March 30, 2016 WAO Education Foundation Meeting Recap

The WAO Public School Education Foundation met March 30th at the WAOHS Multipurpose room following the 2015 annual meeting and a light supper. Members present were Pam Jubie, Dewey Swanson, Sally Roller, Carol Bowman, Ellen Strickler, Carol Anderson, Carol Sedgeman, Amy Trudell, and Ed Rosendahl. Russell Miller was absent. Some highlights from the meeting are:

- * The Foundation Officers will remain the same as the past year.
- Picture frames will be purchased and used to display photos of scholarship recipients and various items that the Foundation has purchased on the shelves of the donor wall.
- * All 2015 Scholarships have been paid.
- Angela Spidahl is doing a spring recital on May 13th at 7:00 in the auditorium as part of her vocal requirements. Free-will donations will go to the Foundation. We will promote the event with posters, church bulletins, etc. and serve light refreshments that her family will provide.
- * Appreciation was given to Katie Holte and Heidi Thorstenson for their work with our bookkeeping and the yearbook project.
- Motion and second to accept the Warren Volunteer Ambulance Corps and the Albert R, Chruszch Memorial Scholarships.
- Scholarship Night will be May 25th. Carol Bowman and Sally Roller will present on behalf of the Foundation.
- Kirk Thorstenson explained the "Reading Eggs" program and told about the chromeBooks. Funds from the CJ Anderson Endowment will be used for the "Reading Eggs" program.

- Scholarship applications were given to the seniors on March 22nd and are due April 27th.
- Joey & Krissy Potucek decided to give the designated memorial money from Terry and Cookie Potucek to the Gary Schuler Endowment and the Coach Phil Beving Scholarship. \$542.50 was given to each.
- We have golf registrations coming in for July 22nd. If you'd like to volunteer to assist or to golf please let us know. The golf registration will be the same as last year--\$50.00
- Memorials and donations for February were approved.
- The March and April meetings were combined together. The May meeting will be May 11th at 5:30 at the WAOHS Library. Scholarship recipients will be selected at that meeting.