

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES 12/18

18 December 2024 / 7:00 PM / Zoom

- Call to Order - 7:00 by Sarah
- Officer Reports
 - Principal (Corbin)
 - Best Buddies are going to Target to help students do their annual gift shopping
 - The Leo Club members helped to decorate the YWCA
 - The Varsity Singers toured the elementary schools
 - Spirit Days are underway
 - The Winter Dance was a great success!
 - The Salvation Army Giving Tree collected several trucks of donations for needy children.
 - 1/17 is the end of the marking period and electives will change.
 - Holocaust Survivor speaker: The 7th grade teachers have asked the PTA to fund Mr. Peter Stern to come to speak to the community about his experiences sometime in January. More information to come.
 - President (Sarah)
 - December:
 - **Winter Dance** (12/13): was a great success and 437 students attended. The dance raised \$1,700.
 - January:
 - **Welcome Back Breakfast for Staff:** will be held on 1/10
 - February:
 - **Book Fair** (2/18-2/21): If you are interested in helping with the book fair, please reach out to a board member.
 - **Dodgeball tournament** (2/21): will need a committee, if anyone is interested in leading
 - March:
 - **SOUPer Bowl** (3/5-3/6): families contribute their best soups to help feed the staff during conferences. Staff votes on their favorite soups, and the winners are recognized!
 - April:
 - **Spring Dance** (4/25)
 - May:

- **Teacher Appreciation Week (5/5-5/9)**
 - **June:**
 - **End of Year Luncheon**
 - **Sarah** also asked the community if they have any suggestions for guest speakers or topics to please contact a board member. In the past we have had a representative from the Crime Victims of Chester County, a Holocaust survivor, Tech Safety.
- **Vice President 1 (Meredith):** the backpack program continues, which provides needy students with food in backpacks provided by the Coventry Pantry. Distribution is managed by the middle school counselors.
- **Vice President 2 (Kristina):** The current membership count is 115. We have a tie amongst three 7th grade homerooms for the membership drive donut party contest. A coin flip will need to choose the winner! Two students from the families who joined the PTA will be selected at random to have a pizza party with Corbin
- **Secretary (Noelle):** Minutes will be posted on the PTA website.
- **Treasurer (Jim):** The current balance will be provided at the next meeting.
- **Social Media Chair (Regina):**
 - Has been posting information about upcoming events on the PTA Webpage and on Facebook, specifically the upcoming dance and need for chaperones
- **Community Questions** - none
 - Adjourned 7:29pm - motioned by Sarah and seconded by Regina
- **Future Meeting Dates:**
 - Jan 15th
 - Feb 19th
 - Mar 19th
 - Apr 16th
 - May 21st