

## PTO Meeting

November 6, 2009 – Minutes

Meeting called to order

Congratulations to the Community for passing the recent Bond that will help to rebuild Wilkes Elementary.

**Vicki Marsing- School Foundation** – Phone-a-Thon scheduled for November 17, 18 & 19 6:30-8:00. 20 high school students (per night) have signed up to help out with calls. They will be calling all past donors as well as all families with school age children. Vicki also reported that there was a great turnout at Mora's Ice Cream shop on Halloween. They raised more than expected (\$1,015).

**Volunteers of the Month** – Thank you to Sandra Bullock, Kathleen DeRubertis, Cathy Sanford, Jen Gori

**Cathy Sanford – Halloween Carnival** – Cathy reported that the Halloween Carnival was a great success - the net profit being right around \$8,800. Volunteer hours reported were 495. Next year there is talk of possibly having the food outside with canopies.

**Janet Uselis – Sally Foster** – Sally Foster envelopes returned with a total of \$7,768 in sales. Again, purchasing on line is available throughout the year.

**Cindy Ruggerio –Wilkes Spirit Wear** – Lots of supply left

**Sheryl Belt – Principal's Report** – “Building a New School” The process will start this year beginning with focus groups. Will hopefully open in 3 years. Improvement Plan – Report cards to go through a change – with more continuity throughout the district .