

Thursday, September 7, 2023

FHS PTO Meeting Minutes

In attendance

Amber Pugsley, Dene Dexter, Libby Sims, Aimee Reyes, Maria Karg, Shawna Lewis, Mark Griffon, Jennifer Rich, Holly Chari, Tracey Ruano, Paige Neumeyer, Kristin Westerfield, Kelly Cochran, Stacy Condon, Deb Rubio, Christy Conrad

Call to order at 11:45am

Campus Reports: Mr. Griffon

- Construction update - working on auditorium/PAC, band is moving in November to wrangerlettes dance area; wrangerlettes moving to girls gym
 - Open house will be virtual this year, 9/18, links posted on canvas and access at their convenience
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Guest Speaker: JT Patton, FISD Executive Director of Safety and Operations

- Safety protocols training
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Committee Reports

- Fundraising - Auction recap, Kelly taking care of parking spots signs, etc. Corporate sponsors/donations are down either not responding or are donating less. There is a sponsorship form online.
 - Sprit night with Chic-Fil-A; will announce the date
 - Thanksgiving/Christmas - idea to partner with a company for turkeys or pies, wreaths/Christmas tree farm in Alvin, Camps Christmas tree farm
- Merchandising - Dana and Christy, Under the Oaks recap
- Hospitality - Maria and Tracey, Back to school breakfast recap
- Faculty Birthdays - Jennifer Rich

- FHS Cares - Holly

Old Business

- Registration/Under the Oaks
- Community Sponsorships
- Memberships - Student families and staff

New Business

- Professional Learning Days - do a treat for teachers on this day maybe in conjunction with the new connections committee.
- Small teacher workroom
- FHS Open House
- Boo grams/Spring Candy grams - Oct. 26 and April 10; \$35-\$40 per class
- Veterans Day
- Academic Banquet - need a parent volunteer to head this committee
- Connections Committee - formed this summer and consists of two teachers, their idea is to concentrate on morale and that in turn gets other things going. Hoping to engage new and older staff at campus events throughout the year. Idea to stock the fridges once a year with drinks and want help getting donations and passing things out.
- Changing the meeting time to accommodate Mrs. Lewis. In agreement to move the meeting to 12:30. Amber will confirm with Mr. Griffon.
- Zoom meeting: will discontinue due to low online attendance.

Upcoming Dates

- 9/8: Home game (pink out)
- 9/15: Away game (Construction/Neon)
- 9/18: Professional Learning Day, no school
- 9/22: Away game (animal print)
- 10/5: October PTO meeting