**PAA**

**MEETING​ ​MINUTES**

**​2021-2022​ ​PTSO​ ​Meeting,​ 10/27/2021**

Board​ ​and​ ​Committee​ ​Members​ ​Present: Meredith Burns, President; Daisy Haffner, Vice-President; Lesley Reid, Secretary; and Tara Klein, Treasurer

* Kate Dudonis, Apparel Co-Chair
* Sandra Homoki, Apparel Co-Chair
* Melissa Grinwald, Food Service Chair
* Darcie King, Gift Auction Chair

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Meeting Called to Order by Meredith Burns at 7:06 pm and seconded by Melissa Grinwald.

Pledge of Allegiance

1. President’s Report:

* Thank you to Mrs. Meeker and Mrs. Santasieri for the Halloween dance.
* Thank you from our school nurse Mrs. Haber for the clothing donations.
* Need Senior Parents to volunteer on the 22nd of every month to surprise the students.

1. Treasurer:

* Previous balance $8,390.67
* Debits – Vocalist Guest Artist Assistance $550.00
* Credits - $135.00 Membership fees; $115.00 Tupperware Sale.
* Current balance $8,090.67
* New Fundraiser – Bus trip to NYC to see Dear Evan Hansen, 1/23/22 6:30pm.

56 seats $129 each.

1. Apparel:

* Hold three order sales per year (Fall, Holidays, and Spring). No returns or exchanges. Orders are delivered to the students. 100% of the proceeds goes towards scholarships, guest fees, and senior trip.
* Holiday Sale starts 11/1 – 11/14, offering an exclusive limited time collegiate design.

Order pick up will be 12/18 or 12/19 in the school parking lot.

* There will be a table at MacBeth with magnets and socks for purchase.

1. Gift Auction:

* Donations are welcomed and accepted at any time.
* Anyone who would like to volunteer or donate please contact Darcie King at [paagiftauction@gmail.com](mailto:paagiftauction@gmail.com). We are looking for a team of volunteers to decorate and a team to wrap baskets.
* Auction will be Red Carpet Broadway theme.
* Tentative dates for auction are 5/14 or 5/21 in the school parking lot and admin. will look into having food trucks at auction.
* First few rows of parking lot will be blocked off for chairs.

1. Funding Raising:

* Crumb cake sale ends 11/8 with delivery on 11/22 & 11/23 2pm to 4pm.
* Crumb cakes are made fresh to order. The PTSO will receive 50% of $10.00 cost.
* Clothing drive – PTSO can provide a receipt for your donation. Please put shoes in a separate bag.
* Amazon smiles. Click on PAA at purchase to get a donation from Amazon purchase.

1. Food Service:

* Please send payments for food service in to Mr Ciccotelli for MacBeth food service.
* The PTSO will provide lunch 11/13 and dinners on 11/15, 11/16, 11/17 & 11/20.
* Sign up Genius is open to parents for drink and snack donations.

1. New Business:

* Holiday Giving tree for the Teachers will be online this year.
* MacBeth Ornaments on sale for $10 via the PAA Parents Facebook page.
* BBP will be selling BBP masks black with Bruce the chicken logo.

1. From Mrs. Meeker:

* Halloween Dance was a success. There are pictures and videos on the PAA website.
* Looking into hosting an Open Mic night at a coffee house with smaller groups of students during the winter months.
* Also looking into having more social occasions.
* The NHS made ribbons for Breast Cancer awareness and the whole school wore pink.
* Map project for social and emotional health will host a presentation for parents and students. Date TBD.
* The Junior and Senior dancers went to Georgian Court for a trip.
* Spirit Week for Seniors was this week.
* The yearbook committee will be excepting pictures for the yearbook. Please send to [gpaayearbook@gmail.com](mailto:gpaayearbook@gmail.com)
* Please check morning announcements and our website daily.

1. From Mr. Ciccotelli:

* 76 students in the cast and crew of MacBeth.
* Our PTSO supports MacBeth, food service, fundraising and giving back to our students so please support them.

Next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, November 17, 2021.

Third Wednesday of every month.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 pm and seconded by Pam East.