

The Fairbury PTA met on May 9, 2016 at Central Elementary School at 7:00pm. President Angie Judd called the meeting to order. The March minutes were approved as distributed. Treasurer's report was approved as distributed.

News from Principals:

Central – Report from Mrs. Mans

Thank you for everything PTA has done for Central Elementary this year.

Thank you for the Teacher Appreciation meal at the Tasting Room.

Jefferson – Report from Mr. Christiansen

DARE Graduation was held on April 28th. Thank you to the PTA for support with the nice reception. Amy Nippert was a terrific hostess!

Assessment Incentive Days are coming up on May 11th and May 12th. Incentive levels are determined by percent correct on the NeSA assessments as well as students' growth in their MAP achievement scores.

3rd grade students will have a field trip to the Henry Doorly Zoo on Friday, May 13th.

Class Picnics will be held on Friday, May 13th. 4th graders will go to the Frontier Park, 5th grade to McNish Park and 6th grade to the City Park – Softball Complex/PlaMor Lanes. PTA treats can be delivered to schools and students/teachers can enjoy them when they return to school.

A huge thank you to the Fairbury PTA for another terrific year. Support and dedication to providing fun and enriching experiences for students is appreciated.

Student Council Report

Mr. Evans reported that the Student Council will be selecting additional playground equipment. Student Council will continue next school year.

Correspondence

Several thank you notes were received expressing appreciation for the Teacher Appreciation meal at the Tasting Room or gift cards. Additional thank you notes for conference meals were received. Several notes were received from students expressing thanks for snacks during NeSA testing.

Committee Reports

Fun Night – Ashley Kats. Total profit this year was \$2,391.34. *Pop for Pizza* and *Cash for Cake* went well as incentives to increase the donations needed for Fun Night. Local businesses in town donated money and items. Face painting was a new activity this year.

NeSA Snacks – Amy Nippert. 239 elementary students took NeSA assessments and received snacks.

Teacher Appreciation – Michelle Stewart. Elementary teachers went to the Tasting Room at Stagecoach Mall for lunch. Those who couldn't attend the luncheon received a gift card.

Summer Read At Home – Sabrina Wanamaker. Summer reading packets have been sent home. They are due at Back to School Night.

Programs – Odessa Ambrose. The program budget for 2016 – 2017 was presented. Programs planned for next year include Skateboard Science, Magic of Math, Aesop's Fables, Rock-In Prevention (anti-bullying) and an author visit. Cyndi Shinn moved to approve the program budget, Annette Barber seconded. Motion carried.

New Business

Officer Elections. The nominating committee chairperson presented names for each office and nominations from the floor were opened. There were no additional nominations. Cyndi moved we accept the slate of officers. Andrea S seconded. Motion carried. The Fairbury PTA officers for 2016-2017 are

- Co-President (Y2) Christy Lucking
- Co-President (Y1) Michelle Stewart
- Treasurer Amy Nippert
- Secretary Christy Haddan

Meeting was adjourned.