

**SWEET HOME PARENTS & TEACHERS
ORGANIZATION**

MEETING MINUTES

JANUARY 19, 2009

President Kelly Chandler called the meeting to order at 5:40pm in the School Cafeteria. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance, Pledge to the Texas Flag and a moment of silence.

Everyone present signed in and was given the Agenda and Treasurer's Report.

Tara Byrnes gave the Treasurer's report and stated the current balance of the Money Market account is \$10,867.86 and the current balance of the checking account is \$795.08. A motion was made by Debbie Chandler and seconded by Tana Jalufka to accept the treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Secretary Sharla Pohl read the minutes from the last meeting on October 20th. A motion was made by Tammy Brasher and seconded by Tommy Macha to accept the minutes as read. Motion carried.

Mr. Meyer, in the principal's report stated current enrollment is 130 students. We also just ended the 2nd 9 weeks and the Building Facilities Committee has started working on classroom expansion project.

Under New Business:

1) Chili Supper Committee Reports: Hall Set Up – Be there at 8:00am to help set up, Raffle – sold 491 books so far, kids to turn in money by Friday, asked Allan Monk if could use ticket hopper again, Auction – not many items yet, Reinhart Hagan will be auctioneer again, Clean Up – Major Clean Up we pay the Hall for but everyone needs to help with everything else, Correspondence – any thank yous that are needed please get them to Christi, Cook – checking with Maeker's on when to get meat there etc.

2) Teacher Appreciation Week – 2nd week in May, asked for suggestions of what the Teachers would like, they only asked that we not discuss it in front of them and they would appreciate anything.

3) Houston Livestock Show Art Contest – Tammy Brasher reported we had 105 entries and Dawson DeBord, 3rd Grade received Best of Show in Intermediate Category; Travis Monk, 8th Grade received Best of Show in Junior High Category and Jacy Pawelek, 7th Grade received a Gold Medal. These three will be displayed at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

There were three communications not requiring action: Thank you from Mrs. Raz for afternoon off; Thank you from all the Teachers for afternoon off and thanking volunteers who took their classes; Mr. Nelson in person thanked Mr. Meyer and all teachers for everything they do, we as parents really appreciate it all.

Next meeting will be March 9, 2009 to discuss the Chili Supper results and New Officer Elections.

Door prize drawing for DVD player, will be drawn from all meetings to date have been entered, must be present to win and we will take a picture tonight of winner. Mrs. Dolly Meyer was drawn. Kelly thanked Wal-Mart in Hallettsville for donating the door prize.

Therefore with there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:00p.m.

Kelly Chandler, President

Sharla R. Pohl, Secretary