Wentzville Middle School PTA

**March 15, 2018**

**2017 – 2018 OFFICERS**

President-Dawn Peters, Co-Vice Presidents -Carrie Hitzfeldt & Nikki Mulvaney, Treasurer- Kaila Mozee, Co-Secretaries – Merri Moore & Erica Way

**ATTENDEES**

Dawn Peters, Erica Way, Kelly Mantz, Shara Kuehl, Carrie Hitzfeldt, Lara Hieke, Sarah Angleton

**WELCOME/CALL TO ORDER** – Dawn Peters called the meeting to order at 4:04 pm.

**TREASURER’S REPORT**

Deposits for spiritwear ($66.50) and food night ($27.19) in March totaled $93.69. E-Scrip profit was $10.94 Ending balance on March 14 was $9,690.62.

**MEMBERSHIP** – nothing new

**FUNDRAISING – Carrie**

We earned $25 in February with the Schnucks Giving Bags.

**SPIRIT WEAR**

Spirit wear is still for sale in the school office – buy 2 get 1 free. Discussed having shirts for prizes at the upcoming Fun Night in May.

**COMMUNICATIONS – Shara**

Discussed increasing PTA outreach and visibility on social media including offering discounts on spirit wear. Also discussed creating a survey to find out what parents would like to see about the PTA on social media. Our contact information remains the same:

Facebook and Instagram - Wentzville Middle School PTA

Twitter @ WMS\_PTA

Website is [www.wentzvillemiddlepta.weebly.com](http://www.wentzvillemiddlepta.weebly.com)

**BASKETBALL CONCESSIONS –** nothing new

**STAFF APPRECIATION**

This year we will give the staff shirts as gifts. Lunch on Tuesday will be provided by True Health Chiropractic with food from Fazoli’s including pasta, salad, bread, plates and utensils. A unanimous vote(7:7) was taken at this meeting in favor of PTA supplementing donations providing drinks and desserts, as well as buying ice cream for the ice cream social on Thursday 5/10. Carrie will create a sign up genius will be created for parents to donate drinks, deserts, and ice cream toppings for these days. We are still waiting on responses from Judy to see if there is an interest in a pallet painting event after school for staff members since the original event had to be cancelled due to a conflict with the company.

**BOX TOPS**

Erica Way is now in charge of the Box Tops program, so please keep sending these in to the school.

**SOCIAL EVENTS**

The next spring Fun Night will be on May 4, with a Star Wars theme called “May the 4th Be With You.” Carrie will create a sign up genius for volunteers. Currently there are 14 different Star Wars themed activities for students where they can earn tickets to win prizes. Drawings will take place at school the Monday following the event. Volunteers are encouraged to dress up and there will be a costume contest for the students.

**PRINCIPAL’S REPORT – Dr. Mantz**

Dr. Mantz encouraged everyone to get out and vote on April 3. Proposition E is a no-tax increase proposal for improvements and new construction for five different schools in the Wentzville School District. Discussed having a morning PTA meeting in the fall to meet and greet the new incoming 7th grade parents. If a fall meeting is not set up, it will need to be arranged before the month of April when MAP testing begins. Discussed bringing back the AWAKEN drug prevention program that was offered this past year, and offering it to both 7th and 8th grades. The school will soon get vinyl lettering on the stair fronts with quotes from the Seven Habits of Highly Effective Teens, with WMS PTA splitting the cost with the school.

**NEW BUSINESS**

The group unanimously voted (7:7) next year’s officers and committee chairs:

PRESIDENT – Dawn Peters

VICE PRESIDENT – Kim Trennepohl

SECRETARY – Kaila Mozee

TREASURER – Carrie Hitzfeldt

SPIRITWEAR – Lara Heike

MEMBERSHIP – Erica Way

FUNDRAISING – Erica Way

STAFF APPRECIATION – TBD

BOX TOPS – Erica Way

SOCIAL EVENTS – Kim Majaski & Carrie Hitzfeldt

BASKETBALL CONCESSIONS – Sarah Angleton

COMMUNICATIONS – Shara Kuehl

Meeting adjourned at 5:20 pm.

Minutes prepared by Erica Way. These minutes were approved via email by Carrie Hitzfeldt and Dawn Peters on 4/10/18.