

Forest Edge PTA Minutes Of November 13, 2007

The meeting was called to order at 7:09 P.M.

Nancy gave the Treasurer's Report.

The minutes of the October 9, 2007 meeting were approved.

Mrs. Vedder gave the teacher's report.

Committee Reports:

- **Forest Edge Spirit Wear (Mary Shedlock):** Displays are in the display case and reminders about the sale went out in the Tuesday folder. We plan to place one big order this month so they will come in time for the holidays. If there's enough interest, we can place another order in the future.
- **Forest Edge Car Magnets (Kim Giebel):** They're being sold for \$5, and will be sold at various school events. A flyer will also be going home about this – probably after Thanksgiving.
- **Gift Wrap (Lisa Schonfeld for Karen Harrison):** We have made \$11,654.50 in profit so far. We hope to reach \$12,000 by time we add in Entertainment Book sales. We've sold 28 books so far, and need to sell 30 more to reach that goal. The books are \$25 each.
- **Special Education (Vera Conley):** 3 parents attended the parent coffee. Vera plans to hold them quarterly. The next one will probably be in the evening so working parents can attend. Vera announced the other various upcoming events and workshops.
- **Fun Run/Walk Program (Kim Giebel):** This event will be held in April. The goal is to help the kids make a lifestyle change to get active while having family fun as well. The event will be open to runners and walkers. We are partnering with the Reston Runners Club to use some of their equipment, and are trying to get a grant to help fund this. There will be a program to help the kids prepare for this race, which will be coordinated with the gym teachers. The race will be either April 12 or April 19.
- **Market Day (Kathleen Herron):** We had a lot of support for the last delivery and would like to have this support every time. It went very smoothly. Orders for the next delivery are due by the 27th in paper form and the 28th by noon if online. Delivery is the following week on the 4th.

Principal's Report: A new Kindergarten class started yesterday. Student elections are tomorrow. All students get to vote using the smart boards. Report cards went out today in the Tuesday folders. Impact Aid forms are required by Federal Law and we have to be 100% compliant. Please fill these out if you haven't done so. We will be starting the SOL Academy again this year in January. Nov. 21 – the day before Thanksgiving – is a

short day with dismissal at 1:15. Fourth grade is going to Jamestown on Friday. The superintendent will be here this Thursday to go over our school plan (SIP).

Boundary Process: Jeannie Johns gave an overview of the Boundary Process.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:17 P.M.