Jordan Valley Parent Teacher Association Meeting

Tuesday, March 4th, 2014

Jordan Valley School, (Lighthouse Meeting Room), 7501 South 1000 East, Midvale, Utah, 4:30PM – 6:00PM

Officers Present: Members Present: Guests:
Mark Donnelly Sabrina Imig
Gay Smullen Tammy Matassa
Ron Faerber Betty Shaw
Sue Somsen
JiJi Perkins
Josh Peel
Lupe Santana

Welcome: Ron Faerber

Pledge of Allegiance led by: Lupe Santana (flag was virtual)

It was determined there was a quorum

The reading of the minutes was tabled at this time.

Principal’s Report…
Mark Donnelly gave the results of the school breakfast program questionnaire, which was sent home to all students of JVS.

39 questionnaires were returned
20 said they would Not be interested in a JVS breakfast
19 said YES they would be interested

The questionnaire was sent home in backpacks to all students. There was also a Skylert sent out to tell all parents there was a questionnaire. It was also placed on the JVS Website.

Sebastian Varas, Director of Nutrition Services, said the program could start next year if parents would support it.

A full breakfast would only be given to those that are on Free or Reduced lunches.

Ideas and discussion…

**Partnering with a grocery store to cover some of the costs
**How would the chopped/pureed meals be prepared?
**Who would do the pureeing/chopping?

**Josh Peel was asked how long would it take for his students to eat the breakfast…he said about 20 minutes
**The time taken to eat the breakfast would be taken off morning groups?

It was decided to try and see how it would work.

Betty gave a report from the state PTA…
PTA Day at the Utah Capital...200 adults and 180 students from Middle and High Schools!

...lay Convention-no date as of now. Special Needs Committee for the state needs people to join, but not from our school.

Ron will work on PTA report. Ron will also turn in volunteer hours.

Region Training will be on April 8th - 9:30 AM at the 300 East Building – back conference room. This meeting usually has great refreshments. Every member is invited not just board members. At this meeting they will be having elections for region. Call Betty if interested in attending.

Josh Peel – Copy of bank statement passed out...Paid this last month $16.55 to pay for checks--$24.00 to pay state PTA dues. Betty informed us if we doubled out membership we receive some money from the state PTA.

PTA/Ron got the following to donate to our PTC Meetings...
  COSTCO – $50 gift card
  Bucca – food
  Harmon’s - $50 gift card

Ron will pick up the salad and desserts...

Ron will also organize the Melty Way coupons into classes with 15 coupons for each class. These coupons will be given to the students whose parents bring in extra items from their emergency bags.

Tammy Matasa reported that there were 2 to take the CERT training (Caitlin Barney/Mike Murphy). Tammy also told us she was moving to Florida in August/September; Ron will head the CERT Committee now.

April 17th is the Great Shake Up, which is the Drop and Cover Drill. This is during our Spring Break. Betty will look into getting hard hats for all students! Secure all oxygen tanks for those students on oxygen.

Legislative Bills
  228 –
  223 – politicalize school boards

Ron is still working on a Newsletter.

Lupe and Ron will work on fixing issues on the Website.

Teacher and ESP Of The Year – received 10 nominees from the staff –
Mark/Josh/Cindy/Sabrina/Sue each can turn in one each.

April’s Meeting will be April 1st at 6:30. Notice sent out 1 week before and then the Monday before.

There were no other comments.

Meeting Adjourned 5:55PM.