

## WRS PTA Approved Minutes

### October 2016 meeting minutes

*Attendance:* Sheila Powers, Krystal Brown, Sara Cooney, Cathy Lemire, Sarah Washburn, Anita Hamalainen, Karla Brothers, Heather Potter.

Meeting called to order.

*Minutes:* The minutes were read and approved

*Update from Mrs. Powers:*

- ❖ The Valley News reported the students' SBAC results, as predicted the WRS performed very well.
- ❖ STAR Assessments will begin in grades 3 and up
- ❖ Reading assessments have begun in grades K-2
- ❖ Enrollment in WRS is slightly up from beginning of the year to about 216. Classes average 16 students.
- ❖ Jessica Hunt has joined WRS as a new half-time Title I teacher
- ❖ HCRS is providing support and case management in WRS
- ❖ Boys Athletic Training club will be walking in the CHaD Hero race and all funds raised will be quadrupled and donated to CHaD
- ❖ There was a lot of interest in Coding Club, participation had to be capped at 17. Jeff Dumont and Chris Selza from RSG are running the club.

*Treasurer's Report:*

- ❖ WRS needs to renew AIM insurance. Karla to follow up with the company to see if coverage includes media (ie. Social Media)
- ❖ Budget was approved

*Bi-Laws:*

- ❖ Board will review and updated bi-laws

*PTA Membership forms:*

- ❖ Cover sheet with PTA form to go home with students

*Box Tops:*

- ❖ Cathy L. will collect envelopes on Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> and return them once they are counted

*Upcoming events:*

- ❖ **Family Game Night** → Friday November 18<sup>th</sup>
- ❖ **Thanksgiving feast** → Tuesday November 22<sup>nd</sup>
  - ❖ Need volunteers for setup/clean up
- ❖ **Craft Fair** → Saturday December 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - ❖ Need to form a committee by next PTA meeting
  - ❖ Storm Hockey will be selling Christmas trees
  - ❖ Cathy L. will ask about a Santa
  - ❖ Karla B. will follow-up with previous vendors
  - ❖ Heather P. will create a facebook event