

Slauson PTSO Meeting 12.07.22

PTSO Board Members (5 in attendance)

President: Greg Gattuso

Secretary: Jill Shiffert

Treasurer: David Rehrauer

Accounts Receivable: Joseph Valerio

Accounts Payable: Janine Hutchinson

Call to Order

At 6:04 p.m. President Greg Gattuso called the meeting to order. A quorum was met. Also in attendance were Slauson interim principal Brandon Szwejkowski

Motion to approve the minutes from the November 2022 meeting. **Approved**

2022-23 Budget Discussion

The proposed budget was based on pre-covid spending. Will add a fundraising line item. Motion to approve the budget. **Approved**

Treasurer's Report

Insurance applied for officers insurance for the PTSO Board officers. Tax exemption status is still suspended. Back tax returns have been filed. Applied for automatic reinstatement and has been accepted. PTSO is in need of parent donations.

Funding Requests:

- Motion to approve \$100 for Scholastic eWallet. **Approved**

Fundraising Ideas

- Community Night Outs tax-exemption is not yet working. Setting these up for a straight 20% back of profits to Slauson
- Tiger Field has a program for group sales and special days for students. Power of Purpose (POP) field day/fun run comes to the school and sets up. Fundraising aspect is that students have to raise money.

8th Grade Graduation

The Detroit Princess field trip reservation was made for Tuesday, June 6th. Tentative plans to share the boat with Forsythe Middle School. The boat ride includes unlimited soft drinks for students with DJ/music. A letter will be sent to 8th grade families asking for \$75/student for the entire 8th grade "experiences", including Detroit Princess, Revel and Roll and Graduation Party. *Note: Algebra 2 students will have high school finals on June 6th. Accommodations will be made for these handful of students.*

6th / 7th Grade Fun Nights

Fun Night dates open for the entire school. Jan. 13 and March 17. Wristbands will be pre-sold for Fun Night around \$5 each. Fun nights are evening activities when one gym is open for gym activities. The art room would be open for creative activities. One cafeteria is also open with games. Pizza and cookies would be provided to students. Fun nights heavily rely on parent volunteers and can only happen with enough volunteers.

Microwave update – Still in need of one microwave. Will share the info on the parents Facebook group.

Teacher Appreciation

Approve asking for monetary donations for teacher gift cards for the winter break holiday. Keep the possibility open to add funds for teacher appreciation for the second semester. Thanksgiving teacher appreciation from Avalon was a hit with teachers and staff.

Brief Discussion of bathroom policies / conditions of bathrooms

PTSO president was informed that students **do not feel like they have enough time** or are not allowed to use the bathroom. Mr. Szwejkowski says the policy is to restrict bathroom usage **during** the first 10 and last 10 minutes of class. Students are asked to sign out or communicate with their teacher, partly because there have been issues in the female restrooms with garbage, etc. Mr. Szwejkowski will continue the communication with teachers and students. If there is a condition with the restrooms (broken, etc.) students should come to the main office and a work order will be put in ASAP.

Highlighted edits made by Greg on 12/8 after ok'd by Jill.

Proposed Next PTSO Meeting: Wed., Feb 1 @ 6 P.M. via Zoom

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.