

## September Meeting Notes 9/12/17

In attendance – Tina Krajewski, Kym Prive, Karen Duguay, Carrie Benavides, Kim Newell, Victoria Brier, Maureen Cullity, Taylor Boutin, Liz French, Heidi Roberge

Welcome back to a new school year! We discussed a lot of fun ideas for events, fundraisers and dine-outs for this year. We also worked out an incentive system for volunteers to reap some rewards for their favorite students!

The EBD teacher for Hallsville, Mr. McCafferty, put in a request for a stipend from the PTG. We determined he spends one to two days per week with our students and decided that did not warrant a regular stipend. We will look into what it is he specifically is in need of to assist our students and hopefully be able to make a donation of supplies he can keep at Hallsville.

Over the summer our local Sam's Club announced they will be closing. The PTG has been getting our popcorn supplies from there for many years now. A few parents have offered to pick up supplies in Concord as there seems to be no other store in the area that carries comparable supplies. Our delicious popcorn tradition will carry on!

Popcorn will begin next Wednesday 9/20. We've had a few new parents sign up to help out. We look forward to expanding our base of Popcorn Parents! Smencil sales will begin on the same day. Don't forget your dollars! We will be having all the kids' favorite scents as well as the holiday pencils this year, watch for updates on the facebook page.

We have worked up a complete list of dine-out events for the year. Our first event will be at Shorty's Mexican Roadhouse in Manchester. Watch for more details as we get closer to the end of the month! We hope to schedule another Bingo night next month for Halloween. Later in the year we thought we might try something new with a vendor fair.

This year we will run one fall fundraiser. We are looking into working with a company to sell frozen pies and cookie dough for Thanksgiving. Take one item off the Thanksgiving 'to-to' list because the pie is already made! Details will be coming home with the students in few weeks.

We developed an incentive program to draw in more parent volunteers. We will be logging hours for every PTG sponsored event parents volunteer at. This will include attending our monthly meetings. The class with the most parental volunteer hours at the end of each trimester will get a pizza party. If you have any questions please feel free to contact us!

## Next meeting October 3 at 6:30

Come earn some volunteer hours!

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