

Order of Business	MLC PTSA Meeting Agenda February 12, 2025 6 to 7:30PM at the MLC Library and VIA Zoom	
Welcome, Introductions, and Meeting Agreements	Please share your name, your student's name and grade.	6:00 - 6:15 PM
Financial Report	Treasurer's Report: Link to Report	6:15 - 6:20 PM
Approval of Minutes	January meeting minutes: Link to minutes from last meeting	6:20 - 6:25 PM
Student New Business	Prom Committee	6:25 - 6:35 PM
Committee and Other Reports	Principal's Report (Darren) Teacher Report (Betsy) Electives Report (Dana) Standing Committees • Volunteer & Membership (Sierra) • Community Building & Events (Sierra) ○ Family Movie Night 2/21 ○ Gear Swap in March ○ Used Book Faire May 1 & 2 ○ Drag Queen Bingo Family Night in May • Development & Fundraising ○ 4x5 Spring Field Trip Fundraising (Chenney/Sierra) ■ Equal Exchange items for sale ■ Tentative: Al's Flower Basket Sales ○ Parking Events (Chenney/Nate) ■ Volunteer Sign-Up ■ Spread the word ○ BottleDrop (Adam) ■ January total: \$239.64 ○ Restaurant Nights (Sierra/Erin) ■ Pastini 1/16 Recap \$1362.40 ■ HOTLIPS 2/11 Recap ■ Upcoming: Steeplejack, ¿Por Qué No?, Shake Shack ○ Auction (Sierra) ■ North Star: Party at Polaris! website is live! ■ Tickets are on sale with tiered pricing ■ Seeking sponsors and donations ■ Class Art Project Leads needed	6:35 - 7:05 PM
New Business	PTA Legislative Committee • Oregon Lobby Day in Salem - Date TBD	7:05 - 7:20 PM

	● LegCon, March 4-6 ○ Please check out National PTAs virtual LegCon which will give you not only an opportunity to meet fellow advocates but also our Oregon members of congress and hear from them directly about what is happening at the federal level. Registration deadline is February 15. ○ https://www.pta.org/home/events/National-PTA-Legislative-Conference ● Oregon Special Education Bills, 2/17 ○ The House Education Committee will have a hearing for three important SpEd bills. Oregon PTA supports the three bills that are heard. ○ You can register to testify for increased funding here: https://olis.oregonlegislature.gov/liz/2025R1/Committees/HED/2025-02-17-15-00/Agenda ● PTA Advocacy Connection ○ Hang-out is every other Wednesday at 12.30pm ○ Register here: https://us02web.zoom.us/join/zoom-join?from=addon&meetingRef=2YzwxVmZS-UePhCHgUPSAPg#/registration	
General Discussion		7:20 - 7:30 PM
Adjournment		

Attendees

Lila Pigott
Chenney Gruber
Sierra Stringfield Perryman
Abbey Fujiyoshi
Katie Wong Murphy

Laura Hill
Betsy McDowell
Nathan Krame
Darren Lilla
Monique Leslie

Minna Mauney
Isabella Kjellander
Josh Stilwell
Adam Perryman

Notes

- Financial report: \$1k auction sponsor , running low on meeting food funds (board will discuss and address), OMSI planetarium paid for
- January meeting minutes: Adam move to approve, Abbey second, motion approved
- Prom Committee: Made a little over \$500 from middle school dance, will be matched by PTSA. Board asks for heads up about any future fundraisers, nothing planned yet. Discuss option of auction childcare to support auction and fundraise for prom. Student reps interested in both childcare and car wash, Minna interested in bake sale type options. Selling concessions at future Wicked movie nite offered as an option. Regarding parking, in the past has not been tied directly to a single event or group. PTSA budget still has \$295 available for reimbursement of prom expenses, seed money also available for fundraising events. To receive matching funds, you can submit for reimbursement funds and/or PTSA pays a vendor directly.
- Principal's Report: OMSI planetarium experience was so cool for the students. William Temple House paper bag drive ongoing, MLC partners with them to get food and counseling for kids and families. Zoo

career day coming up, kinder storyline about imagination and paper pinball machines are being made, coordinating talent show. Darren to help with AV run through for movie nite, Katie to email him.

- Teacher Report: No specific responses from staff, Kx5 ballet trip (an offer from the district) , kindness week moving along, district approval of 4x5 spring trip pending final paperwork.
- Volunteer and Membership: Links available in agenda to find volunteer opportunities and to become a voting member.
- Community Building and Events
 - Movie vote was a tie. Wild Robot this time with 4x5 concession fundraiser (event free but registration appreciated). Wicked date TBD with prom concession fundraiser.
 - Gear Swap: Siri has stepped in to help. Are there particular needs that are known? Base layers, rain layers, ok on sleeping bags, ponchos good. Date TBD as well as timing (3-4p originally proposed).
 - Used Book Faire: Start saving good quality books!
 - Drag Queen Bingo Family Night: Coordinated by Moira and will need volunteers.
- Development and Fundraising:
 - 4x5 field trip: Equal Exchange for sale online see link above. Still waiting to hear about flower basket sales.
 - Parking events: Sign up available, need to spread the word.
 - BottleDrop: School year to date set to meet/beat 2023-2024 by mid/late April. Plan to do Earth Day match.
 - Restaurant Nights: Pastini did well, Hotlips total from 2/11 to come soon, upcoming ones still in the works.
 - Auction: Website is live, tickets on sale with tiered pricing. Committee meeting Sunday 2/16. Seeking more sponsors beyond the current \$1500. Donations coming along. Still in need of kinder class art project lead, Sarah has a project idea already.
- New Business: Co-president attended state PTA advocacy/legislative meeting in hopes of advocating/finding ways to fund schools better, see agenda for upcoming events to get involved and support these efforts
- Meeting adjourned at 1900