Our Lady of Grace PTO Board Meeting October 17, 2016 Minutes

The meeting began at 6:33 pm with an Opening Prayer led by Mandy Kirk.

Roll Call: Jill Keller, Tara Beuerlein, Marybeth Brunsman, Deb Cole, Jenny Felix, Jenni Mardis, Kristie Ryan, Melissa Schneider, and Steffenie Brueneman.

The following members were not present: Katie Grueter, Amber Renzenbrink and Stormy Flynn

Parent Volunteer Present – Debbie Mattingly, Tracy Pellegrino and Amanda Hood.

Correspondence: Thank you's from the students for Walk-A-Ton

Acceptance of Minutes: Motion made to accept the September minutes made by Marybeth Brunsman, seconded by Carol Jordan.

Treasurers Report

- Deb Cole reported that the Walk-A-Thon total is \$29,882.97. We are still waiting on \$450 in checks from Pledgestar, this will take us over our \$30,000 goal!
- Top rooms by hallway are Mrs. Jordan, Mrs. Ogg, and Mr. Ries.
- Pledgestar has been updated so that transactions show up as OLG instead of Deb Cole.
- A few outstanding checks for reimbursements

Principal Report

- Mrs. Kirk asked is someone could make Walk-A-Thon numbers ready for Friday? Yes we will have it ready.
- Conferences are Wednesday and Thursday. Thank you PTO for the money for dinner.
- The gifted program is up and running.

Teacher's Report

• Mrs. Jordan thanked the PTO for the Walk-A-Thon and the dinner for conferences.

Old Business / Review

- **a.)** Walk-A-Thon- Deb Cole reported that the committee will meet to debrief and they will invite the new volunteers to that meeting.
- b.) Room Parents Deb Cole reported that room parents have been identified, need to try

and get emails to them.

New Business

- a.) Fundraising Committee
 - Jenny Felix reported that the committee will be meeting. Need to schedule Skyline and LaRosa fundraisers.
 - Amanda Hood suggested something similar to what St. James has, a ladies night out.
 - Melissa Schneider clarified that the Scrapbooking event is a fundraising event.
- b.) Teacher Conferences Thank you again for the dinner
- **c.)** Veterans Day Mrs. Kirk reported that the prayer service has historically been led by the Leadership Council. Stormy and Mandy are planning it this year.
- **d.)** Skating Party December 15th and May 18th
- e.) St. Nick Will send request for volunteers.
- f.) Christmas Cathy Nieman does and will do this year. She will try to train someone because this is her last year.
- **g.)** Deb Cole stated that St.Margaret Mary has a Jr. High Dance for ML King Day. They want to make sure we have nothing else planned for that day? Open
- **h.) PTO Meeting Dates** We will combine November and December meeting dates into one.
 - November 28th, January 9th, February 13th, March 20th, April 10th, and May 15th.
- i.) Boxtops Acoss America Debbie Mattingly reported that there were maybe 20 turned in total. Maybe put a display in the gym.

Mandy stated to make sure to send any PTO updates to her and she will get it in the newsletter.

Motion to adjourn made at 7:34pm by Jill Keller, 2nd by Mandy Kirk.