

RAAPO Meeting Minutes November 19, 2008

Reynolds Arthur Academy, 6:30pm
Bob Littrell, RAAPO President
Vice Presidents, Rachel Ramsey and Penny Kunz
Secretary, April Curtis
Publications, Dani Stern
Treasurer, Steve Mullins

PRESENT:

April Curtis
Bob Littrell
Steve Mullins
Dani Stern
Rachel Ramsey
Tracy Ward
Heather Wright
Penny Kunz
Jen Card
Bo Cobarrubias
Angela Wright
Bekki Sorrell
Tracey Carsner

WINTER BLITZ: The winter blitz concert will be held at Mountain View Christian Center on December 12, 2008 at 5:45pm. Students need to be there by 5:30pm. Reminder emails will be sent out by April Curtis.

TURKEY BASKETS: There are a few items left for the turkey baskets a list of the remaining items will be sent out with students this week. Some Volunteers will be needed to put the baskets together on Tuesday November 22nd.

WEB SITE RULES INTO THE BYLAWS: Please see the updated Bylaws for the exact wording of the web site rules: Motion by Dani Stern to enter web site rules into the bylaws Second by Bob Littrell
All in favor 13 opposed 0

GIVING TREE / LOCAL TOY DRIVE: The option has been presented for a community outreach program joining with the Troutdale police department toy drive. Dani will be getting more information and guidelines for the toy drive. Fliers will be sent home as soon as possible with the needed items. Much was discussed about the ability to give gift cards through scrip Dani will also get more clarification on this as well. The toy drive will be in place of the giving tree and stockings that we have done in past years.

SPRING CARNIVAL: This year's theme will be "the Circus" April will send out an email to ask for committee volunteers. There are currently three possible dates for the

carnival first choice is May 15, 2009, second choice is May 22, 2009 and third choice is May 8, 2009. We are waiting to hear back from Walt Morey middle school to confirm which date we will get. Committee volunteers and assignments has been set over to our next meeting January 21, 2009

TREASURER UPDATE: See Report by Steve Mullins

SCHOOL UPDATE BY CHRIS ARNOLD:

Swim day went great lots of families and great comments from Mt Hood staff, the have welcomed RAA back anytime.

There is more new landscaping coming in, the grounds are looking wonderful

City of Troutdale was out looking at the property again and have made a comment that our storage container may not be allowed on the property, more information to come as we get it.

State testing is in process if you have any questions please speak with your child's teacher or Ms. Arnold

Another all school assembly is coming in December animals from New Zealand and Aussie.

Kids Fun day is coming December 19, 2008 we will need volunteers for the different activities. This will also be a wacky dress day more info to come.

Thank you to everyone for making this a productive meeting.