

Parent Advisory Committee Meeting

April 20, 2010

5:30 PM

1. Welcome
2. Invocation
3. Old Business
 - A. Septic System- construction to begin in the next few months. Should take 1-2 weeks to complete. The parking lot will have to be dug up to complete. Sorry for any inconvenience.
 - B. Souper Bowl- \$3000 total raised, \$1500 to Labor of Love, \$1500 to Bartlett House.
 - C. Director Position- continuing to look for appropriate candidate. Have implemented new program for teachers to mentor to current teachers. Also implemented a theme schedule for the entire year so that teachers can plan together and share resources.
 - D. Spring Charity- Have a Mother's and Father's Day drop off of personal hygiene products to donate to local charity such as Rock Forge. Hold drive late May or early June.
 - E. Classroom Parties- new schedule working well.
4. New Business
 - A. Birthday Party Invites- Should we allow invitations to be placed in only select children's cubbies for birthday parties or have an all or nothing policy? Parents decided to allow the child or family to choose whom they want to invite. Encourage all children not to talk about these things at school or to be hurtful to their friends through teasing.
 - B. Paving- looking into paving the parking lot by fall.
 - C. T-Ball Team- POG is sponsoring a T-Ball team and will look into a Soccer team for the fall.
 - D. Picture Day- Lifetouch is scheduled to come for picture day on May 24th and 25th. Parents may send their child in nice clothes and the teachers will change them after pictures. More information will be to follow.
 - E. Book Fair- Next week in front lobby. This time it is Scholastic, which is much more affordable. POG will also earn dollars toward free books.
 - F. Mother's Day Tea- Will be at 3:00PM on May 6th for 2's and Pre-K, and 3:00PM on May 7th for the 3's. All mother's invited to attend. Kids will serve tea and snacks to the mom's. We still need tea cups.
5. Other Issues
 - a. Donuts with Dad for Father's Day on June 17th and 18th at 8:30 AM.
 - b. Kid's Day in downtown Morgantown in July. We will plan to participate and have the dunk tank again. Suggestion made to have the children do a free lemonade stand to get them involved.
 - c. Parent Appreciation Night- will schedule for July or August on a Saturday night from 5-8PM with a snack only. We will have a camp out theme again.
 - d. Water Day- Notice of scheduled days in advance, notification on weekly newsletter, leave clothes and towels here all summer, allow children to play until pick up time in the afternoon.