

## October PTF Meeting: Cornerstone Christian School

---

**Attendees:** Shiree King, Kelly White, Haley Lester, Krystal Hartmann, Chelle Valivaara, Erin Anthony, Julia Kruger, Andrea Pfahl, Becky Newman, Tami Wittrock, Dave West, Derek Eugate, Kelly Friesen, Jennifer Talarico, Trisha Baker, Eva Cloward, Teri Lynn Schrag

---

Meeting began at 7:07pm

- Financial Review: Shiree King gave an update on the financial statement. The Skate City event earned us \$435. Our Husker Party event gave us a net profit of \$400 in concessions/donations. This month's financial statement does not reflect \$115 expense for replacement of our outdoor flag.
- Prior Meeting Minutes Review: Chelle Valivaara proposed minutes to be approved from the month of August with the addition of this year's event/coordinators attachment. Erin Anthony moved to approve, and Becky Newman seconded the motion.
- PTF Organization/Structure:
  - Welcome New Coordinators: Kelly White - Parent/Teacher Conference Food  
Dave & Joni West - Incentives
  - Teacher/Staff Birthday Sign-Ups for the month of October, November, December. This entails the delivery of a card & balloon during the week of each staff birthday.
- Post Event Analysis:
  - Skate City: Overall this event is an easy way to earn money and kids love it. It can be hard to connect/meet new people and Teri Lynn suggested having a PTF representative by the door to help connect families. (158 skaters in attendance)
  - Outdoor Husker Party: Great event for all ages. Next time maybe limit menu items for concessions. Corn hole challenge and concession giveaways was a great idea and ice cream was a huge hit.
  - Beyond the Bell (Fontanelle): Jennifer Talarico reported on the event with 30 kids/7 volunteers for K-2 and 20 kids/4 volunteers for 3-5. Volunteer to student ideal ratio is 1:5. Idea was presented to have PTF supply snacks to help with accommodating to kids with allergies.
- Upcoming PTF Events :
  - Missionary Mania (October 11-15): Email updates on event will be sent out to families. Working on adding a competitive spins for the High Schoolers.

Monday, October 4, 2021

Prizes will be awarded for the top class in Elementary, Middle School and High School.

- Food for Parent-Teacher Conferences (October 21): Conferences will begin at 1pm and food will be set up & served from 12-2pm. A snack table will be provided during the late afternoon/evening. Take out boxes and delivery to classrooms will also be available. Sign-up genius will be sent out on Oct.11.
- Teacher Encouragement Notes (November 3-5): Cards will be handed out during afternoon pick up. Drop box will be placed at the exit of drop off lane and near the entrances of both Elementary and High School levels.
- Thanksgiving Meal (November 17): Becky Newman (coordinator) requested a 30% increase from last years budget. Looking to serve 529 students, 69 staff and 50 volunteers this year. Sign-up genius will go out the first week of November.

- New Ideas (UPDATES):

- Soccer Goals: Checking on more options due to shipping cost and goal size.
- Book-It: An alternative to this reading program is in the works, Coopers Readers. Tentatively held once a quarter with Dairy Queen partnering with us to provide the prizes.
- Fence Cups: Money has been donated and waiting for final cost from company.
- Technology Presentation: We will be selecting a date for this event after the winter sports schedule comes out.
- Thrivent: PTF is inquiring about the requirements needed to qualify for funds through this program.

- New Ideas:

- Divine Truth Book Fair: Trisha Baker shared that Divine Truth is in interested in partnering with us to do a book fair. PTF board has agreed to look into this.

Becky Newman motioned to close the meeting and Erin Anthony seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 8:29pm.