

FTHS PFSO General Meeting Minutes

Tues. Feb. 18, 2025 @ 6:15 PM

PFSO Meeting Zoom

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# Board and Committee Chairs (\*holds more than one position)

POSITION	NAME	PRESENT?
Executive Board Officers		
Past President	Valerie Zeko*	Υ
President	Kerry Murphy	Υ
Vice President	Erica Mullins	Υ
2nd VP	Principal Courtney Johnson	Υ
Secretary	Valerie Zeko*	
Treasurer	Inessa Gelman	Υ
Membership Chair	Leslie Hinojosa	Υ
Parliamentarian	Kristin Ippolito*	Υ
Board Officers		
Faculty Rep	Becca Wulff	N
9th grade Rep	Shirley Chiu	Y - ONLINE
10th grade Rep		
11th grade Rep		
12th grade Rep		
Standing Committee Chairs		
Fundraising co-chair	Heather O'Toole	N
Fundraising co-chair	Laurissa Winner-Ohl	N
Social Media Chair	Amy Harris	N
Hospitality Chair		
Teacher Appreciation Chair	Kristin Ippolito* Krista Mendelsohn	N
PAC REP		
Parent Advisory Council (PAC) Representative	Kristin Ippolito*	

Additional Attendees: Yiu Hung Li (CTE, English, Journalism Teacher)

Additional Online Attendees: ASB Rep Erika Peoples

**Total Attendees: 10** 

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Call to Order: Kerry Murphy called the meeting to order at 6:16 PM

- Consent Agenda approved
  - A. January meeting minutes
  - B. January Financials
- II. Reports and Updates
  - A. ASB Report: Erika Peoples
    - 1. Elections for ASB: Santannah, President; Erika Peoples, VP
    - 2. They're conducting Interviews for incoming freshmen
    - 3. Prom theme is Enchanted Forest at Ventura Theatre on 4/2

## B. Staffulty Guest Report: Yiu Hung Li, CTE, English & Journalism Teacher

- 1. Program acceptances are going on now for all the academies. Everyone should have a place at FTHS.
- 2. DTech has had a record-breaking year with \$10,000 in sales. Products sold wholesale to Betty Belts, Very Ventura, Eco Green, Sea Things, Real Cheap Sports and Very Ventura. Vision to Marketplace has been very successful. Bioscience just had their Entree to Employment event, and DTech will do theirs next month. Prototype trade show will be in May in Spirito Hall all seniors participate.
- 3. Staff morale: Sad that many colleagues have left, but we feel heard this year with new principal Courtney Johnson. We're feeling hopeful.
- 4. Students are dealing with post-Covid anxiety.
- C. Staffulty Rep: Becca Wulff, Wellness Counselor absent.

**Courtney reports:** Wellness Week will be Feb. 24-28. There will be something every day including making salsa.

### D. Principal's Report: Courtney Johnson

- 1. Master schedule being made now.
- 2. Our district is in a budget shortfall: \$8.7 million budget deficit.
- 3. Next month is the board meeting when we find out which cuts will be made in certificated. Classified cuts were announced last month, and so the B-building is struggling (library media center & student store). Valerie Zeko stated that she and Othelia were both reduced 50%.
- 4. Our enrollment is up by 20 students next year, so teachers will not lose the classes that they teach. Right now, every section will run for students who want the classes.
- 5. The Wellness Center grant will allow it to remain open for one more year.

### E. Treasurer's report: Inessa Gelman

1. The Venmo account had \$2,162.50 which was transferred into our bank account - probably from fundraiser tickets.

# F. Fundraiser Report: Heather O'Toole & Laurissa Winner Ohl - absent. Kerry reports:

1. Our FTHS annual fundraiser will be Friday, Mar 7 @ Topa Topa @ 5:30. RSVP here.

- 2. Many parents have bought sponsorships for teachers to attend and so far, 57 tickets have been sold.
- 3. Donations can be stored in Courtney's office.

## G. Membership Report: Leslie Hinojosa

1. Spring Membership Drive: Only 5 people have joined PFSO since we announced the contest, and out of those, only 2 have paid (one was a teacher.) It was agreed that we need to prioritize the fundraiser and not a membership drive, so we will let it go and focus on that.

### H. PAC (Parent Advisory Committee) Rep Report: Kristin Ippolito

■ TK/K & 1st grade Inclusion Initiative

#### III. New Business:

A. AVID would like to know if we will pay for their t-shirts. \$1,350.

Kristin makes a motion to pay & Erica Mullins seconds. Motion passed.

B. Student Planners: Should PFSO pay for them?

Courtney reported that Katie Tedford ordered planners from Graphics, so money is no longer needed. They can be used for the next 2 years.

### IV. Upcoming **Events**

- A. Friday, Mar 7, 2025 Annual Fundraiser at Topa Topa Brewery
- **B.** Tues. March. 18, 2025 PFSO Meeting (always the 3rd Tuesday)
- C. Mar. 22-30 Spring Break
- D. Staffulty birthdays: Feb. 24 Kristen Pelfrey, Feb. 28 Anthony Elizarraras, March 3 Yiu Hung Li, March 3 Lisa Ayre-Smith, March 9 Mika Anderson, March 13 Steve Boyd, March 16 Courtney Johnson, March 21 Brianna Clark, March 28 Jett Clyne
- V. General Comments or Questions: none
- VI. Kerry adjourned the meeting at 7:03 PM.

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