

FWC PTF Board Meeting Minutes

Date September 3, 2026

Mission Statement

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.

In Attendance

Board: Traci Rosencrans [President], Cassie Wagenknecht [Secretary], Jaclyn Herrera & Ashley New [LS Reps], Kristin Tilley, Jaclynn DeLaune, Kelley Knaus & Linda Christian, [MS Reps], Ashley Gingras & Sarah Cone [US Reps], Lindsay Preston [Marketing], Elizabeth Miller [Parent Partners]

Members: Christina Fulkerson, Taylor Thomlison, Courtney Angel, Ashlin Siddall, Kaysey Hibler, Brittney Shelton, Chip McClain, Audra Cato, Amy Gastorf, Nidrah Green, Desiree Harding, Vanessa Davidson, Taylor McDermott, Kathy Piery, Kaylie Ford, Amanda Miller, Lindsay Carter, Monica Brigham, Daphne Brigham, Lindsay Preston, Christin Fields, Amy Moore, Mandi Whisehand, Karla Schmidt, Lesli Bushnell, Holly Winn, Alyssa Anseie, Zoya Fenn, Jane Blume, Bailie Minter, Shelley Struhs, Jaci Gerth, Jennifer Portillo, Kealey Bullinger, Paige Pearson, Alison Davis-Green, Abby Cox, Jaime Webber, Brianna Austin, Christie Long, Jenna Zegale, Mercy Garza, Alexis Brunet

Online: C Burns, Emily Biggers, Lauren Brennan, Mauricia Kayizzi, Meagan Lewis, Paige Koly, Stephanie Cates

Meeting called to order by Traci Rosencrans at 8:45 a.m.

Prayer by Cassie Wagenknecht

PTF – a Brief Overview (Traci Rosencrans)

We loved seeing so many faces in the meeting this month! Would love to continue seeing the PTF community grow. As parents, you are already members of the Parent Teacher Fellowship, and coming to the meetings is a great way to get to know other parents, know what is going on in the school and get plugged in! Our board are all parent volunteers who have dedicated to take on and lead in certain roles in our community.

Here are a few ways to get plugged in to the school:

Remind: text 81010 @FWCPTF

Cardinal Communication: Can see what is going on all over the campus within

FWC App: Calendar, Report Cards, Directory, Lunch, Photos, PTF and more!

Treasurer (Presented by Traci for Amy)

Please feel free to review minutes from our August board meeting for beginning of the year updates for treasury, budgeting, expenditures etc. - Get better soon Amy!

VP Intro by Chip McClain – Get better soon Tiffany! Chip did a great job introducing you and your family.

PTF Men: This group will be a supporting act. They are planning socials for the men, as well as a “mom's night out” where the men will stay with all the kids while mom's go out and have fun. Men's social kick off is Sept 4th – These details will be covered in “Advancement” below.

Head of School Update (Dr. Rogers)

<u>Men's Social</u> : Sept 9 th		6:30 p.m.		1611 Golf
<u>Men's Prayer</u> : Sept 11		8:30 a.m.		Campus Center
<u>Homecoming</u> : Oct 9 th		9 a.m. Parade Start		10 a.m. Pep Rally
		7 p.m. Homecoming Game		

We need parent volunteers to help teachers walk the students to the parade, and then to the Pep Rally following. Students will have a half day and be dismissed after the Pep Rally. Be sure to come back in the evening to see FWC face Midland Christian!

LS Landscaping: Waiting on permits to go through

Softball: New Clubhouse is up!

Theater: 60 auditions for Seussical, the musical

Service Project: Upper School will be packing meals at Compass Church

SLI (Student Leader Institute, Instructed by Mr. Orr): will be starting in the Upper School Sept. 17

Dance Academy (Instructed by Brooke Miller): Will be starting Sept. 14

MS Night: Sept. 4 | 6:45 p.m. | Tunnel at Barrow Field

Parent Partner (Elizabeth Miller)

New Students and Enrollment: We have 195 new students this year! We are at a total of 871 for enrollment, with our largest on record is 880. This year, we have 348 students at the Lower School, 173 at the Middle School and 314 at the Upper School. Due to TAPPS rule, we may not bring any more senior transfers after Labor Day.

Upper School Update (Sarah Cone, Ashley Gingras)

Teacher Birthdays – August and September Birthday cakes are being delivered

Teacher Snacks – Sign ups have been emailed to stock teachers room

Quarterly Luncheon – First quarter Fiesta themed luncheon will be held September 29th, hosted by the Juniors – emails for sign-ups will go out soon.

Middle School Update (Linda Christian, Jaclynn DeLaune, Kelley Knaus, Kristin Tilley)

Quarterly Luncheon – First quarter BBQ themed luncheon hosted by the 8th graders will be coming up – emails for sign-ups will go out soon.

Thankful Thursdays – Bringing this back starting September 10th. Emails coming soon.

Teacher Birthdays – Teacher forms have been made available for them to fill out. Teacher participation is optional, but all teachers have been included.

Spirit Wagon: This will be a wagon to fill with treats of your choice (example Sonic drinks/Nothing Bundt Cakes) to bless teachers and staff at the MS. No worries if there are extras, Joel is sure to show up! ;) If you/your business/your family would like to sponsor the spirit wagon, reach out!

Lower School Update (Jaclyn Herrera, Ashley New)

Room Moms – Kick off meeting was this morning! If you would like to join your grades Remind, please see the codes at the end of the minutes.

LS Picnic – September 25 at the Card Yard. Will be streaming the away game on the large screen!

Snack Sign ups – Joel and Frank re-did the “Cozy Lounge” for the teachers over the summer – need your help to keep the snacks and drinks stocked up.

Secret Sponsors – email sign-ups have been sent

Woot Woot Wagon – Quarterly wagon gift to teachers. Fill with treats of your choice (example Tamales/Sonic Drinks) to bless teachers and staff at the LS. If you/your business/your family would like to sponsor the spirit wagon, reach out!

Social Media/Marketing (Lindsay Preston)

Feel free to send any ideas for social her way! She'd love to share! Be sure to follow @FWCPTF on Instagram and Facebook.

Homecoming (Kristin Tilley) *Volunteer needs

Parade route has changed this year as Center Pointe Church parking lot is not available due to campus upgrades. Will need extra volunteers to help keep everyone safe getting ready for parade start. Will be sending out emails for sign-ups.

Bring water/fans to keep cool.

Each team is responsible for the decision if they would like a trailer or not, and for acquiring the trailer. Homecoming team needs to know ASAP who will have trailers or will be marching to organize line-up.

Needed: Convertibles. If you have a convertible you would be willing to use for the parade, please reach out.

Cards in Canton (Traci Rosencrans)

Looking for a team lead to help plan this!

Bus is a great time, and allows for fellowship and lots of storage space for wagons and all the shopping that happens. If you DO need to leave early to make it to a game, you are able to drive yourself.

The ticket cost is \$65 per person which helps pay for the bus, snacks and tees.

Friendraisers: PTF has three major “friendraiser” events meant to raise friendship more than funds.

1. Cards in Canton
2. Wrapped With Love
3. Cardinal Crown Tea

Cardinal Arts (Jaclynn DeLaune, Linda Christian)

Seussical the Musical auditions went well with 56 students plus teachers.

One Act Plays: This year's play will be “The Yellow Wallpaper”.

Belles: 10 year reunion!

Band: 5th Grade gets to march for Lower School Night at the football game

Lower School Play: Our new LS Music teacher and Brooke are already planning!

Cardinal Arts: This program is very much like “booster club” for fine arts. Why you should support: This program does affect the entire school. In the Lower School it helps support supplies for Mrs Wiant our lovely art teacher, and LS Band (that starts in 5th grade). This supports all of the fine arts such as Band, Choir, Color Guard, Drill Team, Theatre and Visual Arts. If you are interested in learning more or supporting, please contact Linda, or visit the website: Support the Arts

Booster Club (Sarah Cone) *Volunteer needs

Booster Club is looking for volunteers to help out at the Football and Volleyball games. You do not need to be a member to help out. Sign Up Here

Reserve Seats: We are selling reserve seats for home football games – QR codes will be posted at the gate for purchase.

Game Passes: These work for all Middle School, JV and Varsity regular (not tournament or playoff) season games this year. These are also for sale right now.

FWC Athletic Yard Signs: Being sold now! These come in metal as well!

Old Business (Traci Rosencrans)

All Staff Welcome Lunch

Resell – the school really appreciated it being held the same day as Back to school bash. Helped save resources for the school.

Back to School Bash/Welcome Coffee

Curriculum Night – provided food for teachers.

Advancement (Kinch Cato)

Dad's Involvement – we need men to be involved in the community and set an example of what this should look like for the younger eyes in the community.

PTF Men's Social: Wednesday night (sept 9th) NFL season kickoff at 1611 Golf Club. Have rented out the entire facility from 6:30–8:30 p.m. Learn more and RSVP [HERE](#)

Golf Tournament: Spots are open! Learn More [Here](#)

Remind: Text @fwcmen to 81010

Event Leads

If you are interested in helping lead one of these events, please let us know!

Canton _____

Wrapped with Love – Kassie Black

Cardinal Crown Tea – Alexis Brunet, Christin Fields

Grandparents Day _____

Commencement Reception_____

Sell & Swap – Stephanie Cates

Welcome Coffee _____

Upcoming Events

9/4 – Pep Rally: USA – Middle School Night

9/7 – No School/Labor Day

9/6 – Early Dismissal

9/11 – Dad's Prayer

9/15 - K-5th Grade Picture Day

9/16 – PS, PK, TK Picture Day

9/17 – MS and US Picture Day

9/18 – Pep Rally: Blacklight – Lower School Night

9/25 – LS Family Picnic

10/1 – PTF Meeting

Meeting called to close by Traci Rosencrans at 9:49 a.m.

JOIN YOUR GRADE-LEVEL PTF REMIND GROUP

Choose the code for your student's high school graduation year.

Grade		Remind Code
12th Grade		@ptf2027
11th Grade		@ptf2028
10th Grade		@ptf2029
9th Grade		@ptf2030
8th Grade		@ptf2031
7th Grade		@ptf2032
6th Grade		@ptf2033
5th Grade		@ptf2034
4th Grade		@ptf2035
3rd Grade		@ptf2036
2nd Grade		@ptf2037
1st Grade		@ptf2038
Kindergarten		@ptf2039
PreK/TK		@ptf2040