

MINUTES

Marion Walker Elementary PTA Minutes

May 28, 2015

The meeting was called to order by Tara Ripka at 6:40p.m.

In attendance

Cindi Brininger, Sharlene Yontosh, Heather Huntsinger, Tara Ripka, Katie Baney, Kim Belcher, Kim Kneas-Hilliker, Robin Sweka, Bikem Oskin, Lisa Miller and Patty Correll

Approval of Minutes

Secretary's Report approved

Tara Ripka (1st)
Katie Baney (2nd)

Committee Reports

- Field Day (*Kim Belcher & Megan Kline Woolsey*) – was amazing but cold.
- Boxtops (*Robin Sweka*) – We are ranked 3rd in the county on the homepage.

Old Business

- Slide — School will take the slide out and sell it at salvage.

New Business

- Governors Park is looking for donations to buy a new playground. Tara is going to check with the other PTO presidents to see what they are going to donate.
- Bellefonte Bags — Motion to give the small bags to the 5th Graders.
- Small pan is missing from the kitchen. No one has seen it.
- Thank you for all that volunteered for the teachers appreciation
- Thank you to Danyelle Crouthamel and Bikem Oskin for helping to clean out the PTO shed.
- Composting bin and grill; what are we going to do with it?

Principal's Report - *Mrs. Yontosh*

- Thank you for the teacher's appreciation and field day. Lunch went very smoothly.
- Letter is going home with 3rd & 4th graders about compartmentalizing the grades. There will be a homeroom. Dr. Reddig is coming in to assist with scheduling. Parent meeting will be help Aug. 12, 2015.
- There will be two new special education teachers next year.
- Shared the parent engagement satisfaction survey.

Elections

- **President — Tara Ripka**
nominated by Cindi Brininger
all in favor
- **Vice President — Katie Baney**
nominated by Tara Ripka
all in favor
- **Treasurer — Heather Huntsinger**
nominated by Tara Ripka
all in favor
- **Secretary — Bikem Oskin**
nominated by Tara Ripka
all in favor

Motion to adjourn meeting made at 7:45 p.m.

Katie Baney (1st)
Patty Correll (2nd)