

Whitewater High School PTO  
Meeting Minutes whitewaterpto@gmail.com  
February 10, 2023

Call to Order	8:46 am
Minutes Review	Approved (1) Ms. Grossbohlman (2) Kyndall Frenelle
Principal Report	Mrs. Hall: See attached report.
Student Report	Kyndall Frenelle: Student participation in clubs and extra-curriculars is very high; Key Club, HOSA, Ambassadors, etc... Blood Drive went well. Everyone is excited to be making Prom plans. Seniors are making college decisions.
Teacher Report	Ms. Grossbohlman: The staff really enjoyed the unique Charcuterie Lunch. Students are choosing their electives for next year. Personally looking forward to taking 30 students to Paris during winter break!
BOE Report	Mr. Rabold: The Board will be following the governor's mandated \$2,000 raise to teachers. That will add an additional \$3.6 million that was not originally included in the budget. Insurance rates have also increased adding an additional \$3+ million to the budget. The Board will participate in a retreat/work session on Monday, Feb 13. They will be looking at regression tables (comparisons of scores of each Fayette county school to other schools in the state with similar demographics) The Board will then use these findings to direct school strategic planning to continue to improve education for all Fayette County students. Dr. Patterson's contract has been renewed.
President Report	Jessica Smiech: Thank you to those who helped with the staff Charcuterie Lunch. The PTO was at the 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Night and had many parents sign up to volunteer next year. Scholarship applications are now available on the website. Applications are due by 2pm on March 24. Do not wait until the last minute to attempt to apply as there are several steps. We will be speaking with Mr. Barnes about areas of campus that could use some improvement. We are thinking about the planters at the back of the school near the bus loop, and possibly the Wildcat sign by the Field House. Unfortunately we did not get as much participation for the Teacher Supply Drive as we have in the past. Teacher Wish Lists will remain on the website. Check it out and show your appreciation! <a href="https://www.whitewaterhspto.org/staff-favorites">https://www.whitewaterhspto.org/staff-favorites</a>
Vice President Report	Keri Davis: nothing to report
Treasurer Report	Missy Gause: (unable to attend) See attached report. Approved (1) Mrs. Hall (2) Ileanne Price

## Committee Reports

Staff Appreciation Luncheons: Leigh-Anne Daly Flanigan & Angie Seaford -Thank you to all who donated to the Charcuterie Luncheon! Thank you Leigh-Anne and Angie for fantastic year of yummy lunches!

Staff Breakfast Bars: Ileanne Price, Angie Seaford & Rita Thompson – Date: April 21

Gift Wrap: Mercy Forsyth

Beautification: Still need a volunteer! - if interested, please email

[whitewaterptso@gmail.com](mailto:whitewaterptso@gmail.com)

Scholarships: Jessica Smiech

Communication: Sunni Blake & Wendy Scarborough

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## Old Business

- Umbrella storage and repair – all the umbrellas need to be inspected and repaired or replaced.
- Thank you to all who donated to the Teacher Supply Drive!
- Scholarship Applications are available at <https://www.whitewaterhsptso.org/scholarships> Applications must be submitted no later than 2pm on March 24, 2023.

## New Business

- Counselor's Appreciation Week – We appreciate the amazing work all our fabulous counselors do!
- Beautification
- Anyone interested in a PTSO Board position or Committee Chair position please email [whitewaterptso@gmail.com](mailto:whitewaterptso@gmail.com)

## Schedule

8:45am in the WHS Media Center: March 10 April 14 May 12

\*\*Next Meeting March 10, 2023 @ 8:45am

## Adjournment

9:20 am (1) Ileanne Price (2) Ms. Grossbohlin