

## NORTH BEVERLY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTO MEETING

Wednesday, May 2, 2007

**ATTENDANCE:** M. Morencey, C. Rowe, K Daley, S. Goodwin, A. Mazzaglia, A. Cuccheli, L. Downey, S. Hall, M. Smith, A. Kearney, C. Ingleson, J. Solimeno, S. Carnevale, T. Irvine, L. Irvine, M. B. Kluge, L. Johnson, A. Flaherty, D. Laganas, S. Wallace.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Amy Kearney, Treasurer

Beginning Balance:	\$20,155.80
Income:	13,231.65
Expenses:	<u>4,916.80</u>
Ending Balance:	\$28,470.65

**COMMUNICATIONS:** Mrs. Flewelling sent a thank you to the PTO for providing more tissues for the classrooms. It is greatly appreciated.

**TEACHERS'S REPORT:** Molly Smith and Stacey Hall present to represent the Teaching staff and send a great thank you to the PTO for the ongoing support for the 5<sup>th</sup> grade musical "ANNIE". What a great SUCCESS!

There will be a start up program next fall for parents of gifted children. It will be in support group form. More information to come.

### **COMMITTEES:**

- a. Room Parents: Snack Day for Kindergarten raised \$70.00 per class.
- b. Enrichment Programs: On May 11 Native American Dancers will be entertaining 2<sup>nd</sup> grade classes. On May 17, Ellen Goethel of Explore the Ocean World is visiting the kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade classes. A Marine Biologist will have a tank of touchable creatures.
- c. City Wide PTO: Paula Colahan is looking for pencil cases, pencils, and pens for the Beverly Bootstraps Drive. The goal is to have 100 backpacks and supplies to fill them with for Bootstraps. Brenda Kreplick arranged the display case in the front foyer to help explain the drive.
- d. Adopt a Book: Flyers for the last Adopt a Book will be sent out to purchase for a teacher, volunteer or whomever you chose.
- e. Vice Presidents: Cash Calendars went out with great success! Good Luck to All!
- f. Yearbook: Is complete and being printed.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- a. Field Day: Kelly Daly will be sending out flyers for volunteers. Field Day will be June 8<sup>th</sup> with a rain date of June 15<sup>th</sup>.
- b. North Beverly Scholarship: A \$500.00 scholarship will be given to a High School Graduating Senior that has their elementary education here at North Beverly Elementary. Volunteers need to review applications. The applications are in the office.
- c. School T-Shirt Sale: flyers to go home soon!

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- a. Results of the “May Day Cash Calendar”: \$10,939.00 was made to help pay for improving the lighting in the cafetorium.
- b. Art Show: An Afternoon and Evening of the Arts featuring North Beverly Artists K-5 will be Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>. 2:30 – 3:30 and 5:00 – 6:00 in the Student Gallery (located in the Art wing). 5:00 –6:00 Poetry Jam will be inspiring poets from grade 4. Special Guest Betsy Retallack a Beverly Poet. Refreshment will be provided courtesy of the PTO.
- c. Grade 5 t-shirts will be ordered for the trip to Canobie Lake Park.
- d. PTO Mission Statement: L Johnson, P. Colahan, and M. Morency are working on creating a mission statement for September 2007.
- e. Teacher Appreciation week of May 7<sup>th</sup>. The PTO will purchase gift cards for all of the teachers. Thank you!
- f. Beverly Education Foundation: L. McGraw speaks of the” Honor your Teacher” flyers, and is looking for another parent from North Beverly to join the Beverly Ed. Foundation.

### **PRICIPAL’S REPORT:**

- a. Mrs. Flewelling is awaiting the feedback from the Survey that went out to all the parents. This is a questionnaire developed by the North Beverly School Council. To help teachers, staff, students, and parents communicate the best we can.
- b. Looking forward to the Volunteer thank you Assembly May 11<sup>th</sup>. A special thanks to L. Downey, L. Johnson, and S. Goodwin for the hard work and dedication to our school.

**NEXT PTO MEETING:** Tue. June 12, 6:30 Bertucci’s