

FHS PTO Meeting Minutes
October 5, 2017

- Call to order at 6:38 PM.
- Special Guest- FISH Superintendent Thad Roher-
 - Really wants to find the best way to connect with FISH parents on a digital level.
 - Wednesday he is on campuses across the district.
 - Once a month there is a Mustang Minute video covering different topics.
 - PTO and parent involvement is directly linked to student achievement.
 - 458 students in the district are currently displaced due to Harvey.
 - 409 FISH employees were also affected.
 - Six students left the district and we gained eight.

- Campus Reports-

Mark Griffon Message (by Liz King)-

- PSAT is on 10/11/2017; students participating should be in their seats by 8:40 AM. Students not participating will report to campus at 12:40 PM.
- FHS was recognized by NFHS as a National Performing Arts School of Excellence.
- The home game on 10/13/2017 will have a patriotic half time celebration.
- The Homecoming parade will be on 10/19/2017 at 6:30 PM.
- 10/25/2017 will be photo retakes.
- Josh Och is a special guest speaker that will be at FJH hosting a presentation on digital safety for children.

Liz King- (Faculty Liaison)

- 122 of the faculty are PTO members.
- Online or in-store Barnes and Noble Book Fair on 10/9 from 5 to 7 pm. Twenty percent of the proceeds will go to library. The book fair ID is # 12224135. Ten percent of online sales from 10/9 to 10/14 will go to the library.
- Secretary's Report- *Erin Whittington*- Voted to approve the September minutes with amendments. Pamela Fridye made a motion and it seconded by Liz King. Passed.
- Treasurer's Report- *Susan Keeble*- a motion made by Liz King and seconded by Pamela Fridye to approve the September Financial Report. Passed.

- Committee Reports-
 1. Fundraising/Merchandising- *Rose Presley*- we will have a Dickey's Spirit Night on the second Tuesday of every month from 4 to 7. Ongoing Sonic Fundraiser is Thursday morning till 10 AM.
 2. Hospitality- *Dawn Barta*- Need volunteers to handle specific events. *Hillary Rosenthal* will do Science Fair.
 3. Webmaster- *Jackie Gibson*- In need of a Facebook page manager.
 4. Membership- *Kim Foster*- To date there are 122 teacher PTO members and 277 parents members.
 5. Volunteers- *Paige Neumeyer* is the new coordinator.
 6. Mustang Cares Committee/Student Success- *Liz King*- Created a faculty request form. The Science Department won a breakfast for having 100% PTO participation. Need to put four baskets together for the Alumnae at Homecoming. A student is in need of a bed.
 7. Academic Banquet- *Rose Presley* – Will kick off in the new year, *Hillary Rosenthal* will be shadowing this year.
 8. Behind the Scenes- Open.
 9. Scholarships- *Cynthia Schexnaider*- must be in by 03/29/2018. The three types of scholarships are PTO, Future Educator and Faculty.

- New Business-
 - The auctioned parking spots were won by the same student.
 - College Fair Night will be 11/14/2017 at Turner College and Career High School in Pearland from 6 to 8 PM. CCISD is having their college night on 11/15/2017 at Bayside Intermediate.

Adjournment- Motion was made by Hillary Rosenthal and seconded by Shelia Askeland at approximately 7:55 PM.