

## Foot Bridge November Meeting Minutes – November 25, 2008

### Attendees:

Nikki Robbins	Angie Herzog
Erik Hyman	Laura Kurtz
Lisa Thanig	Sherri Matuke
Shelly Erskine	Cathy Hickman

### Agenda Items

- Welcome
  - Nikki opened the meeting by informing us that Tricia McCarthy has resigned her position as President effective immediately, due to personal reasons.
  - Erik Hymn will take over as President and Laura Kurtz was voted in as Vice President.
  
- Golf Committee Update
  - There have been discussions with Prestwick Golf Course as well as Stone Ridge Golf Course.
  - Cost of food- If the Chicken is provided the cost is \$13.00 at Prestwick would be \$13.00 and \$10.00 at Stone Ridge.
  - Nikki met with US Food Service regarding donating the chicken they are determining what level of support they will provide for the event.
  - Suggestion was made to try Stone Ridge this year and it was agreed we should go ahead and try this course. Event is looking to be held on June 3<sup>rd</sup>.
  - Cost of golf and dinner would be \$70 per person. 100 golfers minimum needed for the event.
  - Erik and Nikki to form subcommittees.
  - Next Golf Committee meeting scheduled for December 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 in the Library.
  
- Treasurers Report
  - Transition from Angie and Shelly is taking place.
  - Tax form may need to be submitted; however we need clarification on whether we are filing for school year or tax year.
  - Balance in checking account is \$12038.38, waiting to pay Dell for the technology equipment as well as PTA dues
  
- Fundraising
  - Gas cards- we have sold over half of them at this time- this may be something that we want to do going forward.
  - Application for Music Grant- not chosen, however this is something we want to try again for next year.
  - Halloween Party- PTA made \$30.00, sold 63 milkshakes

- Volunteer Update
  - A majority of the night was spent talking about how we get additional parents to volunteer for the different events sponsored by Foot Bridge. Some ideas:
    - Put a Calender together each year on what is happening and as part of this let parents know how many volunteers are needed and the time commitment needed.
    - Discussion around adding verbiage in the contract which might require a certain number of volunteer hours per family per year or, in lieu of volunteer hours, have an option of paying an additional dollar amount to opt out of volunteer commitment. (Not this year, but in future years).
    - Volunteers are needed for the following events:
      - Bingo Night
      - Science Fair
      - Spirit Week
      - Class Room – tutoring, student clubs or other skills.
    - Sherri to work with Nikki on a communication to Parents regarding volunteering needs.
- Success Report
  - PTA Movie Night a success. 7 families were part of this event.
  - Technology is arriving and being installed.
- Closing
  - Next meeting Date: January 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 pm - Footprints Staff will provide information for the golf committee regarding their hopes for this year's golf fund raiser, and make this information available to the PTA prior to the Jan 21<sup>st</sup> meeting.

Meeting came to a close at 9:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted by,

Sherri Matuke,  
Secretary