

**Attendance:**

Cindi Timmons, Amy Beckstedt, Rose McLean, Michele Gilley, Anna Fray, Sarah O'Leary, Krista Williamson, Beth Frech, Pamela Snow, Julie Henderson, Sara VanSlyke, Kathya Mahadevan, Sarah Ruck, Mary Dawson, Natalie VanWinkle, Michelle Popelmayer, Jen Spampinato, Cindy Fox, Jenny Lee, Lori Lavery, Amy Tolbert

**Call to Order: Jen Spampinato**

**Officer Reports**

*1st Vice President, Sarah O'Leary:* NO REPORT

*2nd Vice President, Cindy Fox:*

Approval for Biz town for 5th grade students for Friday October 7.

Mrs Dobney and Mrs Mott to return shortly from maternity leave and Mrs. Merrill will be out from Spring Break through the last two days of school for maternity leave.

*Treasurer, Mary Dawson:*

No report as carnival concludes. Receipts still coming in. New Treasurer to begin immediately is Anna Fray.

*Secretary, Angie O'Brien:*

Approval for January Minutes needed: 1st Kathya Mahadevan 2nd Lori Lavery

*Worthington Board of Education: Robin Emami - No Report*

*Core Curriculum Committee Rep, Kathya Mahadevan -* meeting in feb was cancelled and attended the "state of the schools" instead. The bond was not necessary to put into place until 2020 for Worthington Schools. General State of Schools was positive minus the state released report cards. Rating system could have been the issue with the "F" rating for some of the schools within the district specifically in Student Growth. The tests were taken online through Worthington schools and those who opted to take the test on paper seemed to score higher at other ohio school districts. Appeal was sent.

*Worthington PTA Council Rep, Jennifer Economus - No Report*

*Teacher Representative, Michelle Gilley:* Appreciation for the Pies and Pints night and teacher appreciation. Try to avoid Monday evenings for future events. Appreciation for the conference MEXICAN THEME meal! Dudes and Donuts was a success and much thanks this past

week. Very complimentary of having the classrooms open upon conclusion of their donut time so the students could show their guests the classrooms and various art work.

**Old Business:**

Carnival/Raffle: Thanks to all who volunteered their time and their efforts in making the event a total success. Limit of 2 liters given to each student and possibly give away more baked goods per round to keep leftover at a minimum.

Read a Thon - Jen Spampinato  
70,000 Minutes read and \$4000 raised overall

Staff Raffle: Jen Spaminato (Feb 2/2-2/6)  
Successful for both students and teachers. All prizes donated by staff was greatly appreciated.

Box Tops...\$1230 raised in box tops to be paid out in April 2016

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Dames and Donuts - Friday May 6, 7-8A, Men Volunteers Needed

Field Day: May 20 ALL DAY EVENT - Many Volunteers Needed!! Theme is still not determined.

LEGO CLUB: Mrs. Hardin has a group of children who would like to start a LEGO club. Creations would be donated to those in need. Looking for PTA to support monetarily. Brick of Dreams was offered as a suggestion as their company is a part of an outreach program. PTA to provide approximately \$300.

Motion: Kelly Needleman 2nd: Sarah O'Leary

Chess Club: Mrs. Fox purchased 6 chess sets and teaching board in order to start a school program. Currently it will be an open and small opportunity to see level of interest.

Deweys Pizza - Restaurant Fundraising Night. Family Dinner Night in April with a back up on Raising Cane's with Bluffsview staff serving.

Officers and Chairpersons needed for 2016-17 School Year- Please let Jen or Molly know if you are interested in helping in any way!

Adjournment: Motion: Lori Avery 2nd : Jenny Lee

Next Meeting: Tuesday May 17 7PM

