

Mast Parent Student Teacher Association (PTSA) Membership Meeting Minutes Tuesday, Oct 10, 2023 In Person Building 77

CALL TO ORDER - 6:35pm

14 Members in attendance

Pledge of Allegiance

MAST PTSA MISSION STATEMENT

The MAST PTSA's mission is to assist the Marine Academy of Science and Technologys' faculty, staff and students in achieving their academic goals, while promoting a spirit of excellence, camaraderie and leadership.

Roll Call

Jennifer Collins, President (2025)	_X
Lisa Cordova, Vice President (2026)	absent
Rosemary Frappier, Treasurer (2026)	-X
Aimee Emerson, Corresponding (2025)	X
Kim Bracken, Recording Secretary (2024)	X

Approval of General Meeting Minutes from June 2023: all members approved (14) Approval of 2023-2024 Budget: all members approved (14)

MAST PTSA Officer's Reports

President's Report

- PTSA (approved last school year) purchased \$500 school supplies for teachers needs .
- Holiday Bake Sale is Back On! Tentative schedule is to have it after PTSA Meeting 12-6. Danielle Amey to chair committee.
- Received generous donation of Jets Football tickets + parking for a Dec game. Looking to raffle this off as an additional fundraiser.

Treasurer:

- 86% of budget goes to student expenses
- 10% hospitality, teachers
- 4.8% operating expenses
- Due to higher costs, Class trips expenses increased by 2K to \$9800
- Systems engineering requested \$700 for upcoming Dec trip
- Potentially have additional requests from other classes in the spring time

Corresponding Secretary: Aimee Emerson

- Please make sure to Join Facebook Mast Group
- Feel free to send any facebook posting requests to Aimee

Mr. Moore MAST Principal:

- Thankyou for the teachers school supplies!
- Club Day was held today, please encourage kids to sign up for clubs, it's important for college applications.
- PSAT will be held 10/18 (soph) & 25 (juniors)
- Infos sessions: 10/14, 10/26, 11/4, 11/15th
- Visit nationalmerit.org >> to see how to get scholarships for PSAT scores
- Vote Nov 7th!
- Nov 21st is TSA leadership conference

Naval Science & Teacher Liaison: Senior Chief

From Mrs. Kiser

• Creative Arts Club will be hosting coffee house on 10-20 @4:30pm.

Sophomore Class

- Campout CX due to inclement weather, hopefully this weather cooperates this weekend otherwise will try again on 27th.
- Chocolate Sales must be received by Oct 27th
- Semi Formal will be May 10th @ North Centereville Fire Hall in Hazlet

Freshman Class

Please see Class of 2027 sweatshirt flyer which will be shared with PTSA families

NJROTC

- Please ensure students have updated physicals
- Join your cadet's Naval Science classroom stream & help remind your cadet of
- opportunities and assignments.
- Congress Pallone looking for Youth Advisory council candidate
- Commander is holding CFA for all academies & JROTC scholarship
- The National Sojourners Essay Competition is on. First prize is 3K!

Important Dates

- 21 Oct -- Orienteering encourage to carpool
- 8 Nov AMI Arrive early (NLT 7:45am)
- 2 Dec Drill Meet @ Manchester HS, more information to follow with permission slips.
- 15 Dec- Naval Ball cost \$75. Time is from 5:30-10:00 pm @ Jumping Brook Country Club.

- TBD sometime in January Blue & Gold Officer info session at MAST for those cadets
- Cadets should wear uniforms for military presentation/interview never wear uniform to make money/protest/political purpose

Committee Chairperson's Reports: Updates

- 1. Spirit Wear Jill Karshmer & Jennifer Holler
- 2. Drill Team Fundraiser –
- 3. Gift Auction Dot Ginda
- 4. Hospitality Jennifer Repetti ** Looking for shadow
- 5. Membership/Toolkit/Directory Megan Hesterhagan
- 6. Paver Project Divya Kapur
- 7. Scholarship Mr. Moore
- 8. Class Coordinators
 - Class 2024 Kristen Renton
 - Class 2025 Jill Karshmar
 - Class 2026 Kelly Mason Law
 - Class 2027
- 9. Sunshine Theresa Azaceta
- 10. Website PTSA Liz Hilliard
- 11. Fishing Tournament Victoria Prodeline, Kelly Perno, & Richard Hesterhagan: looking for parent to shadow Rich
- 12. Beautification Michele Wiiliams
- 13. Holiday Bake Sale Committee: Danielle Amey

Upcoming PTSA Meetings

- o December 6, 2023, Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
- o February 7, 2024, Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
- o Meeting in March: Date TBD Based on Gift Auction timing
- o May 8, 2024, Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
- o June 5, 2024, Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm

Meeting was adjourned at 7:23pm