

## SEPTEMBER 22, 2005 MINUTES

**Meeting Description:** Parent Council Meeting

**Time:** 6:00 pm - 7:25 pm

**Location:** Student Leadership Academy

**Attendees:** Vickie Marble, Julie Thompson, Jeanne Soos, Irene Gilson, Lynn Hutcherson, Trina Aker, Lois Rose, Maryjane Norton, Sandi Pridemore and Sheila Charles

1. Meeting was called to order by Trina Aker at 6:00 pm on Thursday, September 22, 2005.

2. Trina suggested we vote in our new officers. The new officers are as follows:

Lois Rose, President  
Irene Gilson Vice President  
Sheila Charles, Secretary  
Sandi Pridemore, Treasurer

Julie Thompson, Board Member  
Jeanne Soos, Board Member  
MaryJane Norton, Board Member  
Gary Allain, Board Member  
Maureen Bibbens, Board Member  
Patty Bracco, Board Member  
Diane Wellnitz, Board Member

3. Discussed and agreed to future meetings to be held on the second Tuesday of each month. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm.

3. Discussed what responsibilities the Parent Council wants to assume. They agreed on the following:

School Store - All agree the students should be responsible for the day to day operation of the store but the Parent Council will establish the procedures to be followed.

Library - Our only involvement will be to help with raising money for the library. We did discuss an idea that a parent might want to donate a book to the library in the name of the student highlighting a particular event, i.e., birthday, etc.

Fund Raising Events - Red Wheel and Fun Night. Other ideas to be discussed. Some other thoughts, save ink jet cartridges, collect box tops.

Rewards Program - Recognize student achievement such as citizenship, fcat results, honor society, etc.

Teacher appreciation - to be discussed.

**Sponsor six Clubs** - Teachers will run the clubs maybe asking for input from the students regarding types of clubs to establish. The last hour on Friday will be dedicated to the clubs. The school bell schedule will be reduced during the day to allow for the hour.

4. Lois has asked the board members to think about other fund raising ideas and to think about the criteria for the rewards program.

5. Discussed reimbursing Doug for buying lunch for the teachers for the In-service day totaling \$76.00. It was agreed that a receipt needs to be seen and going forward approval should be obtained before the expense is incurred. Julie made a motion to reimburse Doug and Sheila seconded the motion. There were 5 in favor and 2 not in favor.

6. Discussed and agreed the minutes will be e mailed to all members prior to the next meeting, for approval.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 pm.