

Merritt Elementary PTA
"Together We Can Build the Future"

Meeting Minutes
October 1, 2015

Meeting called to order at 7:01 p.m.

Treasurer's Report: October 1, 2015 balances

General Checking \$12,735.54

General Savings \$6,965.57

Activity Fund Account: \$5,661.35

D.A.R.E. Account \$1,509.16

The PTA officers and volunteering members will clean up and organize the PTA's back room storage shelves October 5th and 7th from 5:15-7:00p.m.

Details are being finalized for our Veteran's Day program November 11th at 9a.m. Each student will receive a flag. Teachers with music background have been asked to participate in the program.

Seeking a Scholastic Book Fair Chair! Contact an officer if you're interested in chairing this great event that earns many books and supplies for our students and staff!

Custodial Day is October 2nd. Coffee 'an will be provided at the bus garage at 6 a.m. to thank our custodial staff.

SMILE☺! Picture retake day is October 28th.

The PTA has approved to spend up to \$300.00 for the KidFit Carnival.

There have been suggestions for our school store to carry the following: womens vneck t's, longsleeved t's, zip hoodies, cell phone cases, decals, and mock turtle necks. Janelle Novak has been invited to the next meeting to discuss her making spirit wear to have in stock at our school store.



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In the future we will look into an additional display case for the school store.

A call will be put into John Rikala to check the status of the PTA's new bulletin board in the front lobby.

The PTA will donate up to \$500.00 for updates to the forest with walking trails located at the west end of our playground area. The money is to be used for signs and wood to make new benches.

We would like to thank Jodie Phaneuf for the donation of a white board easel!

A flyer will be sent home each month for students to collect Box Tops. A prize will be awarded to students for each flyer brought back filled. Cut, collect, win!

Butter Braids fundraiser will run October 9-26. Orders will be available for pickup Monday November 23rd.

Square 1 Art artwork is due Oct 20th. Families will have the chance to order their student's artwork November 5-13th for deliver by the holidays.

Laura Peterson is our lucky \$10 gift certificate winner for attending a meeting in September!

Next meeting is at 7p.m. on October 19, 2015 in the MPR at Merritt Elementary.

Meeting adjourned at 8:46 p.m.



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