

Springmyer PTA Board Meeting - November 2014		
	Amy Brennan	Pumpkin Collection timeline was shorter this year, but we ended up with 238. Providing pumpkins for 3 different orphanages. Rainbow in hallway represents students pledging not to bully. October in service day was a conversation about the "mission" for Springmyer long term. Hope to have a Vision Statement by the end of the year including input from the teachers, parents, community. Grandparents Night has been advertised. Encore performing in the gym, Mr. O made a video, E kids taking pics in the cafeteria and emailing them out, classroom time and shuttle to Dulles starting at 5:30. Conferences are being set up on sign up Genius.
President*	Ann Popp 50 hours	Hamilton Cty Educator of the year nominations back to Ann by Feb 26th. She has more. Nothing to report from the advisory meeting. Bi laws returned from the state and all changes were approved. Some changes were added by them about technology,etc.
1st Vice President	Raymond Ulrich Jr./ Amy Childs 11 hours	Large turn out for the EOQ. For a future event, not this year, we should consider partnering with Oakdale at the Commons to combine resources. Children merge with those students anyway and we can combine monies. Three EOQ events get \$1400. \$385 used so far. Renamed as Quarter Celebration Events because they won't necessarily be on the last day of the quarter. Bowling will be 2nd Quarter event, not confirmed yet. Looking ahead, Strickers Grove may not be an option because of the early release date for 2016 we are awaiting a response from SG about this.
2nd Vice President	Kristi Murphy	\$16829.20 Collected for the Walk a thon which was less than the budget proposed.
Treasurer	Luann Ulrich 4 hours	Two checks from Walk A Thon came in after the fact. *Please mark receipts with event and your name. Everything else is paid for. **Have not recieved teacher allotments for awhile, Beth remind them they have it to spend.
Recording Secretary	Julie Wood 6 hours	
Corresponding Secretary	Jenifer Weber	Nothing to report.
Hamilton County Delegate	Laura Kumler	Nothing to report.
2013-2014 Committee Reports:		
5th Grade Coordinator	Lori Coleman 6 hours	EOQ Concessions were a success. Simple but having food available made about \$200. Boo Grams for the whole school \$900. \$5 donation from the teachers and each student would get a lollipop. Next event is Corn Hole on 1/30.
After Prom*	Ann Popp	Nothing to report.
Birthday Board	Tara Jennings	Nothing to Report
Bridgetown Liaison*	Jamie Toon	Nothing to report.
Carnival	Kristi Murphy/Jodi McDonald	Planning is underway. \$3600 in donations so far.
Communications*	Terri Marschall	Highlights getting together now, please send carnival info. Last one before the end of the year.
Cub Scouts*	Juile Wood	PALA - Physical Education Program the Pack is working on. Popcorn Sale went very well. Movie Night Dec. 5 we will be showing Home Alone again. Making gifts for Hildebrand and caroling their halls in December.
Dance	Amy Emmrich	nothing to report
Directory*	Terri Marschall	Went out already and looked very nice. *Next year, have a table at the Activites fair encouraging people to check the directory for mistakes or fill out a paper for their contact info. **It was brought to our attention that Email addresses with underscores, on the first two pages, are not visible the way the directory is published, we should adjust this for next year.
Enrichment Day	Wendy Marshall/Carlene Murray	nothing to report
Girl Scouts	Tonya Soldano	nothing to report
Good Cheer*	Jodi McDonald/Stephanie Zimmerly	Staff appreciation is going well the kids are really enjoy hearing about the teachers. Birthday celebrations are going well. Staff dinner is coming up. Ms. Hoeper is helping with the decorations, a Spiritual Boquet. Children will write their favorite things about their teacher on a flower and each teacher will have a can vase with all their notes. Monday 11/24 at 4pm. Christmas gift- 10/15 min chair massages with coffee bar? Spread treats out over the whole month?
Handbook*	Terri Marschall	Next project to be sent out
Hospitality	Suzanne Borton 3 hours	Grandparent night Thursday - we have enough volunteers. Next event is 11/18 - 3rd grade concert donations of cookies, will provide drinks

Labels/Rebates*	Jamie Toon	Great response from slime contest. L.F.E. sent in to get bonus. Boxtops will be sent to hs for processing. Maybe do contest next time with kroger receipts? Needs a few more Sunny D labels to get books. Next big collection will be January.
Library Volunteer	Jenifer Weber	Book Fair is 11/8-19
Membership	Niki Mancini/ Kathy Bencurik 5 Hours	nothing to report
New Family Liaison*	Julie Wood	nothing to report
Oak Hills PTA Advisory	Laura Kumler	nothing to report
Recycling	Nancy Shockey	Nothing new to report on recycling. We are waiting to hear who bought the Abitibi dumpsters. As soon as pick up starts we will resume classroom recycling. District is talking with Rumpke and will hopefully work out and will include other recycling ie: lunchroom.
Reflections	Dana Martinez 4 hours	Flyers out - Final date is 11/21. 6 entries so far.
Room Parent Rep*	Becky Weinmann 23 hours for year	Room parents are in process of sending out letters to collect donations for party and carnival.
Secret Santa Shop*	Tonya Chaney 10 hours	Full swing - Sign up Genius is out for help. 1300 items sold last year. UP to 700-800 items. Can Terry put a link into the highlights. Spiritwear give back? Honor Society and JNHS will be here to help. Need to get change before Luann leaves.
Spiritwear*	Jodi McDonald 16 hours	Not sure if people are interested in more Spiritwear.
Teacher Liaison	Beth Phillips	Teachers really appreciate that the Walk prizes and information went seamless communication wise. All the teachers love the Staff of the Week. They also really enjoyed the option of giving a Boo Gram to each student.
OLD BUSINESS:		
NEW BUSINESS:		A&S Playzone for bounce houses has a contract with extra liability insurance. * Randall Lipps owns a LaRosa's franchise. rlipps@fuse.net ***Changes throughout the PTA events viewed as traditions are changing for the worst. **Donuts- Some people feel that the change was not made properly ie:"Change is reasonable but not without dialouge. Status quo of communication needs to change." Anyone can come and observe a meeting if you have a issue to bring up contact the President 7 days before the board meeting and she will put it on the agenda.
* indicates approval of their minutes repo	Names in Blue were in attendance at the meeting	