

Whitnall Middle School PTO Agenda
January 10th, 2024
WMS - STEM Commons/Multipurpose Room

- ❑ Call to order & introductions Cecily called to order at 6pm
- ❑ Minutes: Review of minutes from previous meeting
 - ❑ Cecily Motion approve, Katie second, all in favor
- ❑ Student Council Report: Student Council members
 - ❑ Dance: holiday hallways, VIP room (had snow cones), quiet room showed the movie Elf, valentines dance next month on 2/16-same rooms and will have the hallways again. Need a sign up genius for parent volunteers for dance
- ❑ School Board Liaison Report: Jesse Stachowiak
 - ❑ Looking for an interim superintendent, 24 hours/board meetings, now going to start looking for permanent superintendent, student survey result, early open enrollment numbers; 4 board members for the open seats; next agenda going to discuss school calendar-PD days for staff,
- ❑ Principal's Report: Chris D'Acquisto
 - ❑ Student survey results/comments came back, set goals for the school; their voice matters and decisions are made based on that. Students perception on their relationship with other students; the school went up in every area; there are improvements happening. AIR: Jordan Acker professor of Art at Mt. Mary University; create a design kids can put their own creativity on it; MAP testing, Late start day- 2 cores, elective and flight will run, this is so teachers get there time, March 4th another late start day, kids can be dropped off at normal time at the high school library, HC library will help with that. On Friday they will be getting their Zello account. They can work on that in the morning when they are not at school.
- ❑ President's Report: Cecily Villani
 - ❑ AIR looking for a deadline date, putting it front in center on the, In The Middle, a lot of her fee is travel/lodging, Mr. D will find a deadline and what else will she will do with the kids, maybe make a short video?
- ❑ Vice President's Report: Tara
 - ❑ By laws were emailed to, Mr. D and Cecily, elections have been updated on the timeline, committee were update, everything stayed the same, with minor changes, Feb. will start the planning of 8th grade promotion (slide show, how many pizzas, t shirt design,) February 14th from 7-8 will be 8th grade promotion committee meeting, slide show needs to be started sooner than later (baby picture, now picture and quote), slide show will run through the dance,
- ❑ Treasurer's Report: Lyn Lopez
 - ❑ Financial review as of today \$7,237.35

❑ Committee Reports

- ❑ Concessions sports/volunteers: last home wrestling meet was 1-9-23

- ❑ Canceled due to inclement weather; not being rescheduled.

- ❑ Eat & Earns: Emily Barber

- ❑ Panera Jan. 11th ~ 25% of the sales will be donated back

- ❑ Hospitality: -Katie Swanda

- ❑ Reindeer candy canes for staff and 6 birthdays in December,

- ❑ Spirit Wear: New design and store is set up; proposed dates for sale Jan. 15th-31st - Jamie S. & Katie Z.

- ❑ Will be shared on In The Middle. Adding a UA/Nike sweatshirt, spirit wear will run 1-15-24 thru 1-21-24,

- ❑ AIR: We have started collecting donations. We are currently at \$1,145 -Cecily & Katie Z.

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❑ Old Business

- ❑ Box Tops App and save box tops for WMS PTO

- ❑ Market Day Fundraising <https://www.marketdaylocal.com/>

❑ New Business

❑ Announcements

❑ Motion to Adjourn

- ❑ Cecily motion to adjourn at 6:46, Katie second, all in favor

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Meetings for 2023-24 school year: ~~September 13~~, ~~October 11~~, ~~November 8~~, ~~December 13~~, January 10, February 14, March 13(~~Slate of Candidates~~), April 10 (~~Election~~), May 8

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