

Bradley PTO Meeting Minutes – October 5, 2009

The Bradley guidance counselors gave a short presentation of upcoming events and talked about what the guidance department is doing to help the student body.

Guidance counselors in attendance: Tom Woodward, Vicki Noll, Judy Page.

- ❖ The PSAT is to be held on October 14th for 10th and 11th grade students. It helps students prepare for the SAT and offers suggestions on how to improve their academic skills. For Juniors only, the PSAT score is used for National Merit Scholarship recognition and scholarships.
- ❖ There are 345 students taking the test this year.

The following groups are being formed: A stuttering group with Mr. Woodward, Study Skills, and Living with Loss.

Counselors went through transcripts with each student last week.

College Information:

High school students can take college credit classes from the following colleges: Columbus State, OSU, OU (Pickerington branch), and Franklin.

Oct. 7th – Juniors College planning with parents.

OCIS ideas assessment – English with Juniors this year and on to other grades in coming years.

www.ocis.org

Principles Report:

Newsletters are being sent out.

Homecoming week:

- ❖ Only court this year, no King and Queen.
- ❖ There is the Powderpuff football game on Wed. October 7th with the Dance on Oct. 10th.
- ❖ Mr. Stewart will be making his expectations on behavior and dress known to all students prior to the dance.
- ❖ There will be a \$25 gift card raffle for both parents and teachers as incentives to volunteer for the dance.

48 min. late start on Monday, Oct. 12

The Superintendent's Address will be Thursday, Oct. 8th.

On the forth Friday of every month, student recognition cards (Super Jags) will be mailed to parents to let them know their child has been recognized.

H1N1 – There are no big changes in attendance right now. Any information about it will come from central office, not Mr. Stewart himself.

Treasurers Report:

- ❖ Walmart has not donated the \$1,500 they promised. However, they did donate 5 cakes for the dedication ceremony.
- ❖ Recycling: Received donation for paper containers and loan donation from Swico for bottles. This is not a money maker.
- ❖ It was motioned by Sandy Glassner to pass treasurers report and it was second by Sonder Mckinsey.

Benevolent Fund: Cathy Daniel not present.

Lunch money discussed for a student in need.

Cookie Day: Madeleine Nickolous

- ❖ Success! Lots of cookies were donated (and we are looking for some recipes). Extras were given to the entire football, volleyball, and soccer teams. Leftovers were frozen.
- ❖ Cookie Day is the 4th Tuesday of every month. The next one is Oct. 27th.

Market Day:

There was \$150 made for 25 orders. The next pick up is Oct. 27th.

ISPTO:

- ❖ Meet the School Board Candidates on Oct. 13th at Bradley.
- ❖ Street Smart Program on Nov. 12th – Teaches parents about what kinds of drugs are out there and how to protect their children.

The conference dinner has been changed to Nov. 18th.

Next PTO meeting is Nov. 2nd at 7:00 p.m. – Representatives from the Math department will be there.