WFS January 12th for a production of "The Brave Little Tailor".

Beth Lorenz and Hanna Begley have agreed to volunteer their time toward the Holiday Craft & Bake Sale. There has been discussion of the possibility of it becoming scaled down.

Many thanks to Claudia Naus for taking the time out of her precious weekend to help me with Innisbrook calculations.

Our website is up and running. Please bookmark it: WestfieldFriends.org

Diane Graham, parent council secretary