

## WALCOTT PTA MEETING NOTES NOVEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup> 2011

I. The regular meeting of the Walcott PTA was called to order and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited at 4:00 pm. There were 3 school staff, 5 parents, and 4 PTA members present.

### II. Officer Reports:

- a. Secretary: Minutes read and approved. 1<sup>st</sup> Dr. Goldstone & 2<sup>nd</sup> Amy Paustian
- b. Treasurers: Report read and approved. 1<sup>st</sup> Kelly Quick & 2<sup>nd</sup> Melissa Ware

### III. Staff Requests:

- a. Mrs. Schrader made a request for 6 tuba no drums at a cost of \$782.40 for the k-6 music students. This request was tabled to after Fun night.
- b. Mrs. Keppy requested \$66.00 for class supplies and it was approved. 1<sup>st</sup> Jenn Schaffer & 2<sup>nd</sup> Kelly Quick
- c. Mrs. Keppy requested a donation \$150.00 toward the Brian Keppy scholarship fund through West High. This is a scholarship for a student athlete with a high GPA. PTA also decided to donate a Spirit Wear gift basket. 1<sup>st</sup> Kris Burt & 2<sup>nd</sup> Lanette Paper

### III. Staff/Building Update

- a. New gym is close to completion and the grand opening will be at noon on Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> this will be a wonderful and needed attrition to Walcott School.
- b. The k-5 Veterans Day program was wonderful and very well evicted. A big thanks to Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Thorud, all the students, and the rest of the staff in saluting our honorable veterans.
- c. Sex talk with Bethany needs to be scheduled with both the PTA and PCN soon.

### IV. Committee/Activity Report:

- a. Fun Night will be on Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 in the gym and in the cafeteria. As of today the raffle has collected \$536.00 this a little less than last year. We have had fewer parents and teacher sign up, so we are so very thankful to Mrs. Tanner, Ms. Britta Adams, and the student council for running the games.
- b. The Scholastic Book fair will be on December 15<sup>th</sup> after the k-2 concert all afternoon and before and after the 3-5 concerts. It looks like we will move the book fair from the library to the cafeteria due to the larger number of families expected to attend. The money made at the book fair goes to the library to purchase more new books.
- c. Hy-Vee Smart Points are due by Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> each and every point is needed.

### V. New Business:

There will be no PTA meeting in Dec. The next meeting is scheduled for January 9<sup>th</sup> at 4pm.

VI. The meeting was called to an end at 4:43- 1<sup>st</sup> Dr. Goldstone & 2<sup>nd</sup> Jenn Schaffer