2026.08.06 PTA Meeting

Attendance: Alana Purnell, Jason Clinckscale, Toni Bassett, Bethany Finnerty, Lauri Spencer, Nicole Paull

· Welcome Alana Purnell as our new assistant principal and athletic director. Comes from DPS as a teacher and Dean of Students. Lauri participated in the interview process for this position.

· Introductions

· Schedule

· Berkshire Bound Week

Key Dates:

· 8/17-21 Berkshire Bound –

o Two sessions 8-11am and 12-3pm

o Dan Fisher retired, there are new faces a part of Berkshire bound, there will also be para support. Only afternoons are available

o Registration 18-20 (PTA will welcome families and promote merch and memberships 8-12)

§ 18th 6th grade

§ 19th 7th & 8th grade

§ 20th all grades

o Locks $10, Small Planners $10 (these are a direct fundraiser for the school)

o LS- to check with Annalou for prices

o We should be able to sell used locks

o School prefers to use their locks (School has records of all of the locks)

o PTA support needed from 8-12 for locks/planners, spirit wear, checkout

o BF-send the sign up for Volunteers

o JC to send update with sign up for Berkshire bound

· 8/31 – First Day of school. Half day 1125 dismissal (PTA to be present at drop off for more merch sales)

o There should be a “Welcome Back Wildcats” sign

· 9/1 – Half Day. 1125 dismissal

· 9/9 – Curriculum night

o 6-7pm meet and greet

o 7-830 walk schedules

o Set up to sell merch from 6-7

· 9/14 – Picture Day

· 9/16 – PTA Meeting 7PM

· 9/30 - Ice Cream Social – does Danyelle want to DJ?

· 10/13 – Half day (PIZZA DAY)

· 10/14 PTA Meeting 7PM (Discuss Plan for November conferences)

· 10/29 Halloween Dance (after school)

· 10/30 Half Day (PIZZA DAY)

Dads Club -Fall Clean up: end of October with potential PTA support

· 11/3 No School

· 11/11 Half Day (PIZZA DAY) - conferences

· 11/12 conferences

· 11/18 PTA Meeting 7PM

· 11/25-27 No School

· 12/10 High School Conferences (4-7PM)

no half days in December

No December PTA Meeting

To Do’s:

· Staff to get a link to Join PTA

· Staff must be a member of PTA to receive a grant

· JC to share with staff

· LS to send message to JC to share (in staff Welcome Back note)

· LS to get QR code

· SIGN UP WITH DADS CLUBS GET PTA MEMBERSHIP FOR $30

· NP to upload notes to website – need school point of contact