

PTO Meeting Agenda

August 26, 2021

Attendees – Holly Sharp, Mr. Stewart, Shelly Humphrey, Kim Ege, Bea Saba, Elizabeth Earle, Rae White, Anne Burrough, Jennifer House, Mrs. Peterson, Melissa Carter, Lauren Hindes, Hanna Page, Courtney Henson, Lindsey Bilhartz, Tracy Nettles, Camille Blundell, Cindy Munson

1. Call to order

Holly Sharp12:02pm Introductions – Holly, Mr. Stewart, Shelly, Kim, Bea, Elizabeth, Rae, Anne, Jennifer, Mrs. Peterson, Melissa, Lauren, Hanna, Courtney, Lindsey, Tracy, Camille, Cindy

- Approval of Minutes from May Meeting Motioned – Shelly Humphrey 2nd - Bea Saba Motion Carried – voice vote; all ayes, no nayes
- 3. Principal's Report, Mr. Stewart

Campus Goals

- Equipping teachers on how to pull high achieving small groups related to the students thinking proceses and learning styles
- Using MAP testing to have better outcomes for kids
- Multi-tiered system of support: acadmics (extension of high impact learning) social (House teams, including character training), physical (clothing and food)
- Colloquial Conversations peer coaching
- COVID Dashboard
- WMS Specific https://wms.csisd.org/parents/w_m_s_c_o_v_i_d_dashboard
- CSISD website <u>https://www.csisd.org/about_csisd/2021-2022_c_o_vid-</u> 19 i n_f_o_r_m_a_t_io_n/2021-22_c_ovid_19_d_a_s_h_b_o_a_r_d

Events – Postponed Pep Rally and open house, hope to reschedule soon Approximately 860 students (~600-CSMS, ~700-AMCMS) boundary adjustments are reviewed in November Sports - Football, Volleyball, Cross Country THANKS - Teachers love the Blackwater Draw Food Truck and ice cream sandwiches that were provided by WMS PTO during staff development week

- 4. President's Report, Holly Sharp
 - a. Citywide PTO Meeting 8/24 Encourged to review <u>City Wide Bylaws</u>
 *Note: Cannot use personal venmo/paypal for fundraising, cash and check out to WMS PTO, do not take cash or checks home We can do online/email voting, but you must have 2 motions, reply all and an end date for the voting Sales tax exempt, we do not reimburse sales tax We do have to charge tax, except for the two exempt days
 - b. PTO Bylaws/Procedures
 Please cc Holly on most emails
 Flyers need approval before copied, posted, etc try to be digital
 *Please get VIPS approved (application)
- 5. Treasurer's Report, Kim Ege
 - a. Budget Proposal

Proposed Budget, see attached Motioned – Hanna Page 2nd – Lauren Hindes Motion Carried – voice vote; all ayes, no nayes Increased teacher appreciation because increase staff

b. Financial Forms
 Reimbursment forms are in the PTO Box in the front office
 Cannot reimburse anything that is NOT PTO budget approved
 AUGUST Report, see attached

6. Committee Reports

a. T-shirts: Rachel Crowder

Finalizing t-shirts this week – 12 day turnaround (staff, students plus 5% more)

Order link for families will be sent via Mr. Stewart and our social channels, they are available until 9/13

b. Fundraising: Lindsey Bilhartz
 House Team competition similar to last year
 Possible late October timeframe
 Discussing incentatives

c. Sponsorships: Farrah Spears Record breaking year ~\$17,000 *changed donation levels *sent email via PTO database

*Top level donors will have a 4x6 banner on the back fence

d. Community Outreach: Shelly Humphrey

Open to what WMS needs; last year did Thanksgiving baskets, amazon gift cards at Christmas time, Food Drive penny wars in spring and helped with food pantry Mr. Stewart said families were so appreciative of Thanksgiving baskets

- e. Staff Appreciation: Hanna Page, Lauren Hindes, Jennifer House Staff Development Week we brought the Blackwater Food Truck for teachers and HEB gave us free ice cream sandwiches Meeting with Mrs. Peterson after this to discuss the rest of the year Please send pics of staff enjoying any donations/sponsors (example – ice cream sandwiches from HEB) Email was sent from Holly on 7/30 to approve spending \$1000 for staff development week lunch. 12 reply all emails were sent and motion carried on 7/31
- f. Staff Birthdays: Janeth Moutray Nothing Bundt Cakes – bringing July/August birthdays on Monday 8/30
- g. Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week: Rachel Markham No report
- h. VIPS: Jennifer Spahr
 *Please get VIPS approved (<u>application</u>)
 Let Jennifer know if you have volunteer needs
- Communications: Courtney Henson Would like to highlight what we used the House Fundraisering funds for this year's House Team fundraiser Spirit Night tonight – post out today
- j. Food Fundraisers: Bea Saba Spirit Night Tonight 8/26 – Piasanos (20% of sales, \$3 off) Kona Ice Days – Reached out to Coach Owens, will have them at home games and WMS XC meet - 25% of total sales
- k. Box Tops/Promotions: Abby Goerig Amazon Smiles Kroger Rewards Box Tops
- I. Workroom: Melissa Carter There will be a box in the workroom for teachers to put projects in
- 7. New business
 - a. None

Future Meetings: Oct. 4, Nov. 11, Dec. 6, Jan. 7, Feb. 7, Mar. 7, Apr. 4, May 2 Change Nov 11 to Nov 1 Adjournment 12:51pm Motioned – Melissa Carter 2nd – Kim Ege Motion Carried – voice vote; all ayes, no nayes