

**School of Education
Staff Council
February 12, 2009**

MINUTES

Present: Sara Sturgeon, Catherine Overbey, Jessica Durnal, Michelle Talbot, Conney Freese-Posthuma, Sara Gibson, Larry Campbell, Chuck Carney, Justin Lutz

Alternates: Alfreda Clegg, Beth Selke, Jeane Novotny

Guest: Nelda Montemayor, Deb Lane

The meeting was called to order Catherine Overbey.

Approval of the January Minutes: The motion was made by Jessica Durnal and seconded by Michelle Talbot to approve the Minutes.

Community Outreach:

Bowl for Kid's Sake-Big Brother/Big Sisters

Team bowled on Feb. 25th 9 p.m. 2 on the team but can have up to 6

Jan. 22-Blood Drive-17 unit which was good for January-next one will on April 22nd

Treasurer's Report: Report was given by Larry Campbell- next event is Awards Luncheon- there is extra money available in the budget

Staff Development:

Brown Bag –Emergency Preparedness- Feb. 17th from 12-1

Diversity-March 4th-Phillip Seabrook will speak

The committee is looking for possible topics for future Brown Bags

PIE: Report was given by Deb Lane-The group went to the athletics complex and toured the facilities- met some coaches and players from the football team-had picture taken at the Rock in Memorial Stadium- In March the group will go to the Auditorium and School of Music and maybe Science Carlos, a student at Jackson Creek and part of the pie group has been diagnosed with bone cancer PIE group and Staff Council will hold a fundraiser on March 3rd in the atrium-pizza and pop will be sold- everything donated so all proceeds will go to Carlos' family

Technology Committee: Justin asked member of the Staff Council to think of ways to conserve energy in the SOE-email ideas to ETS/Justin Lutz

Asked to have Brown Bags listed on website

Social Events : Awards Luncheon will be held on March 17th from 11:30-1
Discussed possible pitch-in for May 20th

FMO: Cash & carry items and ordering of SOE clothing merchandise will be during the week of March 2-5-table will be in the atrium

Staff Outreach: 2 new employees

Help Desk: Jan. 12 & 13 help desk went great- ETS set up a computer-lots of helper-same questions-had an advisor there all the time on those two days

Elections: Elections will be held in March electronically using Survey Monkey

New Business: April 15th Annual Reports are due-Committee chairs submit reports via email

Announcement: Deborah Piston-Halton has left for a new job, left Staff Council

Next meeting will be March 19, 2009.

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m.