

PTSA Meeting Minutes

November 17, 2010

Student Report: No student report

VP for Programs (Susan Sather):

- Susan thanked Lisa Ehrhardt for conducting the Diversity Workshop at this PTSA meeting.
- The Guidance Department will make a presentation on special services at the January 19, 2011 PTSA meeting.
- Susan will conduct an interest survey for programs in the spring.

Minutes of October 13, 2010 meeting: Reviewed and approved with one minor change – “Freshman newsletter” should be changed to “Freshman KIT.”

President’s report (Joan Burkart):

- Joan thanked academic boosters for all their efforts in the past month:
 - Trish Smith for the advertisements in the student directory
 - Joy Poole for putting the directory together
 - Joan Lynch for coordinating the Academic Awards ceremony
 - Kim Shoop for her work with the college essay workshops
- Joan thanked those who helped with the vision and hearing screening
- Joan thanked Susan Sather for bringing in the refreshments to the PTSA meeting.
- Volunteers are needed for touch-base day. So far 10 parents have volunteered. A signup sheet was circulated.
- Joan circulated a clipboard listing some upcoming community events:
 - Generation Mobile Forum on Cyber bullying, Sexting, texting while driving, etc. will be conducted in December. Details will be posted in KIT.
 - The Coat Closet (program operated by Reston Interfaith) needs volunteers and donations.

Treasurer’s report (Jody Wolfe): The PTSA income to date for this academic year is \$15,941 which exceeds our goal by \$2,541. Jody requested that the budget for credit card fees be increased.

VP for Communication (Maureen Becker):

- Next PTSA newsletter will be in January 2011. All material for the newsletter should be delivered by December 20, 2010.

Academic Boosters (Kim Shoop):

- December 10 is honor roll breakfast
- December 13 is the last college application essay workshop.

ANGP (Micki Moravitz): Micki requested help setting up the ANGP paypal account. She said that the Poinsettia orders will be available for pickup on December 6 from 3-6 pm in the school.

New Business: Motion to move \$200 from reserve to credit card fees was passed unanimously.

Principal’s Report (Bruce Butler): Mr. Butler presented a slide show of various activities in the school including the successful fall sports programs and academic activities.

Upcoming dates

- Nov. 24 (2 hr. early dismissal) – 28: Thanksgiving Holiday
- Dec. 2: Touch Base (volunteers needed) meet at 7:00am
- Dec. 3: ANGP Poinsettia Pick Up
- Dec. 10: Honor Roll breakfast (volunteers and donations needed)
- Dec. 20: Newsletter Articles Due (mid Jan-Feb)
- Dec. 23 – Dec. 31: Winter Holiday
- Jan. 17 Martin Luther King Day Holiday
- Jan. 19: PTSA meeting 7:00pm in Library/Media Center