



PTSO Meeting was held January 27th at 4pm in Pershing's Media Center

Attendees: Tina Gonzalez, Rebecca Wallace, Stacy Walters, Rachael Howe, Missy Tereck, Brie Martinez, Dr. Jaster, Jorie Jeannides, Jennifer Slaughter, and Czarina Hamza

Meeting was called to order at 4:04pm

The meeting began with the approval of minutes from the last PTSO meeting held on December 9, 2021. Rebecca made a motion to approve the minutes. Czarina seconded the approval. No one opposed.

Treasurer's Report

- Rebecca reviewed the December 2021 Treasurer Report. Total revenues YTD were \$50,995.61; total expenses \$7,175.22. The ending book balance for the year was \$43,820.39. Business sponsorships brought in \$500 in revenue for December; concessions brought in \$192.25.
- The Board voted to amend the budget to add a student appreciation line for \$500. The money will come from the Spring Fundraiser.
- The Board voted to amend the special budget line and break up the \$1000 to: Art \$500, Music \$250, PE \$250.

Membership Report

- There was discussion on how to conduct Parent Engagement Meetings in the future. The Board liked the idea of hosting meetings quarterly instead of monthly. The meetings have had a lot of views when posted through social media. Future topics could be focused on clubs, testing, and transitioning from Elementary to Middle School.
- Brie provided an update on grade level reps and a recap of the winter parties. She confirmed the parties went well. After Spring Break, she will start the planning process for the year end parties.

Communications Report

- Rachael provided an update on shirt sales. There were 48 shirts sold totaling \$150 in revenue. The shirts were shipped directly to the individuals buying the shirt. The Board discussed selling shirts once in the Fall for the 2022/2023 school year.

Fundraising Report

- The Board discussed hosting one more Spirit Night this year. There is a new BBQ place on Orange Avenue that may be a potential place to call.
- Czarina provided an update on Community Business Sponsors. Buckalew Hospitality provided a \$500 sponsorship in December.
- Jennifer will run a report to find out how many volunteers reported 50+ hours to receive a volunteer T-Shirt.

Special Programs

- There will be volunteer opportunities for concessions at the upcoming 3 home basketball games. Volunteers will also be needed for Honors Society. There was discussion to increase the price of candy and pizza.
- Missy confirmed we are overstocked on candy.
- Teacher Appreciation Week will be May 2nd – 6th. Planning efforts will begin soon. There was discussion on whether to go back to cooking steaks or having a boxed lunch.

President's Report

- PBIS requested \$2k in funds for the EPIC rewards incentive program. The Board approved the request. Rebecca will edit the budget accordingly.
- The Board will continue to discuss how to spend the excess Fall Fundraiser funds. It was previously confirmed monies earned from Spirit Nights will go to the Pantry & Clinic.

Principal's Report

- Nothing new to report.

Open Discussion

- Jennifer is still in need of volunteers to help with Kindergarten duties.
- The Board approved having the valentine grams go through PTSO. The money will be in and out. The budget would not change.

Next Meeting will be held on February 24th at 4pm in the Media Center

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 5:17 pm.