

# VAN ZANT PTO MEETING MINUTES

## PTO Minutes

**Date of Meeting: September 16, 2015**

The meeting was called to order by Lea Ryan @ 5:45 p.m.

## **Board**

Welcome and thank you so much for joining us for this informal meeting.

Here is our 2015-2016 PTO Board:

Lea Ryan- This is her 4<sup>th</sup> year as President

Jennine Dolores- This is Jennine's 1<sup>st</sup> year

Kristina Kennedy- 2<sup>nd</sup> year as Recording Secretary

Katie Alexander- This is Katie's 3<sup>rd</sup> year serving on the board.

Lisa Thurow- Lisa is in charge of fundraising. This is her 1<sup>st</sup> year as 2<sup>nd</sup> VP

Joanna Litsky- This is Joanna's 2<sup>nd</sup> year as Treasurer

## **Officers Reports**

### **President-Lea Ryan**

Thank you for joining us on this Back to School Night.

Please stop by our membership table.

### **Month recap of events:**

- Every student received a Spirit Stick on the first week back to school.
- The 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of every month will now be Van Zant Spirit Day. Have your child show school spirit by wearing Van Zant gray and blue.
- Mrs. Bellshot, Art Goes to School presented the winning print. It is the LOVE print by Robert Indiana. This painting will now hang in our Van Zant Library.

### **Upcoming Month events:.**

**Room Rep Tea 10/8**

**Book Fair Week 10/19**

**School Pics 10/29**

**Trunk or Treat 10/30**

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## **1<sup>st</sup> VP-Katie Alexander-see committee reports section**

- **Please see the following need Committees or Chairpersons: Art Goes to School, Book Fair, By-Laws, Holiday Shop, Evening Hospitality and Pretzel Sales.**

## **2<sup>nd</sup> VP-Lisa Thurow**

- We have new Spirit Items: Vant Zant Key Chains, 16 Oz. VZ Tumblers
- Also available for purchase is our new \$10 Go Card.
- Each student received the Flower Power packet.
- New Spirit Wear will be on sale in October.

## **Recording Secretary-Kristina Kennedy Encourage all to sign-in.**

- Each month we will reward a Volunteer of the Month. This person will receive a gift card.

## **Corresponding Secretary-Jennine Dolores**

- **Flowers were sent to Kerry Anyzek and Ginny Webb.**
- **Congratulation Cards were sent to 2 teachers, including Mr.Guth.**
- **We have 3 new teachers to Van Zant: Mrs. Tibbetts and Mrs. Curtis and Mrs. Gallagher. They each received \$10 gift cards.**

## **Treasurer-Joanna Litsky - Reviewed & detailed P&L statement see report.**

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- Joanna mentioned that Membership and Sprit Sticks are available for purchase on our online store.
- The online store can be access from our website.

## Committee Reports

- **5<sup>th</sup> Grade Activities-Lauren Gebhart and Maureen D**
- **Art Goes to School\*\*Needs new chairperson and committee\*\***
- **Blood Drive-Chris Sauer**
- **Book Fair-\*\*Needs new committee\*\***
- **Box Tops-Sarah Barkow**
- **By-Laws-\*\*Needs new committee\*\***
- **Fun Fair-Kerry Anyzek**
- **Holiday Shop-\*\*Needs new chairperson**

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- Hospitality- **\*\*Evening 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Chairperson needed\*\***
- Market Day-Laura Gebhar/Jenn Yocum
- Membership-Jean Marie Farkas
- Newsletter-Heather Ergood
- Pretzel Sales-**\*\*Needs new chairperson\*\***
- Recreation-Karen Glenney
- Room Representatives-Jean Marie Farkas
- School Board Liaison-Sue Wilder
- School Store-Jini Webb
- Science Spectacular-Wendy Palfy
- Volunteer Recruitment-Barb LaRue
- Website-Krista Connor

**Next Meeting**

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November 12th @ 7:00 pm VZ Library

Motion to adjourn was made at 6:15 p.m. and was passed unanimously.