

October 19, 2023 5:45-6:15 PM PTO Meeting Minutes

- Call to Order
 - Meeting called to order at 5:53 p.m.
- Welcome & Introductions
 - Present
 - Freeman Williams III-Principal
 - Kerri Carr-Assistant Principal
 - Kim Phillips-PTO President
 - LaToya Smith-PTO Vice President
 - Acurra Taylor-PTO Treasurer
 - Melissa Sargent-PTO Secretary
- Review Minutes
 - Minutes approved at 5:54 p.m.
- Principal's Report
 - Red Ribbon Week-October 27th, Mrs. Boris has activities for students to participate in.
 - o End of the marking period coming up.
 - Abbreviated day on 11/3
- Treasurer's Report

Checking: \$16,765.27Savings: \$11,052.81

o CD: \$5, 227.81

- Updates
 - Trunk or Treat
 - 27 cars have signed up to participate
 - Candy Donation Needed

- Holiday Shop (Mrs. Wright)
 - Mrs. Wright would like to know if PTO is interested in taking over the holiday shop next school year.
 - PTO would need parents to volunteer to run the holiday shop.
 - Tabled for a later date.
- Zumba Proposal (Twila Parish-Short)
 - Haven't received information yet.
- Gals that Give Charity (Tracy Torres)
 - Applications can be submitted in order for PTO to be considered as a charity for a Gals that Give event.
 - Possibility of great exposure for Stokes PTO.
 - Organization information would need to be submitted.
 - We would be in charge of getting donations from local businesses.
 - Event would be at Bally's Casino, as they are the ones that have an agreement with the Charity.
 - Motion was approved to complete the application.
- Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser
 - o November 8th, 2023 from 4-9.
- Open Forum
 - Discussion about fundraising and making sure that we are earning money so that PTO can continue to provide funds for student activities and field trips.
- Adjournment
 - o 6:08 p.m.

Next meeting will be November 16, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m.