Central School PTO Meeting

 February 5, 2013

1.Meeting Called to Order, Welcome and Introductions - Kari Schake

Annette motion to start meeting carolyn 2nd

2. Principal Report - Mrs. Krueger

Kindergarten Registration – Tuesday, February 12th 4:30 – 7:30

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kindergarten reg tues feb 12 th

parent teacher conference Tuesday the 19 th for those asked or those who want one

report cards i am home on march 1st

isat testing coming 3rd, 4th and 5th graders. Cut scores will be increased on ISAT thus will see a reduction in the entire state. Results will be sent in the fall. scores are expected to drop for all grade levels

map testing was conducted based on common core standards this fall

survey results will be posted on the central school report card through state of IL

six shifts of change

text based answers and using multiple sources to answer those questions

note taking to create summaries or a writing piece

multiple choice questions may have 2 possible answers then student will need to highlight which answer is correct based on story.

mrs Kruger will address each shift change as the school goes through these changes

budget money is left to see if there any cultural arts events for central students. Possible a Chicago author may come in for a presentation type of event for the school.

www.corestandards.org

website to investigate common core standards

3. Executive Board and Committee Reports

* President- Carmen Halverson
	+ Please participate in “The Illinois 5 Essentials Survey” <https://illinois5-essentials.org> It only takes 2-3 minutes!
	+ Executive Board and Committee Worksheets for 2013-2014. Please fill out and return after the meeting.
	+ Nominating Committee- 5 volunteers needed, ideally 2 non-executive board members to be included in the committee.
	+ vote for next year committees will be in may

can computers be set up at parent teacher conference to allow survey to be taken

* Treasurer - Kari Schacke
	+ Budget Review

budget will be voted at the end of summer

* + Budget Committee Report
	+ 501c3 status

district is looking to help schools to be in compliance for the state and will need to be federal compliance as well

we also need to file with the attorney general.

the 501 c3 are taking about 9 mths or more to approve

* VP Fundraising - Nancy Whisler, Carolynn Baumhart, Missy O’Connor
	+ Dine and Share - 2-12-13 Wendy’s
	+ Strut update

looking for donation items for prizes on silent auction

investigating a parent night outing possibly at elks club

spring flower fundraiser may still do

* VP Programs - Peg Martin
	+ Movie Night tickets were handed out for snacks
	+ Science Night - Feb.7 6:30-8 Reduce, Reuse, Recycle
	+ Pizza Reading Bingo - Feb. 22 6:30-8
	+ CASE -Sue Duffy all programs have filled up
	+ Girls on the Run - Sue Duffy. June 1st at 8am at toyota park.
* VP Hospitality - Amy Dolatowski, Daphane Takacs, Sue Duffy
	+ Bake Sale
	+ Popcorn
* VP Central Cares - Stacy Weinert, Denise White
	+ Amara no longer in relationship new program is free y
	+ Read to Succeed forms are due by 20th
* Recording Secretary - Annette Black
	+ Bylaw changes and vote

changes need to be made to accommodate for the 501 C filing, fiscal year starts as of June 1st,

all members voted changes to by laws

* Correspondence Secretary - Dawn Wilson

all members are now registered on PTO website you should receive email when something is posted on website

* Appreciation Secretary - Dina Argus

4. New Business-

5. Meeting Adjourned

motion to end meeting. Dawn Peggy 2nd