**Becker PTSA Minutes**

**Tuesday, January 21st; 6:30 pm**

**6:30P.M. Introductions**

Rochelle Ament, Julie Carr, Ann Olson, Kathy Brake, Rachel Pink, Jill Laudeneach, Christine Thompson, Hope Konkol, Minda Anderson, Kylee Imholte, Jessica Spear, Michelle Stupar, Cole and Kia (students)

**6:35P.M. Review of Minutes**

Motion: Ann Olson 2nd: Minda Anderson Motion Carries

**6:40P.M. Treasurer's Report Balance:** $16,231.25

**6:45P.M. Committee Reports:**

* **1st Day School Supplies**-Supply list deadline is early February.
* **Book Fair**- May 18-21stdates confirmed. Looking for a new chair.
* **Box Tops**-Scanned receipts total $63 as of 11/19/19; $157.10 as of 1/20/20**.**

Loaves for Learning are still being collected.

Coke tops (Jill Laudeneach will research this more).

More social media promotion needed for the app (Julie Carr).

* **Calendar**-Sold approximately 455 calendars; ordered 750 (90 giveaways).
  + 2018/19-489 calendars sold
  + Printing costs for 750 calendars=$5375($7.16 each)
  + Printing costs for 500 calendars=$5112($10.22 each)
  + $3100 collected in sponsorships and $4401 in sales; $2126 total profit

Ann Olson says that one or two of the sponsors may not be able to support this next year. Ann would like to stay with the 750 order. Open house, the community center and the bank are the big locations/events for sales.

**There is a motion to approve the ordering of 750 calendars.**

**Motion: Minda Anderson 2nd: Jessica Spear Motion Carries**

* **Conference Meals**
* **G**o**R**ead**AB**ook- About $1100 has been spent of the $1800 budget.

Dates confirmed for February 10th-13th. PS on 2/10-11 and IS 2/12-13

* **Holiday Shoppe**- Profits were $205 this year.

Table of vote on if we continue this r December 2020 until February meeting.

* **Movie Night**-January showing was cancelled due to school closing. March showing still scheduled.
* **Teacher Appreciation-**Kristin will have better idea plans at February meeting.
* **McTeacher Night**- April 7th (4-7pm).
* **Membership**- Minimum requirements have been met.

**Read-a-thon**- Feb. 3rd-28th Primary, Intermediate and 6-8th grade. Class prize for each grade. Individual prizes for top readers in each school.

* **Social Event**
* **Trunk or Treat/Trail of Treats**
* **Color Run**- Looking for a bigger sponsorship by “hosting” a table.

May 2nd (10am).

**7:00P.M. Funding Requests**

**District Office-$1,000-**We would like to purchase some promotional items for Becker Public Schools. Something like a magnet you could put on a vehicle, fridge, locker, etc. This promotional item would be used during the Becker Expo, other promotional opportunities, and possibly for new students to the district. The requested amount would allow us to purchase over 1,000 magnets, possibly more. Here are some links to a possible selection:   
<https://www.magnets.com/promotional-magnets/customizable-magnets/school-and-college-magnets/paw-shaped-outdoor-magnets-4-inch.html>   
<https://www.discountmugs.com/product/mgs482-custom-printed-3-inches-w-x-2-75-inches-h-paw-print-magnets/>   
  
These magnets should be able to last a decent amount of time (at least 5 years in my experience) and help everyone to show that Bulldog Pride.

PTSA is welcome to come join at the Expo booth and/or have a flyer that can be shared.

Request is for $1,000. Motion to purchase the 1000 magnets for $1,000 with 500 going to the Expo and 500 magnets going to the PTSA for future use.

Motion: Kylee Imholte 2nd: Jessica Spear Motion Carries

**Backpack Buddies-**Requesting reading themed basket(s) for upcoming silent auction fundraiser. One basket would include 5 books (from GRAB supply), glow in the dark blanket (Walmart- $9.96), a stuffed animal (Walmart- $5.00) and a book light (Amazon- $7.65). Total basket cost: $22.61. Amazon option: 5 books (from GRAB supply), Nemo blanket ($11.37), Stuffed animal ($6.99), and book light ($7.65) Total cost: $26.01  
  
Becker Backpack Buddies is a local nonprofit organization that provides weekend meals (as well as snacks, toiletries, and more) for students who may otherwise go hungry. All food is purchased with donations and then packed and delivered to all four Becker schools by volunteers. We use the free and reduced lunch information to determine eligibility and work closely with school social workers. Backpack Buddies is hosting a chicken dinner and silent auction at Pebble Creek Golf Course on February 9th to raise money for our program.

Motion to approve two baskets for a total of $50.00.

Motion: Ann Olson 2nd: Minda Anderson Motion Carries

**7:10P.M. Other Business**

**7:30PM Adjourn**

Motion: Ann Olson 2nd: Kylee Imholte Motion Carries