

A/B PARENT CLUB  
MEETING MINUTES  
September 18, 2017

**Call to Order:** by Kim Nation at 6:02 pm

**Correspondence:** thank you letter for Uftring

**Treasurer's Report:**

- Budget Presentation
  - Budget Meeting in August
  - Carry over funds and popsicles
  - Majority of the budget comes from Fall Fundraiser
  - Budget Approved

**Old Business/Committees**

**Parent Club Registration:**

**Spirit Wear Sales:**

- Orders due by Sept 23.
  - 18 items sold online
  - 18 sold in paper form between the 2 schools
  - e-mail reminders

**Club Choice:**

- Fundraising was due: Monday September 17th
- Fundraiser pick up: Oct 18 @ Armstrong 3:30-6:30pm
  - option to pay at pick up
  - cub scouts planning to help sort orders
  - look into student council volunteers
  - need additional volunteers (approx 14) for counting money (2 people at each school every morning for approx an hour)
  - Need people to call parents who have not picked up orders
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- Fundraiser Money Due: Wednesday, October 31
- Incentive for payment in full at pick up: raffle to attend party.
- Cannot find left over carnival tickets. Make slips for students in place of tickets.
- Money should not be sent with children but turned in by parents
- Money will be given to secretaries at each school
- Sign up for collection/counting money via SignUp Genius

**McDonald's Sept 20 4:30-7:30pm**

- Illini and Washington location
- Handouts sent via Facebook and email to parents
- Mrs. Ricca has tip jars
- 2 board members count the tip money
- 2 Volunteers needed in main room (bus tables, clean up, safety checks, crowd control)

**Picture Day Sept 20:**

- **Volunteers:** Sarah Hasty and Jessica Campbell at Bolin
- Brooke Olson to volunteer at Armstrong

**Box Tops:**

- Coordinators: Angela Magnusson(Armstrong) and Rachel and Denassa (Bolin)
- Popcorn party is the prize

**Trunk or treat:** October 27th 4-5 pm at Armstrong's back parking lot

- Need to send a paper sign up for the trunk or treat (asking 20 cars, include allergy free notification)
- Emma will purchase allergy free treat for each car (food and non food possibility)
- Kindergarten girl scouts from other schools will be allowed to participate for badges
- Participating cars should arrive no later than 3:30 for student safety
- Starting time is 4:00 pm
- Volunteer will bring in teal baskets
- Prize: \$95 gift card at Uftring

**Room Parents:**

- All Bolin room parents found
- Mrs Masters needs room parent (has a helper) at Armstrong
- Use Kindra's letter format for planning parties

**Halloween Parties:**

- 410 Rice Krispy treats and water at Costco

**Book Fairs:** Kindra Cunningham

- **Armstrong Fall Book Fair:** Nov 7-8,
- Theme: Enchanted Forest
- Raffle ideas? Photography session with unicorn (or for silent auction)
- **Muffins with Moms** on Nov 8 at 7:45AM
- **Bolin** Nov 15-16,
- **Donuts with Dads** on Nov 16 at 8:00AM

**Picture Person:**

- FaceBook post looking for volunteers

**Staff Appreciation:**

- Julie Pennington for Armstrong
- Jessica Campbell for Bolin

**New Business****Nominate/approve Vice President:**

- Approved
- Approved at September meeting

**Historian:**

- Come up with names for next year
- Korey

**Principals Reports:**

## **Armstrong/Bolin Joint Report**

### **Start of the Year**

#### **MAP Testing**

#### **AIMsWeb Testing-**

**Drills-**bus drills at Bolin September 19th, safety precautions on and off the bus

### **Coming Up**

Picture Day Thursday

District Crisis Committee: Principal Kolowski is a member, ALICE trained, meeting to keep each individual school safe

Parent/Teacher Conference Oct. 18-19

CJHS Help-a-thon October 11: students go to each school

BESSTWeb: starts next week, social emotional screening

### **Armstrong**

So Far...

Special Education Field Trip to Pumpkin Festival-life skills class

Plans for Character Education Committee

Coming up...

K Field Trip to Tanners 09/25

Children's Advocacy Center

Hearing/Vision Screenings 10/23-24

### **Bolin**

Constitution Week: 5th graders working on constitution lessons

Student Council: meeting with volunteer staff members

Student of the Month/Character Counts: student nominated as student of the month, focus on 1 character trait a month (ex. this month is respect)

Bullying Presentations: principal visits each class and talks about bullying (ex. Role of bystander)

Wellness: teachers taking time to take care of themselves (take breaks when needed)

Avanti's Dome Trip: 5th graders trip on October 11th (free trip)

IRTA Grant: Mrs long received grant for more literature in her classroom

**Adjournment: Kim Nation 7:20**

A/B Parent Club Executive Board  
Meeting Minutes  
September 18th 2017

**Call to Order: Kim Nation 7:31**

**Correspondence:**

- Thank you note for library books from district librarian

**Trunk or Treat:**

- No more 20 vehicles
- Get at least one board member to count money
- Ask for volunteers in email
- Allergy pumpkins
- Best decorated vehicles will receive gift card for car detailing

**YearBook:**

- Korey will do the yearbook instead of LifeTouch
- Give book orders out after Christmas break
- Look into LifeTouch giving out flyers

Possibility of Winter Fundraiser: Davis Brothers Pizza for Super Bowl

**Carnival:**

- Reach out to Kohl's Cares

**Adjournment:** by Kim Nation at 7:55 pm