

Legacy Traditional School NW Tucson PTO

School Meeting Minutes

October 17, 2024 at 3:30pm

Board Members

President: Shannon Shupe

Vice President: Brittney Mahaffey

Secretary: Amber Tolman

Treasurer: Emily Wade

Co-Treasurer: Almendra Nares-Perez

Community Outreach: Kelly Dietz

Second Vice President: Peggy Fite

Teacher Liaisons: Ana Vinas, Brad Rasmussen, Kristen Freije

1. Call to Order - 3:35 PM
2. President Report – Shannon Shupe
3. Calendar of Events
 - Nov. 2 – Fall Festival (10:00am – 1:00pm) - See details below
 - Nov. 8 – Veterans' Day Breakfast - Not PTO affiliated, just announcing to get the word out 😊
 - Nov. 20 – PTO Restaurant Day – Barro's Pizza (10:30am – 10:00pm)
 - Nov. 21 - School PTO Meeting, 3:30PM, Mrs. Tache's room, also streams on the [We Love Legacy FB Group](#)
4. Mother/Son Date Night Wrap Up
 - Pictures Update - starting to get emailed out this week.
 - They will go out in batches, and hopefully all will be emailed out by the end of next week
5. Fall Festival Volunteers
 - Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to volunteer! We have has so much support already from NJHS students, teachers, and parents
 - 77% are filled, 22% are still open
 - 11 spots for set-up, inflatable monitoring, or carnival games

- 10 spots for canopies
- 11 spots for donations
- If you can donate that is great! If you can volunteer to run a booth that is the most important thing, so that when the kiddos are at the festival they can enjoy everything we have planned for the entire day
- Sign-ups are in the newsletter, and there are posts on [WeLove](#)

Class Candy Competition

- We are wrapping up our candy competition. We have received so much candy!! Thank you to all those who have contributed.
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- Tickets/Wristbands are available for pre-order
- Tickets will be available to purchase at the event. This is not a pre-sale only event. Buying tickets in advance will allow you to skip the line and go straight to having fun!
- Link to purchase tickets is available on our website: [Fall Festival Website Link](#)
- There will also be a link in the newsletter

6. PTO Spirit Store

- The PTO Spirit Store will be open again October 21st - November 15th
- The earlier you order the more likely you are to have your hoodie by Thanksgiving
- <https://behighsociety.com/collections/legacy-traditional-school>

7. Community Relations Report – Kelly Dietz

Fall Festival Sponsors

- The Fall Festival is our biggest event. It takes a ton of time and energy to organize and execute. We are so grateful for our sponsors in helping us facilitate everything we plan for the event.
- Our Sponsors:
 - Stallion Sponsors: Hamstra Cooling & Heating, Broadway In Tucson (both Legacy families)
 - Bronco Sponsors: Creco Rentals (a Legacy family)
 - Mustangs Sponsors: Delio Orthodontics, Saguaro Aquatics, i9sports
 - Foal Sponsors: Southwest Pest Control, RSL Arizona, Pillar to Post, Team Casper (also, a Legacy family)

Without them we would not be able to do nearly as much as we do! THANK YOU!!

Fall Festival Silent Auction

- If anyone has any silent auction items that they would like to donate reach out to Kelly Dietz: nwtucsonpto@legacytraditional.org
- We will be accepting donations for the next couple weeks

Fall Festival Teacher/Staff Inflatable Race

- We are holding our first ever Teacher/Staff Inflatable Race
- We have a lot of teachers signed up, but we could always use more!
- Prizes include:
 - Winner of the race: \$100 gift card to Target, unique/slightly tacky trophy, and bragging rights for the whole year
 - The grade level that gains the most donations wins a popsicle party for the entire grade level
 - It's not strenuous or difficult, it's just going to be fun.
- Parents and families can sponsor a team (grades K-6, JH, Resource, Specials, Admin). All money donated to teams stays with the team regardless of who wins the race.

Panda Express Recap & Restaurant Night Updates

- Update for what we made will be forthcoming
- There were long lines so that's a good sign. Thank you to everyone who came out to support

VIP Parking Spot

- Bid on November's spot by October 31
- You get the spot right by the front gate/crosswalk
- Turkey Trot and Veteran's day is coming up, this would be a good time to bid on the VIP parking spot
- Veteran's Day (not a PTO affiliated event) is a wonderful event, with a special flag ceremony, and breakfast afterwards for veterans and their families/friends. Bring your parent, grandparent, extended family, neighbor, friend, etc.

8. Treasurer Report – Emily Wade/Almendra Nares-Perez
Current Balance: \$20,256. 83

9. NJHS/StuCo Updates

- NJHS: Quarterly Pop-Tab donations came in at 52 lbs. Please continue to donate pop tabs throughout the year, it is for a very important cause
- Elementary STUCO: They will be collecting donations for PACC through the end of the quarter. Send your donations directly to your child's classroom and STUCO will pick those items up for you. See the flier for it on We Love and the weekly newsletter
- Turkey Trot:
 - Will be on a Monday, November 25th this year.
 - Students need to stay in uniform, but can dress up with fun turkey/thanksgiving accessories.
 - Parents are welcome to dress up too, and come cheer the student on!
 - More details to come soon

10. Administration - Nothing to report. Thank you to the PTO for everything they do for our campus!

11. Questions/Suggestions - none

12. Adjournment - 3:49 PM

Attendance

Amber Tolman

Kelly Dietz

Shannon Shupe

Brittney Mahaffey

Almendra Nares-Perez

Pamela Lee

Ana Vinas

Alex Grijalva