

Angling Road Elementary  
PTO Meeting  
April 8, 2010

1. Call to Order: 7:00  
In attendance: Lisa Nagy, Jodi Hoag, Wendy Hyames, Jennifer Gilmour, Karen Witvoet, Heather Benedict, Pam Flatt, Sarah Bricknell, Laura Crocker, Donna Dillion, Liz Isaak, Tom Zhart
2. Review/Approve Minutes: Approved
3. Guest Speaker-Tom Zhart HR Director of Portage Public Schools  
-Building and Site Sinking Fund Millage Renewal-vote may 4<sup>th</sup>  
Covers all maintenance and repairs on schools  
\$1.2 million/year for 5 years, approximately \$35/year/household  
Covers roof repair, parking lots, boilers, windows, etc.  
Administration Building is 88 years old  
Angling Road is 47 years old  
Haverhill is 48 years old  
[www.portageps.org](http://www.portageps.org)  
[www.sosmichigan.org](http://www.sosmichigan.org)  
Guest Speaker-Sarah Bricknell-PEF (Protecting Education's Future) NOW Committee  
-\$7000/student operating funds  
Portage Education Fund-people who are able to make donations to the district please do.  
[www.portageeducationfoundation.org](http://www.portageeducationfoundation.org) –can donate online in honor or in memory of  
-Steering Committee to decide where funds go-(It CAN be used to save jobs)
4. Principal's Report- Karen Witvoet  
-Activity Fee and Pay to Play Survey on PPS website.  
-Monday, May 24<sup>th</sup> -Retirement Party 4-5:30  
-Curious Kids at Angling Road already enrolling students  
-March 11<sup>th</sup>, Superintendent and Vice Superintendent visited our school  
-April 19<sup>th</sup> Final Assembly  
-Sue Split needs the sign-up sheet for field day  
-Michigan School Ranking Site-3<sup>rd</sup> &4<sup>th</sup> Grade MEAP Score-Angling Road is in the top 10 out of 1,681 schools!
5. President's report-Lisa Nagy  
-Pirate's Island Family Fun Night 6-8:30, Thursday, April 15<sup>th</sup>
6. Vice President's Report- Janet Ingersoll (not in attendance)
7. Secretaries Report-Jodi Hoag
8. Treasurer's Report-Wendy Hyames and Anne Marie Fleming  
-Donation of \$500 for carnival from Angling Road Family  
-Ms. Split bought bandanas for field day  
-Angling raised \$200 for SPCA plus supplies
9. Committee Reports-  
-Yearbook-submitted pictures and waiting for proof  
-Carnival meeting will be scheduled for next week  
-Chinese Program passed. Pilot program will take place at Lake Center and Amberly Elementary Schools
10. Member Input-  
-Baby pictures on bulletin board across from cafeteria of all the 5<sup>th</sup> graders  
-April 26<sup>th</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> graders will visit middle school  
-May 6<sup>th</sup> PTO Meeting (Committee Election)
10. Meeting Adjourned- 7:45 pm