

## ILS PTL Meeting

August 22, 2016 7:00

17 in attendance

- **Opening Prayer**-Kali
- **Introductions:** Everyone went around the room and introduced who themselves.
- **Last Meeting**-Jennifer read through the meeting minutes from April 25. Cara moved to approve and Stephanie second.
- **Executive Board Meeting:** Cara read through minutes from the summer executive board meeting. The executive board voted to contribute to the fund for Pastor Mueller's memorial bench as the student council did not raise enough funds. They planned a welcome get together for the new teachers. Ribs and more was also chosen to cater a meal for teachers. First day of school welcome with doughnut and juice was planned. Volleyball equipment was requested. Possibility of selling logo wear at the craft fair. Committee chairs are needed and will have a table at the open house.
- **Treasurer's Report and Budget Proposal**-Read by Stephanie and copies were passed out. Ending balance as of 8/22/16 is \$18,948.20. Cynthia moved to approve and Cara second. Approved with no discussion
- **Old Business:** Thank you to Stephanie , Ashlynn, and Cara and everyone else that helped with the doughnuts for the first day of school. Also thank you to the Rieckhof family for hosting the teachers welcome/back to school night.
- **Beautification:** Cynthia Reported that a section of new fence was put in place. There is new carpet in the entry ways. There is a new cabinet in the girls bathroom. Cara mentioned that the tile at the back door still needed to be fixed because it leaks and could freeze again. Colby Linebach is to take care of it.
- **Artsonia:** Miss. Onnen still plans to continue posting the art online for each student. Kali explained what Artsonia is to the new parents and teachers.
- **Accreditation Update:** Mr. Millie reported that we are Provisionally Accredited. There are still several items that need to be completed. He said they are all doable.
- **Craft Fair Update:** Sara said there were still quite a few booths available. We could share on facebook to advertise. Lindsey said she could put it on vendor sites that she knows of.
- **Memorial Bench:** Kali got contact information from Parks and Rec and it will be on the playground.
- **New Business:**

- **Date for Soup/Chili Luncheon:** There was a vote to have the luncheon on January 22 at Zion Lutheran Church or on February 26 at Immanuel. The kids sing on those Sundays. It was a unanimous vote to have it on January 22 at Zion since we have not had a fundraiser there before.
- **Event Organizers:** Kali went through the list and explained the events the PTL helps organize. The goal is to get a staff member and a parent to help with each event. The sheet was out at the open house. Welcome Wagon-Christy will do this all year for new students. Class Parties-Cara will contact all room parents. Thrivent contact is still needed. Country Fair Parade Float-Amy Frerking. Homecoming Parade Float-Lauren Burns. Logo Wear-Lindsey and Mr. Millie. Chris Cakes Fundraiser-Ashlynn. Craft Fair-Sara Cook and Brandy. Taco Bar-Stephanie. Cookie and Candy Sales-Pam and Annette. Teacher Breakfast-Jennifer. Soup and Chili Luncheon- Sara Frerking, Tina, and Donna. Parents Night out-Crystal. Teacher Appreciation/Dessert Bar-Cara. Christian Concert-Cynthia and Kali. Book Fair-Katie Onnen. Yearbook-Jessica and April. School work day during the summer- still need someone. Labels-Crystal. Auction 2018-still need volunteers. Track and Field day-Sara and Steve Cook (tentatively).
- **Volleyball:** Cara and Lindsey gave reports. The first practice is tomorrow the 23<sup>rd</sup>. They will practice 3 days a week two times a week until October. Tournaments are set for 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders and 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders. New equipment was purchased. Old Uniforms were found as the closet was being cleaned.
- **Student Council:** Mr. Millie will be getting it started shortly.
- **Country Fair Youth Parade:** Ideas for float? It will be here soon. Jessica Johnson still has netting and oatmeal cans from last year.
- **Homecoming Parade:** Waiting to know what the theme is. Sara will let someone know as soon as she finds out.
- **Book Fair:** Miss. Onnen reported that the fall book fair is locked in to be delivered on September 27<sup>th</sup> and will run from the 29<sup>th</sup> to October 5<sup>th</sup>. Volunteers for cashiers are needed from 7:30-8:00 and 3:00-4:00 and also during lunch times. Stephanie asked if the older students would be able to help like they have in the past. They will work something out.
- **Field Trips:** Kali handed out ideas to the teachers along with some fliers and brochures. School day at the K is a suggestion that could possibly happen. Mr. Millie shared that Immanuel students were invited to attend the Amazon Cello performance at Trinity in Alma and that our students would be going.
- **Technology:** Ideas for updates shared. Annette would like to motion for PTL to purchase AR Reading Program . A grant could be written and we could get some reimbursement. Possibly do a grant through Thrivent. This will be discussed at the next meeting.

- **Teacher Comments/Requests:** Gail requested a washer and dryer to be able to wash cleaning cloths. Cara moved that we do some research on the size and capacity needed and revisit this at the October meeting. Vanessa volunteered to research brands and prices. Annette thanked the PTL members for the meal and the money for the start of the school year. Pam also had called to say thank you.
- **Principal Comments/Requests:** Glad to be here and to start off the new year.
- **Closed in Prayer**

**PTL Calendar:** September 16-Country Fair Youth Parade, September 30<sup>th</sup>-Homecoming Parade, October 1<sup>st</sup>-Back to School Weiner Roast at the Linebachs, Book Fair-September 29<sup>th</sup> –October 5<sup>th</sup>, October 9<sup>th</sup>-Chris Cakes fundraiser and Kids Sing at Immanuel, Next Meeting October 25<sup>th</sup> 7:00.