

The Summit Preparatory School of Southwest Missouri

SPO Minutes

April 14, 2011

Present:

Jennifer Grace-Duran
Nicole Lawrence
Terianne Love
Anne Mason
Amy Meriweather
Pat Misterovich
Jill Nieman
Jody Schaad
Natalie Shimizu
Arlene Stenger
Sara Thompson
Amy Vaughan
Kristin Walker

Absent:

Becky Breckner
Sandy Frye
Kim Jones
Nicole Keech
Sue Massey
Anessa Musgrave
Jennifer Johnson

Faculty and Guests:

Karen Sweeney
Kathy Reynolds
Greg Walker

Opening: Anne Mason called the meeting to order at 6:40 p.m. Minutes from the March meeting were approved with a motion by Amy Meriweather and a second by Jennifer Grace Duran. The motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Kristin Walker reported the current balance through 3/30/11 is \$15,692.59 including all SPO funds carried over from previous years. The Trivia Night brought in \$6,845.60 and Silpada Party sales brought in \$500.00.

Jody Schaad reported the March Family Fundraiser at Pasta Express brought in \$76.34. Jody also reported the final Scrip numbers for 3/1/10 – 2/28/11 with a total raised of \$12,428.47, \$4,971.39 of that may be applied to families 2011/2012 tuition or they may choose to donate it back to The Summit. The rest of the \$7,457.08 goes toward the teachers retirement accounts.

Slate of Officers for 32011-2012 School Year: The slate as voted and approved by Summit parents is: Anne Mason – President, Paul Elmer – Vice President, Jill Nieman – Secretary, Kristin Walker – Treasurer.

Upcoming Events:

Garbo's Frozen Pizza Orders – Orders and payment due Monday, April 18th.

Spring Book Fair – runs through Thursday, April 21st

Spring Concert – Thursday, April 21st 6:30 p.m. Students need to wear a short sleeve red Summit shirt and khaki pants

Teacher Appreciation Week – Class Representatives will be organizing class gifts for the teachers. A motion was made by Amy Vaughan to give Spirit Wear T-Shirts to teachers and staff in lieu of table decorations the second was made by Jennifer Grace-Duran. The motion carried. A reminder to Class Reps that you have the Teacher Surveys to draw ideas from, and please remember to include the Specialty Teachers (Art, Music, Spanish and P.E.) as well.

Activities are: Monday – teacher car washes, Tuesday – Sweet and Salty snacks, Wednesday – box lunches from Metropolitan Grill, Thursday – breakfast of biscuits and gravy, waffles, sausage, fruit, yogurt parfait and specialty coffees, Friday – teacher gifts are presented. We will try to have parents staff the classrooms during Wednesday's lunch period so teachers may dine together.

Mothers Tea – Friday, May 6th from 2 p.m. to 3:30. Location TBA.

Garage Sale – Saturday, May 7th from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the school. Un-priced items can be dropped off at school through 5/2. Items must be clean and in working order. For extremely large items, please make drop off arrangements ahead of time. Any items donated after 5/2 must be priced.

All Star Music Group – On Saturday, May 7th from 5-6 p.m. on All Star Summit Music Group will be performing at ArtsFest, families are encouraged to come out and show your support.

Spring Hanging Basket Sale – We will have the baskets for sale again this year, more information to come at a later date.

Last Day of School Celebration – Thursday, May 26th at Rutledge Wilson Farm for the Lower School. The Upper School will be completing a Service Project with Lost & Found.

Golf Tournament – June 24th. Each classroom is encouraged to have two teams of 4 players (parents or guests). Teams are encouraged to sign up now and volunteers are still needed to help prior to the event. Please contact Greg Walker at gwalker@walkerhospitalitygroup.com or John Cardoza at john@equitablemortgages.com

Summit Run – August 27th 7:30 a.m. Amy Meriweather reported that Ridge Runner will be timing the race.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Minutes prepared by:
Jody Schaad 2010/2011 SPO Secretary