

Oak View's Home and School Association
Monthly Meeting
Wednesday April 5, 2017
7:00 PM Library

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 PM.

The minutes from the previous meeting were voted in.

Reports:

Mrs. DiTrani, Principal

- **Please adhere to long-standing safety rules at drop-off and pick-up times.**
 - Inclement winter weather concerns allowed for flexible admittance through the front door due to ice and snow. Because of the break in weather, moving forward, please use back door drop-off zones or the parent parking lot to enter the school as you were instructed to do back in September and in previous years.
- Oak View is proud to announce that the NJ School Performance Report shows a 94% score in Language Arts and 85% in Math. Mrs. DiTrani is so proud of our students and teachers.
- Thank you for all activities our HSA provides.
- A basketball fundraiser will be held for Autism Awareness on April 21st. Please come out and support this cause. All proceeds will be donated to Autism Awareness.
- Check your email for 'VirtualBackPack' announcements on Thursdays. All notices will also be archived on the school website.
- The 6th Grade town wide music performance was a success.

Linda Lo, Board of Education*

- Congratulations to Oak View for presenting a 'Building Good Character in a Positive School' presentation at the previous BoE meeting.
- Please attend the April 25th budget presentation meeting.
- A resolution was passed to creating policies and programs to create healthy and safe routes to school. The first meeting will be April 20th. All parents are invited to participate.
- NGSS standards are being implemented involving problem solving and STEM programs. Mr. Cappello will be reaching parents and teachers for involvement.
- Ms. Johnson is enhancing our Balanced Literacy program.
- Policy 7230 states that donations can be accepted through the BoE and distributed to a designated school.

President, Jennifer Salgado

- Thank you to:
 - Joelle Bernhard and committee for brick fundraiser
 - Basketball coaches and volunteers for a successful season

- Soulla Olsen and Trina Sousa for organizing Family Basketball Night
- Holly Laviola and committee and volunteers for the Talent Show
- Nominations committee for their work
- Congratulations to our Super 50/50 winner. Mrs. Delano won \$2750.
- Look for Oak View Rocks, Movie Night and other Fundraising activities.
- Next month's meeting will include our budget presentation and major fundraiser vote.

Vice President, Jenn Obiedzinski

- Bank statements and taxes are available for review.

Treasurer, Laurie Venezia

- All records are open for review.

Recording Secretary Julie Armeno

- Please sign in.

Corresponding Secretary Debra Nole

- Outgoing mail:
 - Sympathy to the Cochran Family, Lucy Parisi and Angela Salvatoriello
 - Get well to Mrs. Delano
 - Wedding gift to Mr. Bruno
- Incoming mail:
 - Ms. Finkler for Book Fair
- March's teacher appreciation was a St. Patrick's Day treat. April's was a Spring Break count down.

Committee Updates:

Book Fair, Julie Armeno

Our Book Fair was very successful for Oak View's library. Thank you to all volunteers.

Community Rewards, Cindy Fain-Vreeland

Please purchase Shop Rite Gift Cards. Any Red Robin Loyalty Card member can link their registration to contribute to Oak View rewards. Campbell's Labels for Education is ending, please send any labels in ASAP. Box Tops collection continues.

Nominations, Melissa Cole

The 2017-2019 Home and School Board will be:

President – Debra Nole

Vice President – Julie Armeno

Treasurer – Joan Fiveland

Corresponding Secretary – Ava Martinez

Recording Secretary – Melissa Cole

Joelle Bernhard, Major Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who contributed to buying over 135 bricks, better than estimated in the budget. A ribbon cutting ceremony is planned for June. After installation costs are finalized, a total will be reported.

Spring Fundraiser, Holly Dywer

Mr. Wynne will be working with our students to create works of art available for purchase. Orders will be exclusively online. Each student will have an individual ID and password. Rita's Night will be April 25th and will include a prize wheel and a celebrity scooper.

Old Business

There was no old business.

New Business

Please bring any ideas for major fundraiser to May's meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 PM.

The next meeting will be May 3, 2017, at 7p.m. in library.

All meetings are audio taped and available for review by contacting the Recording Secretary.

***Mrs. Lo's notes are attached.**