

Parent – Student – Teacher Organization of Central Academy of Technology & Arts  
Minutes of General Board Meeting  
February 12, 2013

The Parent-Teacher-Student Organization of Central Academy of Technology and Arts met in a General Board Meeting on Tuesday, February 12, 2013. Meeting was called to order at 7:21 by President Deb Christensen, and she issued a welcome and thanks to all. Present were President Deb Christensen, Agnes Florian, Christa Dailey, Wendy Duemmler, Susan Montgomery, Nancy Bishop and Teresa Edwards.

Having no changes to the minutes, the minutes are approved.

Karen Morgal emailed the Treasurer's Report, reflecting a balance of \$783.19. A motion to accept the Treasurer's report was made by Susan Montgomery and seconded by Wendy Duemmler, and passed with unanimous vote.

Agnes Florian reported that the Senior Breakfast was a big hit and much appreciated.

Nancy Bishop reported that we have sold 335 monkeys. All board members will stay to tag and bag those monkeys tonight.

The next issue of the newsletter goes out March 13<sup>th</sup> and submissions are due on the 11<sup>th</sup>.

Dr. Poole approved a Mr. Irresistible Pageant: Deb asked if the board wanted to go forward with a pageant or some other variety of fund raiser. The board decided that we should table the idea for next year.

March 14 is Pie Day (Pi = 3.1417.....) This lands on a Thursday. Agnes Florian will make a Sign Up Genius for ten pies and four volunteers to deliver that morning. We will slice the pies and deliver them on carts to each teacher.

The board decided to use some of the remaining monkeys from the fundraiser to give to the bus drivers for Bus Driver Appreciation. Teresa Edwards will create little tags, attach them to the monkeys and hand them out to the bus drivers on March 13<sup>th</sup>. This will take care of bus driver appreciation week.

Emma Rose, a January graduate, is going on a trip to Israel. UCPS has asked each school to have Culture Boxes, with items from other cultures in the box. The CATA Globalization Committee has asked that we donate \$50 to her to purchase items for the Culture Box. Members had many questions, so until we have more information from the Globalization Committee, Cougar Council will not make a decision at this time. (What is expected in the Culture Boxes? Which other students might be traveling out of the country this summer? Will it be fair if Cougar Council does not donate to each child traveling outside the country? Does a student going on a cruise qualify as a student traveling out of the country?)

Our next meeting will be March 12<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Media Center.

Nancy Bishop has an idea for a fund raiser – selling colored T-Shirts (one color for each year).

Meeting was adjourned to work on the Monkeys at 7:45pm

Respectfully submitted,

Teresa Edwards