

Strongsville High School PTA
General Meeting
October 14, 2021 | 9:30am
SHS Mustang Room

- I. Call to Order 9:34am
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Secretary's Report - Sarah Bass, September minutes passed by consensus, please sign in and/or turn in your volunteer hours. One thank you note from flowers sent to former PTA member Amy McEntee.
- IV. Treasurer's Report - Hilarie Yankello Main checking balance \$5,216.46, after prom balance \$10,399.18. One outstanding scholarship to be paid, need to reach out to recipient.
- V. Teacher's Report - Mrs. Potter-End of 1st quarter is 10/15/21. Discussed Council PTA scholarships. Forms due 11/8 for Carrie to sign off & forward to Council.
- VI. 1st Vice President - Lori Silvis-Considering a happy hour instead of lunch for holiday meeting, possible date is 12/9/21, more info to come.
- VII. Principal's Report - Bill Wingler
 - A. Covid has slowed spread in the building only dealing with a handful of cases
 - B. Homecoming went well, received positive feedback. There were about 1,300 students in attendance, beginning to plan winter formal, more info to come.
- VIII. President's Report - Carrie Dewes
 1. Thank you to Lori Silvis for organizing the 2nd quarter parking spot raffle and her continued work with our fall fundraiser.
 2. Thank you to Laura Housum for coordinating volunteers and snacks for Homecoming.
 3. Levy Renewal: Issue 68 is on the November 2nd ballot. Dan Foust is looking for volunteers to hang door hangers. You will not have to ring doorbells or speak to anyone. Dan has walking lists by building and door hangers that can be picked up at his office in the administration building. Please email Dan Foust (dfoust33@gmail.com).
 4. Also, Levy Renewal signs have been delivered to each school building. If you are interested in posting a Levy Renewal sign in your yard or business, these can be picked up in the main office of each school.
 5. Our November 11th meeting needs to be rescheduled due to scheduling conflicts. General consensus was to move it to Monday, Nov. 8 at 9:30am. Confirming Mustang Room is available.
- IX. Council Delegate's Report - Kelly Clark, Rosann Redd, Nikky Freeman
 - A. Working on getting common learning objectives in place for Preschool -12th grade.
 - B. Reflections this year's theme "I can change the world by...", due 1st week if December.
 - C. Council grants are due by 11/15/21.

- D. Rockin at the Rec may possibly return in December. Other fundraising on hold until decision is made on this.
 - E. Food Bank looking for holiday donations, more info to be provided.
 - F. Council looking for co-chair of hospitality committee, especially to help with holiday luncheon.
- X. Committee Reports
- A. After Prom - Robin Micko, Tracy Joniak, Lori Silvis-1st planning meeting set for 10/25/21, 7pm at rec center.
 - B. Parking Space Raffle - Lori Silvis-Live now, for 2nd quarter, winner will be drawn on Tuesday 10/19/21.
 - C. Bylaws & Standing Rules - Vicki Maloney-due to upgrades on the school district website, the webmaster has new and different duties. The current description states: Publicize SHS PTA functions and update the web page. Proposed language: Publicize PTA functions to members and the community using social media, website and other media outlets.
Vickey Maloney makes motion to accept the new language. Tracy Joniak 2nd motion. Motion passes.
 - D. Health & Safety – Open-None
 - E. Student Grants - Stephanie Kunovich-None
 - F. Fundraising - Lori Silvis, Michelle Thall-Thinking of doing Culvers as a food night, Any other suggestions? See Lori. Move towards social fundraisers in the spring, i.e.: wing ding, etc. The current fall fundraiser will be open until Tuesday 10/19/21.
 - G. Membership - Lori Silvis-177 members, senior parents must be members by 1/31/22 to qualify for scholarships.
 - H. Reflections – Open- “I can change the world by...” is the theme, entries due 1st week of December
 - I. Rockin’ at the Rec - On Hold-Maybe coming back in December
 - J. School Board Representative - Laura Housum-None
 - K. Special Education - Teresa Karsnak-None
 - L. Staff Appreciation - Laura Housum-None
 - M. Teacher Grants - Tracy Joniak, Laurie Majka-Will open after Council grants are announced
 - N. Webmaster - Misti Schulz, Allison Applebee-aware of new duties and can post information as needed. Please contact if you have PTA related events you would like posted on SHS PTA social media
- XI. Unfinished Business-None
- XII. New Business-None
- XIII. Announcements-Chamber Dance will return this year, scheduled for 12/3/21. This event funds scholarships.
- XIV. Adjournment 10:35am

Dates to Remember

- October 15 - "The Choice is Yours" Fundraiser & 1st Quarter Ends
- October 18 - Remote/Asynchronous Day
- October 19 - 2nd Qtr. Parking Spot Raffle Ends
- October 21 - Board of Education Meeting, 7pm
- October 26 - Picture Retakes
- November 2 - No School, Election Day
- November 4 - Council PTA Meeting, 9:30am @ Admin Building
- November 4 - Board of Education Meeting, 7pm
- November 11 - SHS PTA Meeting, 9:30am @ SHS Mustang Room
- November 18 - Board of Education Meeting, 7pm
- November 24-26 - Thanksgiving Break
- December 2 - Council PTA Meeting/Holiday Luncheon, Time/Location TBA
- December 9 - SHS PTA Meeting/Holiday Luncheon, Time/Location TBA
- December 9 - Board of Education Meeting, 7pm
- December 17-31 - Winter Break