

Sweet Home Parents and Teachers Organization (P.T.O.)

Officer's Meeting ---August 19, 2004

President Chumchal called the meeting to order at 5:00 PM in the school workroom. All officers were present.

A thank-you note was read by Ms. Chumchal by Nicholas Jirkovsky thanking the Sweet Home PTO for their promotion gift.

The agenda for Tuesday night's first meeting was discussed as the first priority of the meeting. Ms. Chumchal stated that she would like to see the Pledge of Allegiance added to the beginning of each meeting. There were no objections and it was placed as number two on the agenda. The refreshments were usually purchased with HEB gift cards for previous meetings so Ms. Bludau stated she would check into them for the meeting on Tuesday. The membership forms would be kept the same except for the date. Tiffany said she would make copies of the revised forms and have them available at the first meeting. The dues would remain \$2.00 per member. Ms. Campbell stated she would bring some change for Tuesday night for paying dues.

Ms. Mican stated the Sweet Home Music Fest would be held on September 11th. She volunteered to be the chairperson of the event and would have sign-up sheets available at the first meeting. Any details for the planning would be worked out by her since there will not be another meeting until after the event. She said she would get with some of the others who have worked with the booth. It was also discussed to invite the 8th grade students to sponsor some games at the Music Fest. They could raise funds for their upcoming Washington, DC trip.

The details for the Chili Supper would be discussed at the September meeting where there will be sign-up sheets for the different committees. However, Ms. Chumchal stated that she would call to see if the hall would be available on Jan. 29th, the last Sat. in Jan. This would allow a proposed date. Tiffany said she would check with the Chamber of Commerce to see if there were any other events set for that Saturday yet.

Ms. Campbell shared a detailed report of the summer's financial activity and the new proposed budget for the 2004/2005 school year. There were some adjustments made and it was expected to be voted on at the Tuesday meeting. Ms. Bludau suggested that Ms. Campbell send it out on Friday for members to have time to read and have questions prepared before the meeting.

Ms. Bludau shared that she would like to see the meeting date moved to Mondays for the fall semester to coincide with the school board meetings. She is taking a college course that will prevent her from attending the Tuesday night meetings. The school board will meet the second Monday of each month.

Other items that were discussed and will be tabled for the regular meetings included the cookbook fundraiser, the revision of the scholarship forms to include the pre-kindergarten, and the distribution of the scholarship information.

President – Edna Chumchal

Secretary – Tiffany Johnson

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