



## **Foundation Minutes for November 7, 2011**

Attendees: Sallie White, Mrs. Crowder, Stacy Peery, Joe Bruder, Wendy Zember, Michelle Ward

### **Fundraising**

#### ***Sally Foster***

We started off discussing our Sally Foster fundraiser. We are still working on some aspects. We need to subtract teacher orders, count cash and provide refunds to those who overpaid tax or shipping. The Foundation will be making 50% on coupon books and Sally Foster order forms. We are making 40% on any Sally Foster purchased online. We would like to thank Sallie, Sarah and Emily for help with prize distribution. The Money Machine and Game Truck went well. Two students won \$9. Our top winner was able to get \$34. We would like to thank Stacy for help in that.

#### ***Membership Campaign.***

The campaign was not very successful. We need to get magnets out to those who qualified for those.

#### ***Summer Camp***

We are still looking to proceed in putting on a summer camp this summer. We need someone to volunteer to chair this event. One possibility is a science camp called Camp Invention. We may want to do a Technology camp with possibility of having Dr. Creighton running it, if she is interested.



### ***SHS sign***

The county is having someone come out to look at possible placements for the sign and how much wiring will cost. We need to look to see how to change the signage. Bill White is going to look into that. Stacy will chair this project starting in January.

We are going to sell time on the sign as another fundraiser. We are thinking of doing \$15 per day or \$25 a week. It will be a first come, first serve situation. We need to call Mt. View and Murdock to see how much they charge. Some ideas are that we put a form up on the website and have them fill it out and send in a check with 3 dates. We need to discuss this further.

### ***GNN***

Dr. Creighton has suggested we sell time on GNN as a fundraiser. We discussed possibly charging \$10 a day with a first come, first serve situation. This would allow kids who have birthdays to be shown on the GNN broadcast.

### ***Talent Show***

We discussed looking into putting on a Talent show as a fundraiser for the Foundation. One suggestion was to film the performance and then sell it on a DVD.

One other fundraising idea was to provide a babysitting night. Maybe charge \$25 per student or \$50 per family. One thought is to let Foundation members have a discounted rate or not charge them at all. We are at the very beginning stages of talking about this.

### ***Grants***

Lisa Williams, Myles has volunteered to research grants. We need schedule a meeting with Cheryl where she can walk us through how to research and apply for grants. We talked about maybe doing it during a Foundation meeting.



### ***Other Business***

- Pre-paid credit card for Julie – The Cobb Foundation said all we need to do was put in a check request to the foundation for the credit card.
- Update from CCSF meeting – Sallie shared what was discussed at that meeting.
- Badge for end of 200 Hall – Mrs. Crowder is going to get an estimate from the county to see how much one would cost to install.
- Ideas for bulletin board – Science lab pics.
- We need to write our own by laws.
  - Est. processes, procedures, roles and timelines – Moved to January
- Recruiting is ongoing.
- December – Remind teachers of grant deadline in January

### ***In January, we need to focus on the following:***

1. Research and applying for grants.
2. Summer Camp
3. GNN advertising