

Hawthorne PTA meeting minutes
September 14th 2009

I. Introductions:

- A) Welcome new faces of Hawthorne students parents.
- B) LifeTouch Reps, Todd Febus and Doris Gassen.

II. Approve Minutes form May 2009.

- A) Tabled for next meeting .

III. LifeTouch Representatives, Spring Portrait and Yearbook opportunities:

A) Spring Portrait:

1. This would be a fund raiser possibility. LifeTouch would come back to the school in the spring and take pictures of the students. PTA would get 2 dollars per student that has their picture taken.

2. The pictures would be taken and sent home with students, students would also return the pictures they did not want to buy.

B) Yearbook:

1. Opportunity for a 20 page B&W yearbook. Fall portrait pictures would be used. The price of the yearbooks would depend on how many are ordered. The higher amount ordered the cheaper the yearbook. Their would also be a 2 dollar discount per book if the Spring Pictures were taken.

IV. Teacher Share:

A) Gardens:

1. The teacher wanted to send a big thanks for the money donated for supplies and seeds bought for the gardens.

B) Time for kids for 1st grade.

1. This would be a non-fiction current adverts magazines for the 1st graders. They would go over the magazine with the teacher and then be able to take it home. The subscription would be \$282.88 for the year. First grade teacher asked PTA to cover the cost of this.

2. This was not voted on because Beth Leahman said that it would be covered another way.

V. Review Proposed budget:

- A) Went over the budget, nothing that the spring fund raiser was a great success

VI. Family Nights

A) Family Fun Night scheduled for Oct. 6th.

- 1. Diana Dobbs agreed to head this event.
- 2. Event to be held at 5:30 to 7:00 pm.
- 3. Different tables with fun Art projects is going to be planned.
- 4. Volunteers are going to be needed.

B) Movie Night on November 20th.

- 1. Doors will be opened at 5:30pm with the movie starting at 6pm
- 2. Hotel for Dogs will be the featured movie.

VII. Volunteer Opportunities/Fund Raisers:

- A) PTA had a bunch of different Volunteer sheets posted for parents to sign up for.

VIII. Neighborhood Sign Update:

- A) Next couple of weeks the holes for the posts are going to be dug.
- B) Still need donations for the project, using city grants, neighborhood donations, and also a PTA donation.
- C) Mosaic art work by Hawthorne students.
- D) Cement needs to be poured so that it can cure over the winter.

Meeting adjournment at 8:05pm

Meeting minutes respectfully submitted by Diana Dobbs