Dandelion Family Association Minutes  
January 7, 2008

Dandelion Community Mission Statement
We are dedicated to promoting positive development in children by:
• Building caring relationships through positive discipline offered in a safe and enriching environment;
• Providing dedicated staff who engage children in the joy and excitement of learning;
• Offering a quality curriculum using innovative and research-based teaching strategies;
• Establishing strong partnerships with parents/guardians; and
• Nourishing spiritual growth through modeling love and respect for each other and the world around us.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Welcome/Introductions and Surprise Baby Shower for Amy Gaeta
Parents in attendance: Amy Gaeta, Patty Ainsworth, Stephanie Moore, Kymberli Rand, Debbie Tompkins, Shelley Grenier
Staff in attendance: Janice Czeh, Mary Janson, Kim Rokos

Update on DFA Account

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Kidz First Fundraiser

Catalog Sales--$2300.17 sales, $1443.82 expense, PROFIT=$856.35
Santa Shoppe--$858.99 sales, $731.01 expense, PROFIT=$127.98
TOTAL PROFIT FROM FUNDRAISER=$984.33 (31.1% profit)

Funding Factory: Current Balance 292.50 pts./$117.00 (2364.50 pts./$945.80 to date)
Future Purchases—Digital Cameras for each room (4-500 points each)

Thank You--Amy, Stephanie & The Rand Family for handing out gifts to staff on 12/20/07

Night Out of the Kitchen—January 2008 (Location, Date?)
The Mexican Restaurant in Brunswick is not open yet. Plan B—Ledo’s Pizza in Frederick (Weis Festival Plaza). Janice to contact Allison Walser to inform her of the change of restaurant preference. Janice will request that Allison contact Ledo’s to set up a date and time.

Family Fun Festival—Saturday, Feb. 23 12-3 p.m.
Scholastic Books has been confirmed and the paperwork is to arrive by January 11. Patty will oversee the Book Fair. The group confirmed that they would like Noah’s Ark (Bear Making) to be a “booth” at the Festival in February. Kymberli to make a contact and get the information sent to us and confirm availability with representative. The group reviewed all of the “treasure chest prizes.” There is still a good amount of prizes left. Stephanie and Kymberli to research and purchase additional prizes and another activity to compliment the sand necklace booth. Kymberli will update the festival flier and sign up sheet from 2007 and bring to the next meeting. Kim and Mary to make new room signs, information sheet and sign up sheets to bring to next meeting. The meeting in February will be used to confirm and finalize details for the festival.
Patty brought in her post holiday purchases (selection of ornaments that state mom and dad, etc.) These items will be stored to put out next December for the Secret Santa Shoppe. The group will continue to look for good deals on presents. Patty also purchased 17 more wreaths and jingle bells for the wreaths next year.

Dandelion Yellow Book Update
Heather is in charge of compiling the Yellow Book data. She was not present at this meeting. Kim will email her to find out the status on the book and to suggest bringing a draft to the February DFA meeting.

DFA $100 Room Purchases Update
More items to still be ordered. Mary will finalize and give to Kim place final order of items.

Future Fundraising Goals??
Kim and Mary to compile a “dream list” of items that DCCC could use for teachers (i.e. laminator, die cut machine etc.)

Details of the Basket Fundraiser were discussed with Debbie, who is a Longaberger Consultant. Information about last year’s fundraiser was given to her. She will do some research and come up with ideas of items to order for the fundraiser in March.

Upcoming Events:
Next DFA Meeting—Monday, February 4, 6:30 p.m.
Parent’s Night Out—Saturday, February 9, 4-8 p.m.
Family Fun Festival—Saturday, February 23, 12-3 p.m.