

Franconia Elementary School
PTA Meeting Minutes
10Feb09

Attendees:

Carylin Waterval, Mary Jane Alves, Nancy Mercer, Merrell Dade, Paula Thompson, Katheryn Kennedy-Labat, Beth Krause, Laura Lawrence, Laura Ayoud, Jeanette Kearny, and Shirley Woolsey

The meeting was called to order at 1900 by Beth Krause.

The minutes from 13Jan09 PTA meetings were presented and motion for approval was made by Paula Thompson. The minutes were approved.

Principal's Report

- Calibre has donated \$5,000 to the school.
- The Advertised Budget for the 2009-2010 school year has been posted online. As of now, Franconia will still be on the modified school year but a definite answer will not be available until May.
- The school's start and stop times may be changing due to the SLEEP study that has been done. The proposed school hours are 0750-1430. There is a survey at www.fcps.edu, please voice your opinions about the change.
- The book swap is on going. Students can swap books in room 17 from 0900-0930.
- Franconia has four student interns from George Mason University. Two interns will be in 1st grade, one in Kindergarten, and one in 2nd grade.

Treasurer's Report

- Account balance as of 12Jan09, \$10,642.19 (combined checking and savings accounts)
- Ms. Smith and Mr. Gillmarten has request \$50 each for the Math Investigation Mid Atlantic Conference. Paula Thompson motioned to approve the request. Motion was approved.

Unfinished Business

- Basket Bingo / Silent Auction will be 27Feb09. Doors open at 1800.
- Silver Diner Night will be scheduled for 17Mar09, with 18Mar as a backup date. The school gets 20% of the difference in profits from the night and the same night last year.
- Roy Rogers has been scheduled for 25Apr-01May. This is a week long fundraiser and the school gets 25%.
- Let's Dish fundraiser is on going until the end of March. Visit the Let's Dish website at www.letsdish.com and enter promotion code of F7-FEPTA.

New Business

- Field Day T-shirts will be available for \$7.00. Field day is schedules for all grades on 24Apr.
- Edison HS is selling mulch to support all night graduation party.
- The 4th graders will be performing in the gym at the next PTA meeting, 03Mar at 1900.
- Nominations for 2009-2010 PTA Board are now being accepted.

The meeting was adjourned at 2020.

Submitted by: Shirley Woolsey