

PTO Meeting minutes – November 15, 2011

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm.

Present: , Samina Das Barritt, Deanna Kempke, Amy Pufahl, Beth Loomis, Jill Priestley, Suzanne Wu, JoAnn Parkus, Jenny Barcelata, Robin Mendenhall, Ana Gloria Waugh, Simone McDaniel, Tina Kosin

General Meeting

Teacher Presentation- 5th grade teacher, Jenny Barcelata:

- School garden – November 19 boxes, compost, etc.
- Landscape mapping/design – Home Depot/Whole Foods
- Write grant?
- Have \$1680, if raise \$2000 cost would be minimal
- Due end of December – Whole Foods

Principal's Report

- Grade reports go out Nov. 29
- News release – MEAP statewide scores
- MEAPS – Read and math 3rd thru 5th, 4th writing, 5th science testing.
- Title I – onsite review was complimentary about services, lauded parent participation – 4 parents from upper elementary
- Thanksgiving feast will be during lunch. Dessert donations requested.
- Julie Perea – Washtenaw Area Council for Children

Business Meeting

- Picture day follow-up
- 5th grade camp – Jinah Kim
- Movie night
- Winter dance – Nicky Geyer

President's Report

- Fun Run wrap-up
- \$500 Kohl grant

Samina Das Barritt motioned to adjourn meeting at 8:05 pm, seconded by Deanna Kempke