

December 2, 2021 6:00 PM PTO Minutes

- Call to order 6:02 pm
- Welcome & Introductions
- Principal's Report
 - Progress reports will be issued 12/8/21 via Home Access Center (HAC), parents are encouraged to contact the office set up if not already using to monitor grades/attendance
 - Holiday Drive Thru Event is scheduled for 12/14/21 @ 6:00 pm
 - Chorus Concert is scheduled for 12/16/21 @ 6:00 pm
 - PBIS: November scholars recognized for integrity, Honor Roll (students earning A's & B's) had 146 scholars recognized, & Citizenship (students earning all O's) had 132 scholars recognized. December's focus will be D for Discipline, scholars will be recognized at the end of the month
 - Riders are Readers-logs are still being calculated, the committee will meet on Monday 12/6/21 to finalize steps/minutes read
 - New school secretary begins 12/6/21
 - Bank at School began today
 - Current Clubs
 - Odyssey of the Mind (O.M.)
 - Driven for Success-one group focuses on pride/leadership & one focuses on reading skills
 - Student Council-allowing scholars to have a voice/use their voice
 - Safety Patrol (coming soon)
 - Scholars Supporting Scholars (coming soon), this may include reading/math support & breakfast/lunch buddies
 - No band concert currently scheduled, Mr. Williams will inquire about this
- Treasurer's Report
 - Beginning of month balance=\$20,738.13, Monthly account fee of \$2.00 was the only withdrawal. Current balance=\$20,736.13

 Mrs. Dick requested items for the drive thru event to be paid by the PTO, that will be an upcoming withdrawal if approved

Executive Positions

- Vote for LaToya Smith as secretary
 - Unanimous vote for approval
- Would like others to co-chair positions to be prepared for next year

Quarter Auction

 Only 5 responses, due to amount of preparation/involvement required before & during event, the PTO will not move forth with this event at the moment

Dine Out Nights

- Texas Road House-we need to provide them with a date, they are able to set this up quickly, & will send their mascot to the school prior to the event.
 Tentatively looking to book this mid/end of January 2022
- Chipotle (Camden new location)-will contact once they open, 15% of proceeds will go to the school. Tentatively looking to book this towards end of February 2022
- Red Robin- has a quick turn around, we need to complete the form & get it signed by administration, 10% of proceeds go to the school, tentatively looking to book prior to spring break 2022

Open Forum

- Vote/approval of Mrs. Dick's request for funds for hot chocolate & candy canes for the drive thru event on 12/14/21
- Administration is looking to hold a Parent Information Night that will focus on how to extend learning/provide support with: math strategies, reading in a busy world, & wellness strategies. One meeting has already been held to plan for this, another meeting is upcoming to finalize details
- Fan Fundraiser that was held at the beginning of the year will possibly occur again if there is enough interest. This will include CR/Stokes specific items
 - Check received is based on items purchased
 - A little under \$250 was earned by the school from the beginning of the year fundraiser.
 - Funds will be used towards showing appreciation for teachers
 - Mr. Williams will reach out, all that is required is a 2 week blitz & pick a date (tentatively will be February 2022)
- A parent inquired about current clubs, Mr. Williams shared again: O.M.,
 Student Council, Chorus, & Driven for Success are all currently active
 - Looking into before school options & a Math League

- More to come 2022 (key=to be able to offer consistent, high level, & activities that scholars want)
- Adjourn 6:45 pm

Next meeting will be held January 6, 2022 @ 6:00 pm