

PTSA General Meeting
Sept 11, 2019, Brighton Rm 217

Attendance: Tricia Hoggan, Katie Tatton, Sybrina Ely, Mary Clark, Lois Kristensen, Hilary Ripley, Amy Church, Tanya Segura, Robin Tenbrick, Stacie Skelton, Celeste King, Melissa Hallenbeck

Welcome/Thought

Katie Tatton

Approval of Agenda

Tricia Hoggan

Agenda was approved with the additions to Treasurer's Report to discuss obtaining signatures for Ethics and Conflict statements and Passing around a sheet to obtain current board member contact information.

Treasurer's Report

Sybrina Ely

Budget Approval- The budget was passed around the room for approval. Hilary Ripley requested her budget of the student board be increased from \$800 to \$1500 to provide lunches for students who attend the PTSA Student Board Meeting. This motion was made by Hilary Ripley and 2nd by Melissa Hallenbeck and passed unanimously with a verbal vote. The motion was then made to approve the budget as amended, 2nd and passed unanimously by verbal vote.

Donation Report- As of Sept 6th the PTSA had received \$5,049.30 in donations and approximately \$2792 in apparel sales.

Financial Business- there was no additional financial business

President's Report

Katie Tatton

Volunteer Application

<https://foundation.canyonsdistrict.org/index.php/volunteer>

PTSA were instructed that they needed to fill out the application for Canyons School District to be able to participate

Volunteer Hours Tracking

<https://volunteer.canyonsdistrict.org/volunteersystem/#!/login/volunteer>

Members were encouraged to track volunteer hours per above website.

MemberHub info- there is a meeting regarding Member Hub on Friday 9/13 for anyone wishing to attend with Katie.

Additional discussion points-

- Additional discussion points were to place this PTSA meeting on the school calendar so more members would be aware of its time and place.
- Stock a "goodie" fridge and cupboard for teachers as various times during the year so teachers had access to a treat if desired. This was deemed as a good idea and will be done at the same time as PTC dinners are provided, as long as there are funds available in the PTC meals budget.

Administration Report

Robin Tenbrick

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Administration had nothing to report. Ms. Tenbrink stated she was excited to be the new representative and was happy to be here.

A discussion ensued regarding providing food for Kandi the Hall monitor to be able to give to students who she knew were not eating enough at home. The discussion was to utilize the food in the Principal's Pantry 1st rather than use PTSA funds at this time. Ms. Tenbrink with discuss this with Kandi.

Teacher Report

Celeste King

Ms King expressed her excitement at being the teacher representative but did not have any additional items to discuss. She then excused herself to return to a student appointment.

Student Board VP Report

Hilary Ripley

First Meeting, Officer Election, Remind- 49 students signed up during Club Rush. Discussed creating a Remind group to notify these students and the ones who joined PTSA during registration about meetings and events. Ms Ripley also plans to have election of officers quickly so the student board can be active participants in their own activities. Their first two meetings will be held Sept. 18 and Oct. 16.

Red Ribbon Week-Discussion was had regarding Red Ribbon Week. Ideas Ideas were to:

- Move it out of October
- Have the group Music makes Music come and perform. Hilary Ripley will check to see their availability. This might prove difficult in light of the current construction of the school.
- Repeat an AntiVaping night.
 - Administration expressed this a focus of theirs also
 - Might be better attended and received if done in conjunction with PTC and on a shorter scale
 - Might be better attended due to the current issues in the news regarding Vaping and related illness.
 - Kate and Ms Tenbrink with follow up with each other so PTSA and Administration complement each other.

Spirit Nights- Ms. Ripley expressed her plate is getting very full quickly and it is becoming difficult for her to take on Spirit Nights. The discussion was whether Spirit Nights are beneficial and they were deemed to be of marginal benefit and not really worth the effort.

Commissioner Reports

Reflections

Tanya Segura

Tanya Segura gave an update on how she is presenting Reflections to the school. She is providing posters to teachers who teach subjects that include the reflections categories. She also discussed sending out a Peach Jar flyer.

Due date for entries is Oct 15th. A discussion was had about where to have entries turned in. Ms Segura will contact the office and the library to see if either location is suitable.

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She also expressed a need for judges. She will contact the Art Council to see if anyone is interested in this opportunity.

PTC Dinners

Amy Church

They are good to go. The cafeteria needs to be reserved and Ms. Tenbrick will take care of that. The menu is sandwiches and salads and will start at 2:30 pm.

Membership Report

Lois Kristensen, Joy Prince

There are approximately 574 parents/student members, 0 administration, & 30 teacher members. Ms. Kristensen plans to have a staff drawing again in Nov for those who are members.

Apparel Sales

Hilary Ripley

Dates/Events <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4aa8af2cabf49-apparel>

Sales are going well, especially T-Shirts. The group agreed that as the weather gets colder the sweatshirts sales should also improve.

There was a discussion regarding placing an additional order. SLCC will keep our screens until late October. The decision was to decide on another order at the next meeting.

There was a discussion on how to provide additional sales. Plans were made to place a table at PTC & place a mention in the Bengal Bulletin.

Bengal Bash

Naomi Stroud

Bengal Bash will be headed by Naomi Stroud who is the parent of the Senior Class president. She will create her own committee, plan and execute the event.

A Discussion has had about the appropriateness of the PTSA being in charge of this event. Concerns were raised that it only benefits Seniors and not the entire student body. It was explained that the Administration deemed this event needed to be placed under the PTSA's care but could be planned and executed with an independent committee. If PTSA did not sponsor this event it would no longer be held at Brighton High School. Those present stated their understanding and support of this.

Upcoming Dates & Events:

Sept 13 7:00 Varsity Football Game (Sales = _____, _____)
Sept 17 6:00 Varsity Volleyball Game
Sept 25 7:00 pm Girls Flag Football Game
Sept 26 7:30 pm Burning of the B
Sept 27 6:30 pm Homecoming chalk fest
7:00 pm Varsity football game (Sales=Katie, _____)
Sept 21 No school
Oct 3 PTC
Oct 9 **12:30 PTSA Board Meeting**
Oct 15 9:00- 1:00 PTA Advocacy Conference
Oct 16 7:00 pm Varsity Football Game (Sales= Anita, Jen C)
Oct 17-18 No school Fall Break
Oct 23-31 Red Ribbon Week
Oct 23 5:30 College and Career Night
Oct 29 7:00 Varsity Volleyball Game (Sales= Jen, _____)