Overlook PTO Meeting Agenda

March 11, 2025 @ 6:30 PM in the Overlook Library
Board: Christine Hunter, Christi Blythin, Kristen Ashby, Mindie Bailey

Item	Owner
Welcome and Introductions	Christine Hunter
February Meeting Minutes (Approval)	Mindie Bailey
Budget and Expense Review (Approval)	Kristen Ashby
Board Member Reports	Christine Hunter, Christi Blythin, Kristen Ashby, Mindie Bailey
Principal Report	Dave Ryder
Teacher Grants	Dave Ryder
Teacher Liaison Report	Kathy Ott
New Business/Upcoming Events	
• Scholarship Committee	Lauren Klancer
• 4th Grade End of Year Event	Stephany Smith, Christi Blythin, Lauren Pal, Kira Matheny
• Budget Committee - Budget Meeting	Kristen Ashby
• 3rd/4th Grade Testing Breakfast	Laura Williams
• PTO Sponsored Yes Day	Amanda Rossi
• Staff Appreciation	Lauren Klancer, Crystal Coffman, Katie Dougherty
Committee Updates/Follow-ups	
• Spirit Wear	Lauren Klancer
• Classroom Ambassadors	Tony Behrens
• Spring Book Fair/Special Person's Day	Mindie Bailey
• Restaurant Nights - Dine to Donate	Lauren Klancer
• Lunch Spirit Sales	Courtnie Blatter
• Overlook Rubber Ducks Night	Lisa Moore
• Indoor Movie Night	Kristen Ashby
• Egg My Yard	Amanda Rossi & Sara Drollinger
• Incredible Kid Day	Betsy Kuhn
• Nominating Committee	Mindie Bailey
• Overlook's Got Talent	Carina Smith
• Spring Flower Sale	Stephanie Tatter & Damaris Brumfield

Important Dates

March
Mar 10 Spring Flower Sale Kicks Off
Mar 14 Overlook's Got Talent
Mar 11 PTO Meeting - Overlook Library @ 6:30 PM
Mar 17 St. Patrick's Day
Mar 24 Last Day of Spring Flower Sale
Mar 20 Incredible Kid Day
Mar 31 No School - Spring Break

April
Apr 1-4 No School - Spring Break
Apr 8 PTO Meeting - Overlook Library @ 6:30 PM
Apr 15 No School (Gr. K-2)
Apr 12 Egg My Yard Delivery
Apr 18 No School
Apr 19 Egg My Yard Delivery
Apr 21-23 Spring Book Fair/Spring Open House
Apr 23 Administrative Professionals Day
Apr 24 No School (Gr. K-2)

May
May 5-9 Staff Appreciation Week
May 13 PTO Meeting - Overlook Library @6:30 PM
May 9 Rubber Ducks Game
May 27 Field Day
Grade 4 End of Year Event - date TBD
PTO Sponsored Yes Day - date TBD

Laura Williams- Accepted the nomination for Overlook PTO Secretary

Laura came to Wadsworth, Ohio in 2009 fresh from Asbury University with a degree in K-12 Music Education. There was a distinct job shortage that year, so she sought a Masters Degree in Music Theory. She graduated in 2012. After that, an opportunity for a part time job as secretary at her church opened up. What started as a summer job became her passion for the next year. This job was only cut short by the arrival of her eldest kiddo. The next decade was spent with diapers, potty training, teaching kids to enjoy reading, a pandemic and several other beautiful and mundane realities. In 2023, Laura started working at the Wadsworth YMCA as a lifeguard. The following year, she added swim instructor and water aerobics instructor to her job descriptions. This year, she earned a YUSA Swim instructor certification with additional training and teaching demonstrations. Laura has had a passion for continued learning, and it shows in her many passions: baking, painting, music, sewing, hiking, choir and more. Ultimately, involvement in the PTO is a way to round out children's school experience, and foster students' love of lifelong learning as well. As PTO Secretary, Laura would enthusiastically pursue excellence for the sake of Overlook's educational reach to the community it serves.

Amber Addis- Accepted the nomination for Overlook PTO President

My name is Amber Addis. I'm originally from Stow, Ohio and moved to Wadsworth when I married my husband Matthew in 2015. We spent the following few years in Copley where our oldest attended Kindergarten and returned to Wadsworth in the fall of 2022. I have three children, Hunter (9, 3rd grade), Charlotte (6, 1st grade) and Baker (5, pre-K); Baker will be joining his big brother and sister here at Overlook this fall.

I am a registered nurse and worked on a stepdown cardiac unit before taking time away from my career to care for my young children. I currently work part time as an instructor for LEARN CPR, LLC here in Wadsworth where I teach life saving skills, CPR and how to operate life saving equipment. I also work part time as a food allergy educator for the Allison Rose Foundation.

As PTO President, I will bring fresh, engaging, and budget-friendly events that foster strong connections between families and our school community. From heartwarming gatherings like Donuts with Dudes and Muffins with Moms to fun-filled activities like a Father-Daughter Dance and Mother-Son Kickball, I want to create moments that allow parents/parental figures to experience their child's school life firsthand. I would also love to provide meaningful opportunities for our community to support and invest in our school's success. Having been at Overlook for three years now, I've gotten to know the staff as well as many of the wonderful families who make Overlook so special. I would consider it an honor and a position that I would not take lightly, to serve as Overlook's PTO President.