

RB Hunt PTAO Meeting Minutes of Nov. 13, 2012

In Attendance: Heather Mowrey, Robin Kemp, Susan Connor, Dana Baker, Melinda Conlon, Mr. Steele, JoEllen Parkey, Tasha Stanton, Angela Ward, Doris Flaherty, Jessica Hoffman, Lisa Russo, Maria Carlson, Molly Butler

1. Treasurers report-Dana Baker
 - Paint a Tile – 1789.00, exceeded goal of 1550.00
 - Festival - \$8385, exceeded goal of \$7000
 - Business Partners - \$4540, exceeded goal of \$4180
 - Art to Remember, over 200 orders made, items to arrive December 10th
2. Funding Request from Mr. Steele (anything over \$500 needs a consensus to approve)
 - \$1650 is needed to renew Brain Pop, voted on and approved
 - \$4472 needed for 3 new gates on back lot of school for security, voted and approved
3. Spare-a-Dollar
 - The Spare-A-Dollar Fundraiser is being extended through the Thanksgiving holidays! Please share this fundraising opportunity with family and friends over the holidays as we are all thankful for the excellent education our children are receiving at RB Hunt. Just a reminder that our goal for this fundraiser is \$15,000 in order to avoid dependence on catalog sales. If we reach our goal, the PTAO will sponsor another bounce house MEGA-PARTY in the spring. **Please return your forms and all money collected by Monday, November 26.**
4. Drop and Shop-Nov 30th 5:30p-8:30p (**Time Change**)
 - Time Change - Please note that the correct time for the Drop and Shop Event on Friday, November 30 is **5:30 - 8:30 p.m.** Advance registration for this event is required, so please return the red form reserving your child's space for this fun event as soon as possible. Need more local businesses to give incentives, volunteers needed to work that night, middle school and high schoolers can help for volunteer time; kids can wear p.j.s. Dinner, crafts and movie provided.
5. Festival of Trees
 - Trees for the Festival of Trees will be available in each classroom on Monday, November 19. Each class will be responsible for decorating a themed tree to be "auctioned" off during the Festival of Trees week of December 10th-15th with the winning tickets selected during Breakfast with Santa on December 15.
6. Breakfast w/Santa – **Date change: December 15th**
 - Reservation forms will be sent home after the Thanksgiving break

New Business

School Supplies - Staples has offered a pre-packaged school supply box for each child so parents won't need to shop for individual items before school. PTAO is researching and asking for feedback to determine if this is a good idea and if parents are interested.

Dec. 18th – Winter Wonderland fundraiser

\$2 of every ice skate rental on Dec. 18th between 5p-8pm will be donated back to RB Hunt so come out and skate!

Dec – no PTAO meeting