CENTRAL SCHOOL PTO MINUTES 5/8/13

The regular monthly meeting of Central PTO was held on Wednesday, May 8, 2013, 9:05 am by Beth Richmond. Ginny Conway made motion to accept minutes and a 2nd from Cheryl Miller. Motion passed.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT (GIVEN BY BETH RICHMOND)

Thank you to everyone who ran all of the amazing programs, great activities. International day, YAD was well received, food day volunteers, HR parents work hard all year. Appreciation event will be on 6/12 all people are welcome to say thank you for all of your efforts all year. Chris thanked everyone and told them about the technology purchase.

VICE PRESITENT OF FUNDRAISING (GIVEN BY KERIN SIDLOWSKI)

Wrapping up with walk a thon. This year it is for the Diabetes foundation. It will be May 31st. Kids were given into to what diabetes is. Packets will be going home to let you know what they learned. Feel free to call me or Chris Martini and ask any questions you have.

VICE PRESIDENT OF MEMBERSHIP (NANCY GALBRAITH)

June 7 patriots night. Money due by Friday.

TREASURER REPORT (GIVEN BY JULIE VAGELOS)

Gave \$20,000 to board for technology.

SECRETARY'S REPORT (GIVEN BY ERICA GROSSBERG)

Passed around thank you's

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT (GIVEN BY MRS. MILITA)

June 10 strategic and branding meeting. Really want to promote that and use it throughout the year. Structure next year- one special ed class will go to Mt Horeb. Think we will have 3 Kindergarten classes. (39 kids now). 1st grade has 2 sections, 5th grade has 4 classes. Math needs 60 minutes. Need to have 2 Language Arts teachers. Analyzed NJASK scores

1St grade sang "50 Nifty"- well done

4th grade proposed some new playground ideas. Need to see how the PTO can fund it. May need fundraising.

Kristen Glass made a motion that if money was available approx. \$5-8k that we use it to fund some of the playground. Jen Archbold 2nd it. Motion passed.

Ice pop day- PTO will give ice pops to school and Mrs. Milita will determine when to serve.

Cultural arts- Jenkinson's are coming to do a penguin program.

Food days-need someone to take over vendor and volunteer coordination.

Teacher Appreciation week- Maureen and Julie have had so many volunteers.

Everybody has been wonderful and generous.

spirit day- creating a day in May

Yard Sale- really nice, not too many people

Book drive 20 boxes of books

5th **grade event** – will be at camp harmony

Yearbook- looks great. Jill did a great job

Motion to adjourn at 11:47 by Erica Grossberg, 2nd by Chris Martini.

Meeting adjourned.

Minutes respectfully submitted by,

Erica Grossberg