

University Elementary School PTO Meeting Minutes
March 19, 2013

The meeting was called to order at 6:32 p.m. by Shannon Starks.

I. The Minutes for the February 12, 2013 meeting were approved.

II. Treasurer's Report—Kerry McGarry reported that the current balance is hovering around \$32,000, which is a great number total. There are quite a few directories left, so we may need to make a final push to sell them for the year.

III. Committee Reports

a. Family Health Night (formerly Family Fitness Night)—Michelle Burns noted that the night was a lot of fun. She also mentioned that local physicians groups may be willing to take part in the Health Night next year to offer simple screenings such as blood pressure checks, etc. Also, next year we may want to give more attention to the layout and offer a map or signs to help direct the crowd to the various stations available.

IV. Upcoming Events

- a. Skate Night—Tuesday, March 26th from 6:30 to 8:30.
- b. Learning Festival—Friday, May 17th from 5:30 to 8:30.
- c. Next Meeting—Tuesday, April 9th at 6:30.

V. Principal's Report—Michi McClaine reported that there was a wonderful school program the Friday before Spring Break featuring the in-depth study of our students of a part of the world, specifically the Middle East. May 10 will be the date for the 6th grade party since school will be in session that day. More information was gathered regarding the upgrade of our playground equipment and resurfacing, and grants, fundraising, and money available from MCCSC for that purpose will be researched to put this project as a possibility in the future. Stacy Stiening noted that the Campbell's Labels for Education may also be a possibility in order to use our school points toward playground equipment. I-Read was completed for the most part today.

VI. Learning Festival—Shannon Starks initiated a discussion of openings for Booth Coordinators for the Learning Festival. A discussion of the various booths and volunteer coverage took place.

VII. Comments/Questions—None this evening.

PTO Meeting Adjourned at 7:30 pm