**Crooked Lake PTO Meeting Minutes**

**November 17, 2014**

The October minutes were reviewed. The minutes were approved.

Report of Officers

**Chairperson**

Introductions

Keep your head above water, no further reports

**Treasurer**

Treasurer’s report was presented. Treasurer’s report was approved.

Treasurer: Savings empty, Eagles Creating in Color will use savings account. Report approved. Taxes filed today, on time. $50,000 or less no 990EZ would save money if did not file this. $250 now, $35.00 without 990EZ.

Money for supplies for Char so she doesn’t have to supply them herself. Art stuff, snacks, etc. will talk more about next month ($15-20 extra)

Report of Staff

**Principal**

Building Updates

Veteran’s Day Celebration

Tuesday, November 11 – Video – Thank you to Tracey Dowd for putting that together.

Citizenship Award

Thank you to these great Crooked Lake Students. We will take a picture and display in the front entryway. Thank you to April Comforti for making the display

Food Drive Student Council / K - Kids

Oct. 13 – Oct. 22 - raised a great amount of food for

Bully Poster Contest

K-Kaleb L

1st-Avery B

2nd Adrian B and Sophia M

3rd Marisa S

4th Jozie T

5th Hana W

District Winner – Sophia Marrone

Sophia will be presented with her prize (Kindle) by the reps from Horace Mann Insurance Co. at the monthly School Board meeting on Monday, December 8th, at 6:30.  Families of the winning students have been sent an invitation to attend this meeting for the presentation.

Read – A - Thon

Nov. 3 – Nov. 16 – Thank you to all of our families for participating in this all school fundraiser.

Wacky Hair Day – Nov. 21

Dress for outside

We go outside for recess if the temperature is above 0 degrees, and the wind chill is above -10.

Above and Beyond Award

Nominations are due Dec. 12 - 763-506-1551

**Teacher(s)**

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**Volunteer Services Coordinator (VSC)**

Challenge Reading Volunteers – We have a leader for a 2nd grade level group. This leader attended the district training last week and have begun meeting with students this week. This group will begin meeting tomorrow after school.

Math Plus+ - We have leader for a 2nd and one for a 3rd grade group at Crooked Lake. They both attended the district training that was provided last week and have begun meeting with their students after school as well. Both of these groups started meeting today after school.

There is an advertisement in the December Volunteer Newsletter regarding the upcoming spring Carnival. Any interested committee members who call will be forwarded to the CLPTO.

Total Volunteers: 275

Total hours of service so far: over 772

**Committees**

**Old Business**

Spirit wear: flyers out, due Dec 1st, new design this year & hoodie

(zip-up added)

Coffee sale: will send flyer out this week and orders returned before Christmas. All money to go for iPads, as this is what teachers desire.

Fundraising schedule:

Read-a-thon – main fundraiser

5th grade (movie night, pizza, butter braids)

Restaurant nights: designate grade level, but invite everyone. Chair will assemble

Carnival: Pete will chair if no other volunteers. March 21st

**New Business**

Student council: family-to-family, heads up Michele. Needs day or two notice before shopping for cards (gas, target, grocery).

Extra money from teacher appreciation dinner save for teacher appreciation week in May.