

PTA Meeting

9/16/14

6:00-7:30

School Board Report

Boiler needs to be replaced/repared

Will be replaced within the next few weeks

School calendar survey

Link on AVS website: <http://goo.gl/PtOhGj>

Complete by Sept 26, 2014

Changes to calendar won't take effect for couple of years

Question about donation from \$ PTA to school...will bring to board at Oct. meeting

Principal's Report

Calendar survey - Link on website

Communication of various AVS activities will be included in the AVS newsletter

Mrs. Collins September newsletter went out via email last week

Spirit wear for staff? Discussion about vintage spirit wear, would love to make it available to staff, t-shirts next year at Duck Race

Report of Committees:

Volunteer Coordinator - In need of a coordinator

Membership, Website & Directory - Rolling in, converting website to match new look of school website, get committee info to Mark for website

Book Fair - 3 book fairs this year, profit supplements birthday book club

Back to School Book Fair: Books Only \$6600 (\$1600 profit)

Coordinated well with Open House

All For Books Donations was a great success!

AVS Garden

Great summer in garden, but lots of weeding and we need volunteers

Teachers are taking more ownership in their particular plots

Harvest Festival this fall (4th grade corn, 5th grade potatoes)

Need more volunteers! (3-4 hours per week needed)

Girl Scout could earn gardening badges for helping in the garden

Fall Fundraiser

Fun Drive instead of selling something (Donations for those who haven't already donated through membership form)

Box Tops

Coke Rewards too

Monster Mash

Needs lots of volunteers!

Donations of old decorations needed

Childrens Stage Adventures

1st - 5th Grades, Week of Oct. 27th - Nov 1st (Sword Called XCaliber)

Performances Oct 31st @ 6:30 and Sat Nov 1st @ 11 a.m.  
FFC (Fire Fighter's Challenge) - October 9th

In need of (10) parent volunteers for judging (9:45 a.m.)

Grades 5 & 6 involved

Holiday Fair Preparations are underway

32 Vendors

December 13th, 9-1 following Library Santa Breakfast

Reflections

Bump entry date up as well as Reflection evening,

Need more help with this program (Deb Comeau volunteered to help)

Theme: The World Would Be a Better Place If?

Discussion: Can Art or Music include this as part of their curriculum?

New Business

Cultural Program Ideas: Ooch, Internet Safety, Bullying

Open Positions:

Grant Writing Position Open

Ice Cream Social Chair Open

Discussion about posting that there is a charge for ice cream, some  
parents under the impression that it is free

Laminating Coordinator Needed

Lunch Program Coordinator: We desperately need parents to help with 1st-4rd  
grade lunches

Picture Day Coordinator

Picture day conflicts with testing

Red Cross Babysitting Course Coordinator

Reflection helpers

Popcorn Volunteer

8th Grade Washington DC Trip Meeting - Sept 24th

This is not sponsored by our school district

PTA will be donating \$ to AVS Student Council to purchase turkey's for AVS families at  
Thanksgiving

Respectfully Submitted By,

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