

Eaton Elementary
PTA General Assembly Meeting
Tuesday, April 21, 2009

PTA President Amy Bonds called the meeting to order at 6:30.

Amy Bonds opened the meeting and welcomed everyone. She announced the minutes from the previous General Assembly meeting are available for review and made a motion to file the minutes.

PTA Treasurer Patsy Brinson gave a financial report as of March 31, 2009. We have \$31,460.92 in savings and \$10,572.98 in checking for a total available balance of \$42,033.90. A motion was made to file the Treasurer's Report; the motion was seconded and passed.

Amy announced for Ms. Carroll that all lost and found items are gathered in the library and this evening is the last chance to claim items before they are donated.

Amy then announced our Volunteers of the Year: Pam Latter and Loria Frazier. The New Hanover County Council of PTAs will recognize them at an upcoming banquet. Amy also announced that our PTA won a Communications Award from the NCPTA. We are one of only 5 schools in the state to win this award. We also won the Golden Acorn Award for 100 percent student and teacher/staff PTA memberships.

Next, Amy recognized the PTA Executive Board Officers who served this past year 2008-09.

Loria Frazier, Nominating Committee Chair, next announced the nominees for PTA Executive Board for the upcoming 2009-10 school year. Loria read the bylaws and rules regarding the nomination process (see attached). She then presented the slate of officers as follows:

Tammy Covil – President
Patsy Brinson – Vice-President
Susan Garrett – Vice-President
Jana Buhler – Treasurer
Gloria Cole - Secretary

The slate was accepted and the officers were installed as the 2009-2010 Executive Board.

Incoming President Tammy Covil acknowledged Amy Bonds' two years of service to the Board. She pointed out two areas that Amy can be especially proud of during her two years of leadership: last year, Eaton Elementary PTA was recognized as an Outstanding PTA Unit by the National PTA; and Amy's efforts during the redistricting debate to spearhead the effort to keep year-round schools. Tammy then called upon Amy's two sons, Grant and Zach, who presented their mom with flowers on behalf of the entire PTA in gratitude for her commitment to Eaton Elementary.

Amy responded by saying it was pleasure to serve, and she thanked the board and the tremendous staff for their support.

Amy concluded the regular meeting and turned the program over to Mrs. Kanzler for the end-of-year choral performance.

The General Assembly Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm.