

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES – Tues., Oct. 13, 2009

**In attendance:** Angela Jones, Pam Murrer, Robert Lanning, Tom Schmitt

A current school budget was distributed. In the areas of school supplies and resources, most of the budget is expended during the first few months of school.

The PTO Innisbrook fundraiser final report will be prepared for the November meeting. It looks like it did not bring in as much revenue as the magazine drives have in the past. The PTO allots each teacher \$300 for her classroom. Teachers have been using them for various classroom needs. Spirit wear sales have taken in over \$1500. A spirit wear order will be turned in on October 23. Upcoming events are the skating party on October 19<sup>th</sup>, Mark's Feed Store charity donation for St. James School on October 21<sup>st</sup> and the Comedy Caravan/Ramsi's charity night on November 18<sup>th</sup>. The school-wide health fair was held on September 24<sup>th</sup> with big help from the Spalding U. nurses. Student pictures were taken on September 17<sup>th</sup> with makeups on November 11<sup>th</sup>.

Enrollment for k – 8<sup>th</sup> grades is 111 compared to 113 at this time last year. Pre-school and pre-k programs are at capacity. Several applications have been submitted for pre-school for the 2010 – 2011 school year. The self-study for accreditation is in process. Surveys to parents will be sent out in December. Several fundraisers have been dropped from consideration: adult dance, seasonal fruit sales and Krispy Kreme donut sales.

The newspaper recycling bin has been placed in the parking lot behind the auditorium. The company is Right-Way Recycling. Paper products being accepted are: newspaper, white paper, colored paper, index cards, folders, catalogs, magazines, phone books, junk mail. Cardboard, plastic and glass will not be accepted along with napkins, paper towels or tissue. Right-Way will give us \$10 per ton of paper.

By-laws were briefly discussed with the tentative decision to leave them unchanged but reviewable at any time.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Next meeting is November 10<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m. in the school library.