Central Middle School – S.P.O.R.T.

Minutes to the Meeting on

October 28, 2015

**Attendance:**

Karen Remington Kerri Altebrando

Angela Cuonzo

Christine Blocker

**Committee Reports:**

Treasurer: The bank balance as of 10/26/15 was $14,433.95.

Athletic Director:

Ms. Altebrando sent an e-mail to Mr. Petrelli, Interim Superintendent, to determine the process for requesting the BOE to purchase the Track & Field/Cross Country Record Board and Long Jump Pit as they are long-term assets that will benefit the entire school.

**Old Business:**

*Previous Requests:*

The committee still needs to vote on the Teacher Request from Ms. Millman for a Record Board; however, it is pending the Interim Superintendent’s approval of the request for purchase by the BOE.

The committee still needs to vote on the Teacher Request from Mr. Barnum for a Long Jump Pit;

however, it is pending the Interim Superintendent’s approval of the request for purchase by the BOE.

The soccer scholarship request has been approved.

The S.P.O.R.T. website has been updated to include Track and Field and future meeting dates.

**New Business:**

*New Scholarship Requests:* none

The following new requests were presented and discussed at today’s meeting:

Mr. Lisbona’s request of new soccer uniforms for the boys soccer team was discussed. The current uniforms are approx. 6 years old. A written request should follow.

A scorekeeper/clock timer for the Basketball Home games was discussed. It was discussed that the fees of approx. $20 - $30 for 18 games for a total of approx. $360 - $540 be either paid by S.P.O.R.T. funds or included in the fees for Basketball which would result in an additional fee per student of approx. $12 - $18 for the season. A written request should follow.

**Fundraising:**

Cookbooks

The cookbook fundraiser is on-going. Currently, we need to sell more cookbooks to cover the $86.20 costs in excess of profit. It was discussed to have a volunteer sell cookbooks at the Band Concert.

Panera Fundraising Night

The Panera Fundraising Night on Wed, Sept. 30th was a huge success as we received positive feedback from the participants, increased the awareness of S.P.O.R.T. organization, and received a generous donation check from Panera Bread. We raised Panera Bread sales of $1,664.10 of which Panera Bread generously donated 20% for a total donation to S.P.O.R.T. of $332.82.

Thank you to all who participated in the Panera Fundraising Night and for supporting our student athletes! Panera Bread commented that they look forward to working with us again soon.

“Elite” Socks

The “Elite” Socks fundraiser is in progress through mid-November. The flyers are on the website. Vendors are being contacted for best prices with no minimum number of orders.

Athletic Dept. T-Shirts/Hoodies

We discussed selling “Central Athletics” T-Shirts and Hoodies for each Central Middle School team starting with the winter sports teams. Ms. Altebrando will research the design and cost.