West Ridge Elementary PTO

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| **Meeting Date** | 10-2-13 | **Time** | 6:30pm-8pm | **Location** | West Ridge Elementary Cafeteria |
| **NEXT MEETING:** | 11-6-13 | **Approx # Present** | 16 | **Staff:**  | Principal Brock, Teachers: Keefe, Medley, Harford, McDaniel |
| **Minutes** | Welcome Old Business* Fall fundraiser counting this week. Off to a great start- over $50,000 in sales (will receive 30-40% back). Most of the teachers earned shopping sprees for having over 50% class participation.
* Spirit Nights- Chick-Fil-A night raised a record-breaking $621.23. Nelson’s class won the nuggets party for having the most students in attendance.

New Business* Discussed Fall Festival activity on Oct. 25th. Sign Up Genius invites will go out soon. Will be having a Fazoli’s fundraiser Spaghetti Dinner night for families- tickets will be available for pre-order. Discussed other activity ideas and will not be doing a haunted house this year.
* Discussed ongoing fundraisers- Summer Collection Contest (collected nearly 20,000 labels total, including 17, 954 Box Tops- more than 2000 more than we collected last year). Class party winner was Ms. Adam’s class with 1682. Treasure Box starts on next Friday morning (sent VolunteerSpot invites for volunteers to help pass out prizes). Need help with new Terracycle brigades added this year.
* Hospitality- Teacher Conferences dinners- will have pulled pork and sandwiches on Wednesday Oct. 16th (Sign-Up Genius invite was sent for volunteers to bring food and help set-up and clean-up). Thursday night will be soups and salads. Will also be doing a Bake Sale during conferences (donations needed of baked goods).
* Budget update- still selling King Soopers gift cards for $5- we receive 5% back from each reload.
* Spirit Nights- Skate City Oct. 8th- no Fun Bus this year

After Thoughts, Suggestions and Follow-Ups* Will come up with 4-5 fun fall games to have in the gym for the Fall Festival
* Will send out Sign Up Genius for Book Fair as soon as those hours are finalized.
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| **Roles** | **Facilitator** | Leah Hadaway | **Scribe** | Lindley Alston | **Timekeeper** | J. Liu |

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