**OMS PTO meeting**

**Welcome & Introduction:** Mr. Salsman, 5 board members and 3 parents were present.

**Secretary’s report:** Minutes from the last meeting sent out by e-mail to parents, and posted on the OMS website.

**Treasurer’s report:** Just over $6,800 was made at the lock-in. A $402 check was received from Schoola. Currently 25 teachers have used their $50 reimbursement. The Baby Jade fundraiser collected over $1,000 and went through the PTO account.

We will discuss spending the money earned this year at the next PTO meeting. The main items for discussion are a smartboard for Mrs. Baughman’s room. We would also like to purchase one or two chrome book carts to be shared with 6th & 7th graders.

**Fundraising update:**

Box Tops: We will have one more competition this year. Please remember to turn in box tops as they do expire.

TJ’s Pizza: Orders have been collected and pizza will be available for pick up during conferences, March 13.

Orange Leaf: We will plan one more fundraiser on a Friday in April.

Entertainment Books: We will continue with this fundraiser next fall.

E-Script: We will continue with this fundraiser at Schnucks. If you shop at Schnucks, please use your card.

Schoola: We have about 30 bags waiting to be processed from our last clothing drive. We will hold off on further drives until the current clothing is processed and for sale

**Events:** 365 students made this lock-in the biggest one to date. We are thankful to all the volunteers. We have made just over $6,800. Thank you Laura Shotton for all your organization of these events over the last 5 years. We are looking forward to continuing entertainment night & the lock-in next year with new leadership.

**Teacher appreciation:** Monthly treats have been provided in the teacher lounge. A taco bar is planned for conference night. Christy Beech will send out an e-mail requesting food donations. The meat will be provided.

**Principal Report**

No school March 10

Conferences March 13, 4-8 pm

No school March 17-24

5th grade parent night at OMS April 10 (6:30-8:30)

MAP testing will begin the last 2 weeks of April.

8th grade social May 20

Please complete the district facilities survey due March 9. There is currently a committee meeting to look at start times. No decisions have been made.

Next Meeting: Thursday, March 30 at 7 pm

This is an opportunity to meet the school board candidates for the April 4 election.

Last meeting: 4/27 (9am)