

# Wildwood Forest Elementary 1<sup>st</sup> General PTA Meeting Minutes

Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009 5:30-6:00pm

Location: Multipurpose Room

\*Call to order.

\*Welcome to the 2009/10 School Year by Dawn Roy, PTA President.

\*Introduction of Executive Officers and brief overview of duties presented by Dawn Roy:

VP of Volunteers and Communication – Karen McAvoy

VP of Programs & Services – Janine Smithers

VP of Fundraising – Erin Stewart

Secretary – Natalie Skergan

Treasurer – Andrea Scarboro

\*Treasurer's Report given by Andrea Scarboro.

\*Bylaw Revision changes presented by Dawn Roy for vote. The two changes to the Bylaws include: (1) PTA membership is now \$5.00 (increased from \$3.00) and (2) PTA General Meetings- will have at least 3 general meetings per year (there are 4 meetings scheduled for this 2009-10 year). Bylaw Revision changes passed with a unanimous vote.

\*Change in budget for \$200 increase in Cultural Arts Program passed with a unanimous vote.

\*Committee changes: Karen McAvoy and Janine Smithers switched positions. Karen McAvoy is now the VP of Volunteers & Communications and Janine Smithers is now the VP of Programs & Services. Natalie Skergan is Secretary. Stacy Gray developed Community Business Partners and is also in charge of Beautification program.

\*Treasurer Report given by Andrew Scarboro. Andrea reviewed the 2009/10 Budget Report.

\*Upcoming Dates/Events presented by Dawn Roy. Dawn demonstrated the WWF PTA website located on the WWF website and reminded all that information will be posted and up to date on the site: HYPERLINK "http://teacherweb.com/NC/WildwoodForestElementarySchool/WildwoodForestElementaryPTA/h0.stm" <http://teacherweb.com/NC/WildwoodForestElementarySchool/WildwoodForestElementaryPTA/h0.stm>

School Clean Up Day – Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 9am-12pm

On The Border Night – October 13<sup>th</sup>

Cultural Arts Programs – see PTA website for details/dates

Hurricane Ticket Sale to start soon

Book Fair: October 19-23

Next PTA General Meeting: Thursday, November 19<sup>th</sup> 5:30-6:00pm (before Academic Fair)

Cookie Dough Sale – mid-November with a Saturday morning pick-up by 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> week of December

Barnes and Noble Day/Night at Triangle Town Center – December 3<sup>rd</sup>

Kids Night In/Parents Night Out – Friday, December 11<sup>th</sup> 6-9pm

\*Odyssey of the Mind Information presented by Kim McGuire. Odyssey of the Mind is looking for coaches to allow all interested children to participate. If not enough coaches, Odyssey of the Mind children will be selected via lottery. Odyssey of the Mind consists of 7 children in each group. The group works on long-term and short-term problem solving. Groups meet once a week for an hour in homes or other settings (not at WWF). Odyssey of the Mind runs from September through March with a performance in March.

\*Shop for the Wolves – Erin Stewart reminded everyone that the school makes money on gift cards and there is no extra cost. Of note, gift cards are available for On the Border, so everyone can purchase gift cards for On the Border prior to our School Spirit Night at On the Border – with both using the gift card and our WWF discount, we have two easy ways to collect money for WWF.

\*Questions and Closing Remarks by Dawn Roy

\*Meeting adjourned and Open House began at 6:00pm.

*meeting minutes submitted by Natalie Skergan*

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