

**Flynn Booster Club
Meeting Minutes
Sept 12, 2011**

2011-2012 Officers
Peggy Horn – President
Sally Thomas – Vice President
Victoria Esser – Treasurer
Terri Tominson - Secretary

Meeting called to order at 6:59pm

Michelle Montalbano – motion to approve Treasurers report, seconded by Carolyn Dickens.

Peggy Horn

An agenda will be supplied at the next meeting.

It is required that anyone planning on volunteering at any Flynn function must have a background check completed. Fill out the form and the school pays for the service. Peggy has the forms for everyone to fill out. Also must include a copy of your drivers' license. It is a district wide requirement.

Mrs. Hafner

September 15th - The 8th grade band is invited to rehearse with the Sterling Heights High School Marching band to prepare for the Friday football game. All of the feeder schools will be participating at the game.

Sept 29th - Coney night parent meeting and Mackinaw Trip parent meeting. 7th and 8th graders will be going in May for a 2 night trip. There will be a rep from the tour company at the meeting to explain the details. 7pm in the band room. A fundraiser possibility is for 7th and 8th to sell fudge to apply money to bus. This will be discussed at the parent meeting.

Oct 4th is the first jazz band rehearsal. 6th, 7th, and 8th graders can participate. They will not receive a grade – it is a club where the students learn about jazz music. Students arrive a 7:15am on Tuesdays and Thursdays and are released when school starts. It is open to all students, not only band.

Oct 27th - Coney Night Concert fundraiser for the band program. Last year funds were used to purchase sheet music and percussion equipment. Funds from this year's concert will be used to purchase snare drums. There will be raffle prizes.

Victoria Esser

A pamphlet was handed out to remind all voters that on November 8th, a Special Education mileage election will be held. It will increase Macomb County resident's taxes by \$0.20 a day - 1.2 mils. Vote on the 8th. Absentee ballots are available. If you intend to vote yes, don't forget to vote. Macomb County would need 2.1 million dollars without the mileage. There will be a table set up at the open house to pass out the information. Victoria volunteered to be our representative at a meeting with Dr. Livernois to discuss this matter.

Mr. Babcock

Fundraisers

Cookie Dough Fundraiser will benefit the Literacy Library and will help the less fortunate families in the school. The principal's account needs to be replenished.

There is a need to hold Texas Hold'em Fundraisers this year to supplement the booster account to help pay for the 8th grade farewell. Flynn has had previous fundraisers at Hazel Park racetrack - made \$6,000-\$7000 to supplement the booster club. Smart boards and 8th grade farewell took most of the money out of the booster club. We have not had to do any fundraising but need to do them now that the funds are depleted. If anyone has any ideas, please let the booster club know. Mr. Babcock will check into other locations – Big Beaver Tavern is full for the fall sessions. Texas Hold'em and Fun Run are the most profitable for fundraising. Mr. Babcock or Victoria will contact Denise since she ran it last year. Box tops - Flynn made \$400 but money has not been received by the Booster Club. Mr. Babcock will check with office to see where the money is.

Fun Fests will be held every other month – first one is Thursday, October 27th.

Open house will be held this Thursday, September 15, from 6:00pm-8:30pm. Mr. Babcock will be giving a speech on Title I from 6:00pm-6:30pm. Every child will benefit from Title I funding. Dr. Livernois will be speaking at 6:45pm. Parents will be invited to go to their child's classroom at 6:55pm. You will see the smart boards in most every classroom others have the magic pens. Please notice the new chimes for bells in school.

School Store

Victoria Esser and Peggy Horn will be running the school store. They hope to be open next week. Need volunteers to work Monday, Wednesday, and Friday to work the store. Victoria will be calling all those that checked off on the sheet at registration. If interested in helping, call Victoria.

Flynn Wear

We had no one take over since Mr. Huber left to run the Flynn Wear and we have stuff left over from previous orders. The lanyards seem to be the only item that was a big seller. Any clothing left can be purchased through the gym classes.

Misc.

Sam's Club card needs to be renewed. The card was not in the cash box – need to find out who has it.

8th grade volleyball has found a coach but the job needs to be opened to the entire district before it can be given to a non-teacher. Tryouts should begin next week. The season starts in 2 weeks

7th grade volley ball tryouts have begun.

Boy's football has started.

Floor opened to questions.

Kelly Johnson, motion to adjourn - seconded by Mr. Milarski.

Meeting ended at 7:45pm

20 people attended