

Parent Teacher Organization  
Salem School

PTO Minutes  
April 20, 2010  
Salem School Library  
200 Hartford Road  
Salem, CT 06420

1. Meeting called to order by Tammy Petersen 7:04 pm
  
2. Officers' Reports
  - a. Secretary's Report was accepted with the addition of last names. Motion made by Tammy Petersen 2<sup>nd</sup> by Deb Luck.
  - b. Liaison Report- requests were made by Mrs. Butterworth 1<sup>st</sup> grade, 7<sup>th</sup> grade salmon release, Miss Hornby art, 5/6 grade Civil War, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade shoreline outdoor education, Mr. Sweeney field day games. All were accepted. There was then discussion started about special teachers and how the money is used and if they are able to enrich all their students or just a certain group. A motion was then made to not give Miss Hornby money it passed.
  - c. Treasure's Report- We were approached about buy CPR dummies for the school. Could it be a gift to school? We will wait and see if we have any money left. Denise presented report. Motion to accept by Barbara James 2<sup>nd</sup> by Salome Crowley
  
3. New Business/Updates/Upcoming Events
  - a. Dan Kung came asking for our help to spread the word about the upcoming meetings for the town budget and for the vote on May 12<sup>th</sup>. He gave a presentation of the BOE budget that will be presented to the town.
  - b. Cow Chip Raffle tickets are still on sale. We have sold over 400 tickets at this point. The town has agreed to line and fence the field they will start this on Friday. We need to turn in unsold ticket by 6pm on Friday.
  - c. One of the DI groups is going the Global Finals in Tess. The cost will be around \$590 per person. Can the PTO give any money to support this? They will be doing fundraisers. A motion was made by Barbara James to give them \$500. Motion passed.
  - d. School Assemblies-there are none planned at this time.
  - e. Teacher Appreciation Luncheon will be Tuesday May 4<sup>th</sup> in the Media Center. Parents are donation food and raffle items.
  - f. May 7<sup>th</sup> will be the adult social at the Polish Club there will be a DJ, food, dancing, door prizes.
  - g. Spring Book Fair will be May 10-14 we are still looking for volunteers to work during the week.

- h. After school programs run by the Y are going well. There is talk of running summer programs.
- i. 8<sup>th</sup> grade parent committee – They are having a plant sale on May 7<sup>th</sup> for Mother's Day, a dance is planned for May 14<sup>th</sup>. The dinner dance is scheduled for June 12<sup>th</sup>.
- j. 10-11 Budget will be reviewed at May meeting.
- k. Officer Nominations President – Mona Miller, Vice President – Tammy Petersen, Treasurer – Denise Orsini, Secretary – Michelle Guertin, Liaison – Pam Berardino. Motion to nominate was made by Barbara James 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kelly Chella. Motion passed.

5. Next Meeting May 18, 2010 7pm

6. Adjournment 8:50pm