

FWC PTF Board Meeting Minutes

Date September 4th, 2025

Meeting called to order by Traci Rosencrans at 8:53 am

Prayer by Esther White

In Attendance

Traci Rosencrans [President], Cassie Wagenknecht [Secretary], Amy Bernal [Treasurer], Victoria Smargiasso [Hospitality], Christie Long [LS Rep], Jaclyn Herrera [LS Rep], Tiffany McClain [LS Rep], Christina Bartha [MS Rep], Kristin Tilley [MS Rep], Jaclynn Delaune [MS Rep], Kristin Rivers [US Rep], Angela Miller [US Rep], Esther White [US Rep], Mary Kate Cockrell [US Rep], Krystal Pugh [Media/Marketing], Elizabeth Miller [Parent Partner], Wendy Reedy [General]

Guests: Abbie Aubrey, Adriana Gottfried, Christin Fields, CW, Jamie Ridgell, Isabel Prosper, Amir Issaei, Amber Whites, Jessica Robinson, Barbara Garza, Beth Hernes, Haley Sedino, Kasie Rubens, Lacy Evans, Victoria Babb, Kasie Roberts, Alicia Nelson, Penny Clanton, Nidrah Green, Meghan Cross, Sarah Avary, Lindsey Burns, Taylor Thomlison, Paige Pearson, Ashley New, Lindsey Poston, Katy Lee, Kim Welch, Lilly Waldo – Thank you to those who were able to join on Google Meet as well.

Approval of Minutes (Cassie Wagenknecht)

May and August meeting minutes presented for approval. Motion made for approval by Esther White, seconded by Kristin Tilley; All in favor, meeting minutes approved.

PTF Overview (Traci Rosencrans)

“Fort Worth Christian's Parent Teacher Fellowship (PTF) organization is dedicated to nurturing a sense of community within a Christian environment. Our mission is to strengthen the bonds among families, parents and teachers. PTF endeavors to create a supportive network that enhances school spirit and bolsters the overall school culture at Fort Worth Christian.” - PTF Mission Statement

Our board members are simply people who have committed to help for this 25-26 School year. We are here to help support our teachers and staff, and to strengthen our community within.

PTF is funded by the school, so we no longer do fundraisers, nor do we charge to be a member.

Treasurer Report (Amy Bernal)

Income: Uniform Sell & Swap (\$321.75)

Spending Reports:

- US: New Teacher Gifts (-\$125)
- MS: Curriculum Night (-\$26.99) Teacher Treats (-\$211.95) New Teacher Gifts (-\$100)
- LS: New Teacher Gifts (-\$210)
- Hospitality: PTF Meeting Refreshments (\$190.63)
- General Expenses: Treasurer (\$21.84)

Parent Partner (Elizabeth Miller)

Enrollment is very healthy this year. Last year's first day we had 717 enrolled. This year, we started at 792, and have already welcomed in two new students.

Asst. Head of School for Advancement (Kinch Cato)

Dads - Excited to get dads involved in the community this year. There are many new opportunities for Dads around the school. Dr. Rogers and Kinch feel strongly that Dads should have a big presence in the school as examples of Godly leadership.

Chip McClain will be helping lead one of these programs creating more networking for dad's to get involved and plugged in! Contact Chip or Kinch to learn more.

Golf Tournament – September 30th, Tell your husbands! There are more tickets available. All are welcome. 2025 FWC Golf Tournament

Booster Club – If you would like to join the booster club, contact Kinch Cato, to learn more FWC - Booster Club

Old Business

Welcome Back Lunch for Staff was so much fun with the Mariachi band.

Sell and Swap, Back to School Bash with the Volunteer Fair, and Welcome Coffee were very successful. We had so many people signing up to get involved, and there was a lot of community building.

Marketing (Krystal Pugh)

If you ever see her walking around with her camera out, just smile and wave for the video! If you ever take media at a PTF event, please send to Krystal so she can share on Instagram and Facebook.

New Business

Upcoming Events – *Volunteer Opportunities* – Lower School Family Picnic (Oct 17), Fall Teacher Luncheons (End of Sept), Cards in Canton (Oct 30th), Grandparents Day (Nov 21st, set up Nov 20th), Wrapped with Love (Dec 12th), Read In (Feb 5th), FWC Auction Gala (April 18th), Teacher Appreciation Week (May 4-8), Commencement Reception (May 22nd)

Cards in Canton (Wendy Reedy) – There will be a link in the Cardinal Communication this Friday. Plan is to have a charter bus that leaves in the morning, and will be back by 4:30 in time for any games/events happening that evening. Anyone is welcome to join. Registration is \$60. Please register by deadline of October 17th so shirts can all be ordered on time.

Homecoming Parade (Kristin Tilley & Frank Dale) – *Volunteer Opportunity: Will need help directing traffic at the church.*

Route has been laid out starting at Center Point Church, ending at Campus Center. Permit has been acquired. The Mayor and Firemen will be there. *note* No candy in cooperation of NRH City Codes. This will be a half day of school. The parade will begin shortly after pickup, so bring your chairs and get set up while you wait. Directly after the parade they will be serving Smash Burgers at the Campus Center, then Pep Rally following. Cap it all off with the game in the evening. *Please RSVP for Smash Burgers prior!

Hospitality (Victoria Smargiasso)

Grandparents Day – *Volunteer Opportunities* – Will need help with Decoration and Setup Nov 20th

Lower School (Christie Long, Jaclyn Herrera, Tiffany McClain)

LS Family Picnic – *Volunteer Opportunities* – Will need help serving, etc. Very big plans! Undisclosed to build intrigue and excitement!

Room Moms – Kick off meeting this morning was wonderful! All room mom positions have been filled and they are looking strong for this school year.

Teachers Luncheon – Planning on Soup.

Middle School (Christina Bartha, Kristin Tilley, Jacyln Delaune)

MS Reps met with Mr Dodd to learn more about his vision, and how PTF can best help out this year.

Secret Sponsors – Doing things differently this year. See luncheons below.

Quarterly Luncheons by Grade – September Luncheon will be sponsored by 8th grade. Theme will be Back Yard Picnic BBQ. Emails will be sent to parents letting them sign up potluck style. This format allows parents to be involved and build community.

Snack Sign Up – Sign up Genius is going well.

Head of School (Dr Terry Rogers)

Summer Projects – Bathroom Renovations, Football Lights, LS Turf Field – all looking so great!

LS Turf Field – Get ready to vote on the name! Here are the top four submissions:

| Victory Field | Kingdom Field | The Nest | Card Yard |

Monument Sign – this will be a large monument with landscaping at the corner of Holiday and College St. Will also be adding Magnolias trees or Crepe Myrtles along College St. To Be Decided.

US Bible – Upper School has two new Bible teachers. Starting a new class structure with semesters.

Friday Night Lights – Looking forward to a good season! Starting off strong.

Moving Power Lines – Power lines to be planted underground

Adding Monument/Statue – in planning for new monument and statue in front of campus center.

Praying on what kind of statue to place – thoughts of Jesus washing feet, etc.

Upper School (Kristin Rivers, Angela Miller, Esther White, Mary Kate Cockrell)

Quarterly Luncheons by Grade – September Luncheon and gifts will be sponsored by 11th grade. 2nd quarter by 10th, 3rd by 9th. Teachers Appreciation Week Luncheon will allow all to be involved. Will communicate with parents to allow them to be involved.

Upcoming Events

Pep Rally & LS Night at Football Game – Sept 26th

FWC Golf Tournament – Sept 30th

PTF Meeting (in Board Room) – Oct 9th

HOCO Parade – Oct 10th

LS Family Picnic – Oct 17th

Pep Rally (Pink Out) – Oct 24th

Cards in Canton – Oct 30th

Called meeting to close (Traci Rosencrans) at 9:40 am