# PAMS PTA MINUTES

November 18, 2014

Called to order at 5:33pm by Janine Sarach.

In attendance: Janine Sarach, Dr. Bergren, Ms. Crow, JoElla Beavers, Kim Wells, Stormie Henley, Jean Blackwell, Erin Hagge

Minutes from October were approved with no changes

**Admin Report**- Dr. Bergren- PCI 2 main goals: 1. Reduce fail rate in ea subgroup (AA,LD,below poverty level) by 15% in Math & Reading, 2. Increase involvement, Increase attendance, Decrease referral rate (already lower than last yr)

**No activities report- Football Undefeated & City Champs,** Girls Soccer City champs, Boys soccer winning record, One Act Play & Cheer Fest. National Schools to Watch list panel visited our school to evaluate and consider PA Middle to be on the prestigious list.

**Partners In Education (PIE)** – Ms Crow.  “Passport” idea seems to be well received. Dec 6 from 9-12 Sample Sale in Café. Science Fair Dec 15-18 Library, Paws for Cause-collecting scarves, hats, gloves for homeless.

**Membership/Jen Hickey :**  Still need 243 for 100%, ask at concerts----Dates??

**Treasurer’s Report: See attached.** +$365 11/18 deposit

**COMMITTEE UPDATES:**

**Corresponding Secretary/Michelle Prendergast:** Teacher birthday list, cookies

**Volunteers/JoElla Beavers:** Need volunteers for library & teacher luncheon, concessions. SignUp Genuis.

**Reflections/Amber Sloan:** Had 464 entries!!, possible joining with Kellam for recognition.

**Concessions/Kim Wells:**  going very well! Deposited $983.18, inside stand needs cleaned and repaired.

**Book Fair/Stormie Henley:** Dec 4-12. Open During Sample sale 12/6 needs help,

**Newsletter/Tiffany Jones:** deadline dates on website. Being sent attached to PAMS newsletter.

**Spirit Wear:** Ordering new product, Sweatpants, Most of old product gone, looking at new vendor, +$200

**Hospitality/Erin Hagge:** Ed Support & Sub Ed recognition in mailboxes.

**Principals of American Citizenship/Julie Wiley:** November: Respect. Dr. B to make sure teachers adhere to due dates.

**New Business:**

**Holiday Helping:** 7 families in need

**Teacher Holiday luncheon:** Dec 11, Italian theme, SignUpGenius

**Unfinished business**

**Lend A Hand:** 4/26 5k, Charity--🡪committee & PTA to vote on which; Over 2 days; Tidewater Striders for 5k@ Kellam,

**Teacher Grants--🡪 $10,000 budgeted.**

Motion & discussed following: Library request $5000 books, will do email vote

**Next meeting December 9, 2014 @ 5:30**

**Meeting was adjourned at 6:38.**