

Central Academy of Technology and Arts PTSO

Executive Meeting October 1, 2018

Presiding Officer: Nicole D'Amico

Present: Ann Helms, Sarah May, Deb Christensen, Vicki Merritt, Carol Taldo, Meena Sreeraman and Sabrina Clontz

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

The minutes were approved by Sarah and second by Carol.

President' report: Jen Fisher has resigned

Principal's report:

Turn It In. Ethnical practice for writing. County used to pay for this but is not this year. The county stated it did not have enough use. A quote for this is \$3,335.00 with the highest level being \$4,800.00. A request went to Invest to split this fee which is \$1,667.50. It is a one year program for 880 students. Voted on this: Sabrina approved and Ann seconded.

Broadcasting room info: A company that builds rooms gave a quote of \$4,500-\$5,000 for our needs. Mr. King is willing to give up a corner of his room for a trial.

Treasurer's Report:

Balance is 18,442.11 with \$16,123.11 in general fund; \$1,819 in PA and \$500 in Athletics account.

Hospitality Report:

October 25th Grab and Go Snack in teacher's lounge.

Harris Teeter is done with 183 linked.

Senior Week; Setting up a meeting with Dr. Wall to discuss.

Teacher's Birthdays; The cakes are covered for the year.

Fundraising's Report:

\$12,164.92 plus \$500 from today. Total online is \$2,900. The matching checks have not come in yet. We are losing 7% from fees. Meena is working on getting % back with donor box. 100 more decals were ordered after 100 were handed out. We will wait until mid October to order the shirts. The ice cream tickets will be put in the teacher's boxes for 1st block. Discussed using Cone of Ice on the early release day on the 23rd. The class with the most donations will get a breakfast. The thermometer needs to be updated. One family donated \$3,000 and needs to be given a gift.

Communication's Report:

Sign up has all the 2018-19 members. Do a Amazon Smile push after Invest. Nicole wants to do thank you notes and also a blast on Harris Teeter and Publix. Sign up genius for candy and then Thanksgiving to be done.

Performing Arts' Report:

Ghost tour fundraiser Friday 5th. Old courthouse from 6-10 \$15 and 15 per group. Sophomore show went on a field trip and it went well with lots of laughter. The spring musical had auditions and call backs. One show will be sent to NCTC from the senior class. Meena mentioned that at Marvin Ridge they go to a theatre camp every year. There will be a master class on October 22nd with Tyler, a past student who is in Hamilton. PA has a meeting on October 2nd.

New Business:

The food issue with the kids was brought up to Sitebase and is being directed to teachers watching and directing as needed with being mindful of peanut allergies. Senior parking lot painting is having a test spot. Seniors will have a regulations page to abide by and will cost no more than \$40. If the senior does not want to do a spot they can choose to paint a ceiling tile. Mrs. Pentecost will help with this. Ms. Merritt talked with Mr. Presley and there will not be a fall car show. This will be talked about again in the spring for next fall. Meena suggested trying to build

up business sponsors in Wesley Chapel. Meena asked about internships positions in the spring. Ms. Merritt said internships go through the County.

Old Business: Senior signs are all in. Friday was the deadline for ordering. Need to tally shirts and order tomorrow.

Next PTSO meeting is November 5th at 6:30.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40