

Doherty High School SAC and PTSA minutes
Oct 6th, 2025

Sac meeting started at 6pm and ended at 7pm

Attendance: Velvet, Casey, Sohpia, Marion, Parth, Hillary, Jane, Lauralee, Linda, Kenmone

Good things:

Home coming was a success, Cross country placed, Early targeted conferences had a decent turn out, NHS and academic awards had lots of inductees and kids honored. City Serve went well. Doherty spotlights and VIBES is stated. It is rewarding students for good things and attendance.

Stuco:

Homecoming feedback: students would like a better spirit week and communication
Next week will have gun violence awareness From the 13th-17th. They will have posters, flags and announcements. The 17th will be an orange out day. The 18th is haunted hallways put on by clubs and NHS. 27-31st will start advertising for Harvest of Love. That will start the 2nd week of November.

DAC:

They talked about implementing Future Ready in all schools.
The next training is 11/6 at 6pm
School Board election has 3 seats and 7 people running

Principal Report:

Students/ Staff- discipline needs to be reined in (example: no blankets, how to behave during free periods etc..)

5 essentials survey- results will be given later

Attendance/Grades/Behavior- 87%attendance. They are targeting kids with D's and F's for DASH. Also, studying skills is working hard to help keep grades up. Parents are hoping to get better communication between parents and teachers.

Went over SPF and results were similar to 2024.

The drop out rate is trying to be reduced and D11 has set up a task force to catch kids early.

The budget won't rollover until November. It will cover the marching band expenses and the school had to buy extra chemistry AP books.

There are no teachers to help with reflections yet.

PTSA: 7-8pm

Toilet Paper drive- A doherty staff member had been doing this and we are thinking possibly PTSA could help later in the year.

Dessert bar was well received.

Membership drive will be drawn this month. Right now we have 36 members. Mandi is agreed to be the new membership chair. We are going to talk to teachers about joining the PTA. Jane will go to the next staff meeting and take treats.

Treasury report: Audit was approved and insurance and dues are paid.

Have \$2121.64 in savings and \$1100 in checking. The budget was proposed and we will vote at the next meeting.

Beautification is going to be our main focus for this year. But we also want to provide staff morale. As well as student support. Plus reflections and founders day.

Possible fundraisers are concessions and Kona Ice

We need to move money from savings to checking to pay for the flags. \$1000 was motioned and approved.

We are going for School of excellence and we have to have the survey done by December.

Then we have to do action steps and re-survey to see if anything we did helped. This needs to be a goal attainable by the PTSA without the schools help.

Hillary is asking around about a teacher to help with reflections. Velvet will work with them to make sure they keep it running.

10/20 is the caramel apple bar. We need donations in by the 17th