

## Executive FSO Committee Minutes, January 8<sup>th</sup> meeting

- I. Called to Order by Heidi Langford, President
  - II. Roll call. Present: Heidi, Pres; Natalie Erickson, Vice-Pres; Kris Ewert, sec; Wendy Ford, science fair; Liz Stone, newsletter; Thelma Davies, Jazz Reading; Susie Scherer, Director. Sandy Richins was excused.
  - III. Dec 2014 minutes were reviewed by committee. No corrections made. Natalie E. moved to approve them with Liz Stone seconding. Unanimously approved
  - IV. Committee Business
    - a. Calendar: Inspirations Awards night 1/13; Jazz Reading will be 1/16 thru 2/17; Spelling Bee 1/8; Science Fair awards night will be 1/20; geography bee will be 3/12; AR party 3/13; Class Skate 2/25; Student of the Month awarded 2/2
    - b. Budget: AR has \$463; Inspirations has \$94; Student of the Month has \$165; geography has \$40; Teacher Appreciation has \$1373; Talent Show..?
      1. Reminder: try to keep shipping expenses down to minimal costs
- vi. Committee Reports:
- a. Student of the Month: December's awards and lunch went well. Not hosting again until 2/2. The focus will be self-discipline.
  - b. Inspirations: nothing noted beyond awards night. More receipts to be turned in. Was student participation down compared to past years?
  - c. Jazz Reading; a lengthy discussion re: history of the contest and what went well; what didn't. Daddy donut will be Friday 1/30. 170 awards per week. See attached sheet that explains award distribution. Total minutes due 2/17. Committee members plan on coming right after school drop off to add minutes from the week before. They are due to the Jazz reading program by 10am that morning. Conclusion assembly the Thurs or Fri. (18<sup>th</sup> or 19<sup>th</sup>).
  - d. Spelling Bee: school wide Bee today with EM Mayor coming
  - e. Science Fair: plea for volunteers to be sent by teachers and Mrs. Scherer. Discussed dates/times judging would happen for each grade, & other volunteer needs.
  - f. Geography Bee: March 12<sup>th</sup>. Upper grades will fill out a US map; lower grades will do Utah map. Sandy, Natalie, Kris and Heidi have assignments to make up questions that will go along with the maps. Those are to be done by next committee meeting. \*This has since been changed to middle of Feb.
  - g. Classic Skating, 2/25 5pm to 8:30pm. We've already paid for it.
  - h. AR party: 3/13 afternoon. Kohl's to do this one?
  - i. Teacher Appreciation: we'll talk about next month
- VII. Other Business:
- a. Mrs. Fahringer will be emailing out to the family's the #of volunteer hours they have completed thus far. If there was no log out on the computer, then it either recorded 0 minutes or 45 min. You can print out a summary when you check in.
  - b. Talent Show: discuss in February. We decided to ask family's participating to donate finger friendly desserts. It will be held March 26<sup>th</sup>.
  - c. Staff are doing a PJ pancake read a thon: 1<sup>st</sup> week of February. Date TBD. 2 authors coming 5 to 7pm.