

Apex High School PTSA General Meeting

Media Center

October 9, 2023 7 pm

Call to order – Sign attendance – Welcome

Approval of Minutes

- Approved

President Action Items

- Temporarily need someone to handle memberships:
 - Shiflett accepted this role
- \$314.08 for staff senior shirts - approved to come out of President's discretionary fund
- Date for spring campus beautification- Principal recommends before Spring Break but will check with Mr. Clark.
- Team to start thinking about the Treasurer for 2024-2025 school year. This will be Sinead's last year as Treasurer; helpful to shadow/train with Sinead before then. (Michelle Rieber is a possible interested person for the role; has great experience. Sinead says the role takes 1.5 to 2 hours per month.)


Treasurer's Report from the Audit

- [Scanned report](#)
- Check requests at times were missing, need to have check requests and receipts
- All but one check was signed with two signatures
- Anything from Square is not distinguished as *Membership*
- We need to figure out a way to allocate Membership versus Spirit funds
- Access to Square so that the Treasurer can run a report
- Check not cashed
- Corporate donations
- Fundraisers
- Spirit
- Membership dues
- Ten teachers who have asked for reimbursement for Delta Math; joined PTSA
- Sent a teacher to a conference
- Two more Delta Math
- Journalism: Mics
- CTE
- Garden teacher grant
- Grant for hospitality
- Promotional Partners
- Shelter 2.0 asked for 3000, we gave a 100 and 500 dollars plus a match
- Pictures
- **Update from Administration**
 - Expressed appreciation for the teacher lunch

- Weebly website needs help
- Staff members in running for big awards: Dance teacher, one teacher for APSF Peak Award
- 900 teachers were nominated across the county, vigorous process, Dance teacher is one of 9
- Game update on Football Player injury
- WRAL reported best atmosphere at the Backyard Brawl
- Staffing: loss of 2 (teacher and assistant principal)
- **Committee Reports**
 - Cougar Notes: Tammy Feingertz is new chair
 - Website: Sinead's husband has volunteered to update the site
 - Spirit Nights funds: 84 from Kona Ice, 24.61 from Goodberries, 78.00 Panera
 - October 19th BBQ event
 - Link and caption edit on the FB page to show the 15th is deadline to order
 - More spirit nights coming
 - Will do the auction and the car wash in the Spring
 - Title car wash
 - Membership: Automated list of emails needed from MemberHub needed; larger PTSA team expressed interest in receiving emails with Agenda.
 - Academic Emphasis:
 - Certificates being printed right now
 - Cougar class will get the update
 - Food Pantry:
 - Need volunteers: Brandi, Krista, Jenn, Carissa and others
 - Filling 20+ bags weekly: covers three meals
 - FNR numbers
 - Amazon list is put together and going out in newsletter
 - Put in agenda for donations
 - Mrs. Hoffman will add to her newsletter
 - Hospitality and Teacher Appreciation:
 - Had a lunch today
 - Chili cook-off in November
 - Custodians, Cafeteria recognized
 - Reflections: Absent
 - Spirit Wear: Filling in orders for merchandise, sweatshirts print not so great, 400 dollar credit.
 - School Improvement Committee:
 - Bright Futures:
 - In the middle of tutoring
 - 40 students are in the program
 - Lots of open spots for tutoring
 - Upcoming job panel: Lowe's Foods, ToA, Chic file

- Looking at Jan: Making the most of college visits
- March: Making the summer count

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- Class Parents
 - Seniors: T-shirt approval, will request a check
- Old Business: Making Bright Futures an actual committee.
- New Business:
 - Dance team donation-how to help?
 - Donors cannot donate to a program through PTA because those programs are not nonprofits.
 - Dance costumes donation via a 10,000 grant.
 - President motion: Restricted fund and grant to dance team?
 - Official vote to approve
- Adjournment: 8:20
-  AHS PTSA meeting dates 23-24