

PTO General Meeting
Tuesday, February 19th 2013

1. Welcome from Larisa
2. Site Council Report: Amy Samson
 - a. Oregon Battle of the Books: 3 final teams from Charlemagne (2 4th grade and 1 5th grade team): tomorrow, Feb. 20th tournament, 1 team will advance to regionals
 - b. Canoe Island trip in place of Quebec trip
Site council approved the trip and committed to sending the 5th graders next year the first week of classes in September because after Labor Day the cost of the trip goes down. Should be around \$300 per child for three or four nights.
2. Principal's report:
 - a. **Budget**
4J looking at \$21 million deficit next year. We should know by next month what the budget looks like. \$6.85 billion for whole state of Oregon K-12 education budget. Budget for Charlemagne could be serious. We need 11 teachers next year to have 2 sections of each class. We need to fundraise for a full-time teacher. Positive scenario: 10 FTE. Good possibility it will be less. If so, we will need to make some hard decisions. They won't put out staffing info until mid April.

Fundraising has been going well this year so far. Math Madness yielded \$14,000.
 - c. **Bond Measure**
District is going to ask for a bond measure. A few packages: science and literature materials, technology package included. Primarily for capital improvement. Some for school bus purchases, which would release payments for leases and free up money to be transferred to somewhere else. \$1.7 million. 2017 will ask for more, though smaller amount.
 - d. **Curriculum**
Currently, math is in French, but in future, will be more in English because it requires a lot of language and math is taught in English at Roosevelt.
3. Committee Reports
 - a. Math Madness:
 - b. Mardi Gras: This Friday, February, 22nd. We need more volunteers for

- everything and bakers for the cake walk.
- c. Restaurant fundraiser: Papa's Pizza night, March 14th. We get 30%. Strings program will perform in the evening.
 - d. EEF drive: 2nd round of EEF in May.

 - e. Esprit de Corps
 - 1) Potato potluck/Empathy skits went well
 - 2) Canned food drive
 - 3) Classified Staff Appreciation Week, March 4-8th

 - f. eScrip: Bringing in about the same. Please renew your Safeway card and all credit cards.

 - g. Co-chairs Report
 - 1) Making PTO non profit status so can have own bank account separate from school. Request from Stephanie Hand to use Siuslaw Bank for non profit account because they give credit card machines to use and process receipts for you as a community service. Larisa Lilles will pass that information to person in charge of doing bank research.
 - 2) eNews Survey going out soon

 - h. Stand for Children: Bond measure info going out soon. SFC will support bond.

Next PTO Meeting: Tuesday, March 19th, 2013