PTA Meeting 1.9.18

Attendees: Deanna Ahearn Laird, John Stevens, Ann Fligor, Rebecca Rabeni, Tabitha Calheta, Beth Zeller, Melinda Rabbitt DeFeo, Pam Hurley

I. PTA Update

Pizza Bingo Night - Friday Jan 19th 5:30- 7 pm (Beth Zeller)- Beth to call Wolf Den to schedule pizza order/pickup; 30 pizzas for pickup at 5:15; john to donate coupons for school store as prizes; Sascha Wlodyka donated large batch toy prizes; Deanna to get yacht club ball machine; Pam H. to bring her ball machine as backup; <u>signup.com</u> to be sent out via Darren with volunteer slots; John to put info on school calendar and school sign

Classroom Parent Breakfast 8 am Wed Jan 17th (John Stevens) Deanna to talk about getting involved in PTA and their programs; anyone else from PTA that can come would be great

II. Treasurer's Report- No report in Susan's absence; Deanna overnighted all paperwork for audit and taxes were filed

III. Fundraising + Programs

AmazonSmile- Deanna to get check scanned and sent into AmazonSmile

<u>Stop N Shop A Plus</u> (Pam Hurley) agreed to do a monthly drawing of stop n shop receipts for a \$100 gift certificate; start to promote and get signs for the bulletin board in hallway; younger kids can bring in their daily folders and have teachers submit receipts to box in the office; Pam created a bulleted sign-up instruction sheet in large font for Darren to send out; need to promote that there are extra perks (such as online coupons) when registering; have raised \$2997 thus far (not including Jan)

<u>Boosterthon</u> (Ann Fligor) have contracted with Boosterthon company; FunRun scheduled for Friday April 27th; All School Pep Rally Wed April 11th- Boosterthon will send rep to kick program off; looking for staff and parent volunteers; Ann will do a video conference with them this month; school payed the \$2,000 for program; all of money will be earmarked for playground; suggested to pair older and younger kids together for FunRun; PTA to consider and vote at next meeting on covering the cost of tshirts for all students (approx. 350 students), Ann to bring pricing info to next meeting; plan is to continue this fundraiser for the next few years in order to raise some funds before going to the town with funding request: Castle Quest is this years' theme

BoxTops- no report from Susan; Deanna to have more signs made

Vineyard Propane- no report from Heidi; email blast went out yesterday regarding program

<u>SchoolA</u>- suggested to put out another push for schoolA when seasons change; Deanna to get posters made for school and to distribute in community; Lost and found items to be donated to schoolA going forward; Paolo to update facebook page

<u>Garden Fund</u>- Melinda made recent payout for supplies; \$2814.75 is balance to date; Seed Sale to start Jan 30th until Feb 23; 4th grade class to get more involved this year in sale

IV. New Business

<u>Hero Art</u>- Deanna proposing to do a full school evening event of a 60 minute speed painting performance by artist Rob Surette; Total for program is \$1716; some concerns about the overhead costs and getting the draw to bring in new parents; suggested to partner this with some other PTA program (ie schoolA) in order to get the word out and promote one of our fundraising programs; agreed to brainstorm and vote on other ideas for next meeting

Meeting Adjourned 9:15 am