

# NBIS PTO MEETING MINUTES

November 14, 2017

Board members Liz Hoskins, Dale Izzo, Terri Nuzzo and Michelle Provencher were all present.

Mr. O'Rourke, Mrs. Ruszczyk, Portia Amendola, Julie Shadman, Ms. Ardine and her student teacher were in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m.

President's Report- Liz Hoskins reported that the walk-a-thon was a success that profited \$1,800.00. PTO purchased \$165.00 in gift cards for the event. 20 percent of the profits will be donated to a community organization. It was decided that amount will be donated towards "The Davis Way" project. The PTO will donate \$100.00 to the Alan Davis scholarship fund. The motion was approved by Liz Hoskins and Dale Izzo. The Yankee Candle fundraiser profit was just under \$2,200.00. Box tops brought in \$84.00. The Holiday Sale will be coming up on December 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>. The breakfast with Santa donations from the PTO will be two bicycles. It was decided that the spring fundraiser will be frozen food-butter braids. The minutes from September 5<sup>th</sup> meeting were approved by Terri Nuzzo. Liz Hoskins suggested polling the 8<sup>th</sup> graders for a theme for their promotional dance.

Vice-President's Report- PTO memberships are still coming in and we have received \$60.00 in guilt free donations.

Treasurer's Report- Terri discussed changing the budget to an easier to read format.

Secretary's Report- None at this time.

Vice-Principal's Report- Mrs. Ruszczyk thanked the PTO for the monetary donation for the Adventure Park field trip. She also gave details about the Connecticut Association of Schools.

Principal's Report- Mr. O'Rourke discussed details about "The Davis Way." He thanked the PTO for the staff luncheon after Mr. Davis' passing. Ms. Ardine received recognition for going above and beyond. The Veteran's Day celebration, Community Round Up, Halloween Dance, Pride Week and the T-Bird Fair were all successful events. The new initiatives that he discussed were the Junior National Honor Society, Connecticut Association of Schools and further details about "The Davis Way."

Meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

-Portia Amendola

- Dale Izzo