

Howard Elementary PTO Board Meeting Notes
Tuesday February 20th, 2018
Howard Elementary School Community Room - 6:00 PM

Allan presented his Principal's report -

1. **Special Project - \$5,000**
Giving to Teachers - vote

2. **Craft Night - Update**

3. **Penny War - Mar 12 thru 16 - Please if interested in helping sign up on sign up sheet**

Pennies count as one point each, but silver coins and paper money count AGAINST that classrooms point value. Teams can then place silver coin and paper money into other classroom jars making the points reduced for the other classroom.

Example: Classroom A has 100 pennies and a student from Class Room B places a Quarter in Class Room A's Jar they now only have 75 points, but they have 100 pennies.

There will be 2 winning classrooms, the classroom with the most points and the classroom with the most pennies.

These winning classrooms will be rewarded with a classroom party!

- *Students wanted this year to be Super Mario Bros themed.*

4. **Spring Bazaar - April 7th 9-3**

We already have several vendors lined up for this event but will need help setting up and tearing down the Friday and Saturday of the event.

5. **Mc Teacher - April 19**

- **We will be having a design the Poster contest winner will receive a mcdonalds gift card, will be judge by staff from Mcdonalds**

6. **Carnival- June 8th - Please if interested in helping organize and plan the event. Sign up on the sign up sheet. Please take a packet and collect donations (with your child if possible)**

- *Brandi is looking for help in going to businesses and try to collect donations. They are in packets of 20 businesses along with cover letters, separated by region around town.*

7. **Board Members -**

We will be accepting applications for President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, Parliamentarian, Fundraising Coordinator, Volunteer coordinator, Communication Manager in April. Please consider taking up one of these rolls in our PTO if we do not have at least the President, Treasurer and Secretary we will have to disband our Charity organization and run any fundraiser through the school.

- *Information will be going home with students to get volunteers for these positions for PTO.*
- *All positions are 2 year commitments - the amount of time that PTO spends on activities is up to the current PTO. On Average it is 4 hours a month per position*

8. **Open Discussion - Sign Ups**

- **Book Fair - February 26th - March 1st. This is during Literacy Night.**