

PTL MEETING MINUTES
May 24, 2010

I. Upcoming Events

A) End of Year Bash June 2

1. Sno cones, water slides, picnic on the green

B) Donuts with Dads June 3

1. 7:45-8:15
2. Donuts, juice, coffee

II. Spring Fundraiser Wrap up

- A) The committee agreed that a wrap-up email should be sent out to parents. The email would inform them of the final totals and how the money would be used.

III. PTL Business

A) Future Meetings

1. The next PTL meeting will be in the Fall of 2010; specific date TBA
2. There will be six PTL meetings during the 2010-2011 school year.
3. We discussed staggering the PTL meetings at different times to promote more parental attendance. Different meeting times (6:30 p.m., directly after school) and dates (Monday evenings, Saturday mornings) were discussed.
4. Posting meeting agendas prior to the meeting might help promote parental attendance.

B) Use of Website

1. Committee discussed making more productive use of Lamb of God website. Using the website to post agenda prior to meetings, requests for volunteers, PTL minutes, and PTL newsletter.

C) PTL Newsletter

1. Committee discussed the benefits of a PTL newsletter. A newsletter would provide more reliable communication with parents. It could be posted on the website, provide meeting minutes and future agendas, and request volunteers for different activities.

D) PTL Constitution Changes

1. PTL is concerned about the challenges of providing funds correctly and receiving acknowledgement for activities. As a result, the committee discussed the following changes to Article III: Funds of the PTL Constitution:

Original language / **proposed changes** – “PTL funds will be distributed according to the following guidelines:

- Requests for school/classroom specific (items, supplies, materials, events) must be submitted to the Elected Board **in person at a scheduled PTL meeting or in writing** for approval 30 days prior to date needed or event.

- Any event funded by PTL must acknowledge such contribution on signs or programs.
- Receipts for only the approved, specific events listed above will be reimbursed. Receipts must be submitted for reimbursement within seven business days following the event.
- To be eligible for PTL funds, school must participate in PTL fundraising events.”

IV: Next Year’s Activities

A) Fundraisers

1. A new fall fundraiser will be coordinated with Principal Sanna Klipfel to replace the cookie dough sale.
2. The committee agreed to continue the **Original Artworks fundraiser**.
 - a) It was suggested that the teachers can be better informed as to how the program works so they, in turn, can help students produce art work that may be appropriate for the fundraiser.
 - b) Examples of Artworks products will be brought to the first PTL meeting for parents to review.
 - c) Proceeds from the sale should benefit the LOG art program.
3. **Dine-out Nights** will continue next year.
4. Reindeer-grams will be replaced by **Candy Cane Bears** for the winter fundraiser next year.
5. **LOG needs a parent volunteer to coordinate the Box Tops Fundraiser for 2010-2011.**

B) Other Events

1. The committee would like to promote more family-oriented events next year. These might include movie nights, a BBQ, ice cream socials, or bingo. All suggestions are welcome!

V: PTL Board Changes

A) Nominations / Positions

1. Nominations were accepted for the following vacated positions:
 - a) **Vice President** – Roseanne Richards
 - b) **Treasurer** - Debbie Schmidt

The committee wants to thank **Hallie Ridenbaugh** for her hard work, friendship, and contributions to the PTL and Lamb of God over the years. We will miss you and your family – God bless in your new endeavors!