**Hollis Elementary PTA Meeting**

**May 9, 2017**

**Start Time**: 10 AM

**Location:** HUES Cafeteria

**Attendees**: Cassandra Vorisek-Creto , Amy Kellner, Alexis Brooks, Sarah Constantine, Paula Izbicki, Candice Fowler, Nicole Tomaselli , Maryanne Shanley, Anna Birch, Ashley Walker, Michelle O’Conner, Katrin Moffroid

**Call to order**- Cassandra **Approval of last meeting minutes**- Motion: Paula Seconded: Amy

**Treasurer’s Report**: Mostly costs related to student enrichment- end of year activities. Wrapping up the 2016-2017 school year and prepping for the 2017-2018 budget.

**6th grade outing proposal**: Proposal for a Roller Kingdom “end of year” gathering (6/19) with PTA support. Concerns around liability would prohibit PTA funding. PTA can offer something similar to 6th Amusement Park trip- PTA purchased t-shirts for the children to help make them “identifiable”! It was suggested that it could also be set up similar to the Ski Club.

**Summer Box Top Drive**: Class that collects the most box tops (in each school) over the summer wins a celebration in September! Info will be sent out over the summer.

**Board Elections**: Looking for nominations for Marketing/Public Relations as well as a Fundraising chair/committee.

**Student Directory:** PTA will be clarifying the use of the Student Directory to be for parent and student use only. Solicitation for other organizations is not permitted. The 2017-2018 Directory will hold a strong disclaimer and add a contact for those concerned the Directory is being misused.

**Principal’s Report**: HPS: Paula Izbicki

Kindergarten info night is on Thursday from 6-7pm. SAU and police volunteer will be available for fingerprinting. Kindergarteners will be invited to attend Step Up Day on 6/20. They will meet their teachers without concerns as to the building improvements being done by an exact date this August.

HPS/RMMS softball game on Friday!

An HPS/HUES joint faculty meeting will be held on May 17

Field Day will be held Friday, June 9. K-3 will enjoy an entire day of outdoor and indoor activities.

3rd Grade Music Concert- Parent Performance and Grandparent Performance

Staff appreciation Week is this week!

**Principal’s Report**: HPS: Candice Fowler

This week is Staff Appreciation Week! State testing in science (untimed) in the AM.

Third and Fourth Grade teachers are working on placement. 4th Grade Information night: May 31st

Hawk Theologies are being published with an “Author signing”. Golden Trash Can Awards are this Friday.

All District Band Concert: May 18th Elementary- High School/ Strings Concert: June 8th / Band 5th and 6th concert June 6th.

End of Year Happenings: Duck Tours, Lake Canobie, BBQ, last NWA testing!!

Promotion Day is June 19th.

N. Tomaselli:5TH grade field trip last week to the Greenhouse and Minutemen was great!

Battle of the Books: Will need T-shirt help. Logo design is next week. On 5/22, designs will need to be ironed on!

**Other Info**: PTA will be going electronic next year. Teacher requests in by May 20, 2017.

Discussion on changing day of PTA meeting for 2017-2018 school year: Those in attendance reviewed the topic and came to the conclusion that Tuesday still worked best for all. Switching to other days resulted in conflicts for various parties.

Movie Night: Being explored as a “fun night” for the 2017-18 school year!

**Meeting Adjourned**: 11:05AM