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PA Minutes for Tuesday, December 9, 2017

- Read-a-thon Update
 - 1) Only 50% has been raised at this time as was raised in the same period last time
 - 2) Some businesses would like to know how their ads on the site will look
- How money raised is used for the school—Guggenheim, ballroom dancing, 2-way radios, sports equipment
- School would like to have e-mail address for every family in the school, one parent volunteered to set up a way for emails to be collected.
- Book Fair Update—(updated number)\$3898.91 in Scholastic dollars earned from sales and bonuses
- Movie Night—tentatively scheduled for Sunday, February 4th
 - 1) No admission can be charged if current films shown—Coco and Moana were mentioned as possibilities
 - 2) Will charge for concessions
- DOE speed bump and road closure decisions
 - 1) 1 year for speed bump decision
 - 2) Decision about road closure during recess will be made in January
- Test Prep might be offered for students in grades 3, 4, and 5 and parents would have to pay a fee. 6 teachers would be doing the prep with kids
- Thinking Cap, after school program, updates
 - 1) Now doing 3 days of enrichment instead of 5 so that there will be more time for homework help
 - 2) All the enrichment programs are taught by professionals, professional chefs, professional acting coaches
 - 3) Students doing drama/acting enrichment will be performing Peter Pan in the spring.
- Discussion of students unable to have gym class—solutions being discussed