

**Heritage Middle School
PTSA Meeting
Sept 9, 2024**

- I. **Call To Order** - Emily called the meeting to order at 6:02 PM.
- II. **Approval of Minutes (July 18, 2024) - post on HMS website** - Chelsea B. approved, Alisha seconded
- III. **Reports**

A. Principal- Dr. Allegri

1. Neighborhood celebrations mini budgets

HMS is starting a new community type structure this year to make students feel more like a team and included. HMS Community is top, 3 Villages are each grade level (6,7,8th), Neighborhoods are Navy and Gold within each grade and Houses are the advisory teams.

Dr. Allegri requested a line item or budget for the Neighborhoods (6 total) so they can have challenges with prizes or celebrations.

B. Treasurer- Chelsea Brotherton

- 1. Chelsea called a Motion to add a line item for neighborhood celebrations at \$300 each (\$1800 total). Tamrin first approved and Alisha seconded the motion. All were in favor of adding this line item to our budget this year.
- 2. Follow up on last month's motion to add a line item for Clubs, Web and SOAR. Chelsea motioned to add a line item of \$500 for clubs, \$500 to Web and \$5200 for SOAR. Alisha approved, Becky seconded the motion. Motion was approved for this year's budget.

C. Membership - Becky Neth/Emily Ackart

- 1. 2023 membership - 106 parents/45 teachers/total raised \$3715**
- 2. 2024 membership - 70 parents/34 teachers/total raised \$1895**
- 3. Communication to parents about ways to support**
- 4. Ideas to increase membership?**

Jamie D. proposed that we have an incentive for joining (similar to Saver cards) - this will be the first "House" competition. Whichever House has the most PTA sign ups (previous and new) will win an ice cream party. Becky & Emily will get details to Dr. Allegri to announce in this Sunday's Smore. The competition will run the week of Sep 16- Sep 20th. Ice cream party to happen the following Wednesday.

- 5. Alisha will reach out to Scott Heeke to update our Sign up QR code on the HMS website.

D. Holiday Mart - Tamrin Massey

With current construction we will be down 9 booths this year, but hoping construction will be completed and we can go full show. Tamrin is processing payments and applications with only a few openings. Alisha is advertising via FB. Holiday Mart meeting to happen in October sometime.

E. Committees - Alisha Heise

1. Restaurant nights -

Alisha has these all planned out and advertised. Icebergs was the first and only one so far and not sure how much we made from it.

2. Conference Meals - Rancho/Oct 15

a) Volunteer opportunities for meal set up

Becky & Alisha are looking into other meal ideas. Emily is compiling the list of PTA members that offered to help out by volunteering for this event and others this year.

3. Spirit Wear Sales - earned \$674

4. T-Shirt Needs this year -

SOAR will keep the same design but use a different color for 7th graders, April Incoming 6th Graders - ordered in March, delivered in April - let mom of 3 design

5. Field Trips -

6th grade set for Kaufmann Stadium Feb 20 and 21st

7th grade - looking for idea, several people are going to call around to see if we can find something outside for them to do

8th grade- Rush FunPlex set

IV. Old Business/Tabled Items

A. Emily will figure out how to reach out to current PTA members regarding meetings/volunteer/etc...

B. Change name on bank account - Chelsea & Emily.

V. New Business

Chelsea requested money to purchase a PTSA printer. The group approved the purchase. The printer will stay with the PTSA treasurer.

VI. Adjourn @ 7:12 PM

Attendees:

Reagan Allegri, Emily Ackart, Chelsea Brotherton, Alisha Heise, Becky Neth, Tamrin Massey, Jamie Domeier, Amanda Schuier, Stevie Cambiano, Karen Rogers