- I. Call to Order, 2:47pm
- II. Presentation of Minutes Secretary Allison Riesz
- III. President's Report Allison Gallagher/Jen Bittenbender
  - 1. What we've been up to...
    - a. New Session of ASP
    - b. Bingo Night
    - c. Continuing with Tree Sponsorships
    - d. Email vote results

Result: Raz Kids and Westlandia passed.
Tshirts for 5th grade did not pass.

- e. Start thinking about/Submit possible names for the new slate
- 2. Absentee Reports Jen Bittenbender 5th grade party and Spirit Nights: Pump it up or Ashburn Ice possibles

## IV. Officer Reports

1. Treasurer's Report - Jen Coleman Bingo: made \$2500 including the tree sponsors, pizza check, etc. Directory is negative \$400, but Wegman's check is coming.

- 2. Secretary Allison Riesz
- 3. VP Fund raising Lisa Amazigo
- 4. VP Family Events Donna Cowan
  - a. Bingo was great. Thanks to Ben as well. Pizza helped to get people in. Well received.
  - b. Keep up with the advertising. Papa Johns was great.
  - c. Muffins with Moms April
- 5. VP After School Programs Hilda Smith (Absent from mtg)
  - a. Working on Fun Run. ASP is great and ongoing.
  - b. Radio station (Lisa Herndon?) thinking of being present for Fun Run.
- 6. VP Assemblies Jessica Heenan
  - a. Box Tops still ongoing and strong. "Counting night" coming up. It's also on FB to get the word out.
- 7. Volunteer Coordinator Amy Baugus
  - a. Book Fair in Spring
- V. Committee Chair Reports
  - 1. Shannon Hunter, Odyssey of the Mind: New T-shirts getting printed for students and some staff and teachers. Tournament is March 15th. 1 team lost. 9 teams now to compete.
  - 2. Beautification, Rebecca Almond: Early April mtg for the landscaping group. Side note: Use Charleston gift card to fund bulbs for the planting budget. (R. Almond and Jess discussing it)

## VI. Principal's Report

1. Food Recovery Partnership

Rona Scott emailed her: Loudoun Hunger Committee (food pantries and faith community) Food Recovery Program in the works for unopened items in our district. Jan mtg with support services. Introduce the program in test schools. Committed: Tolbert could use the food for Backpack Buddies. Asking us to be a test school.

Kids take, yet don't eat fruit and milk, yogurts. Donating a fridge to store the unopened food? Who collects the food to store? Are we talking breakfast AND lunch?

- 2. Backpack Buddies needs to be marketed more to the parents. Christy will be sending out more flyers soon which will specify what types of food are needed.
- 3. Movies at Lunch time: trying to manage volume level and get kids to eat and behave. It's a reward that is successful. About 50% are watching and 50% are eating and chatting at a lower level. Problems are down from before this was implemented. Have tried other methods that have not worked well. Other schools do diff things that are NOT movies, but they seem to work. Some parents prefer no movies because of the lack of socialization. Looking to try other methods at Tolbert. "PBIS" committee will look into this. One idea is to have more people monitor the lunch room/volunteer

## VII. Other Business

- 1. Mrs. Hicks: 1st grade says: Thank you for the RazKids!
- 2. K-garten: Insta-snow request. Mixes with water for science and STEM activities. \$151.96. And, a set of Math books: \$99 (Literature that includes math).

VOTE: Insta-snow: Elaine moved and Jess 2nd VOTE: Math Books: Jess moved and Elaine 2nd

BOTH PASSED!!

VIII. Adjournment, 3:33pm

NEXT MEETINGS: March 11th April 8th May 13th @ 2:45 in Library