



Minutes LRHS PTSA Board Meeting 12-14-15

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In attendance: Tama Blackburn, A.J. Mutillo, Charmane Dail, Caroline Rohs, Tina Subasic

Call to Order: 6:34

Welcome and approval of minutes-Minutes from the November Board Meeting were approved with a motion by Charmane Dail and second by Tama Blackburn.

Principal's Report:

- School Improvement Quarterly review is showing improvements
- Tours given twice a month and are typically full; therefor transferring to LRHS as a non-base school may not be as easy in the future
- Projected enrollment for next year is 2659
- Looking into redesigning some of our educational spaces by removing some of the locker bays and adding groups of tables and chairs for varied collaborative learning environments. Can be used at smart lunch and during classes. District will match up to \$10k
- Smart lunch attendance is good-better than last year.

President's Report:

- Teacher of the Year: Dr Mark Mash; PTSA to cover tickets to event as well as \$150 – 200 for a gift and celebration at school
- January 26 GM, 6:30pm: college/college prep focus
 - Welcome and short business report (5 – 10 min)
 - A+ Test Prep to speak about the ACT/SAT prep courses taught after hours at LRHS (10 – 15 min)
 - Miles Costin, American College Planning Foundation (40 min) presentation on college financial planning
 - College fair – 21 signed up; Ms Canada is coordinating; Holly working with her on set up in cafeteria.
 - <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080b45abad28a13-leesville>
 - Location: auditorium for presentations; cafeteria for college fair
 - Leader (Stephanie) to coordinate with speakers; request equipment; publicize event; have water available for speakers and college reps

Treasurer's Report:

- Tama provided a financial report and there were no questions.
- Funded matching donation for Ms. Dawson for magazines (with Gates Foundation)

Caroline Rohs-Secretary:

- Spring calendar to be distributed via email

VP Programs/Advocacy- Stephanie King

- Student college panel-December 15, 6:30-8:00

VP Staff/School support-Cyndy Yu-Robinson-reported by Tina Subasic

- November 10-Coffee Cart was a success.
- November 24 will be Thanksgiving Pie Day for staff
- December 17 will be cookie swap and Cocoa bar for staff
- December 18 there will not be an early release lunch
- March 15 is the Blood Drive

Charmane Dail-Ways and Means:

- a new item- ¼ zip rain jacket
- \$14K in deposits
- Need to accept checks because of sales volume
- Charmane would like to have a rolling cart to use for smaller sales events so that all merchandise does not have to be brought out of storage room. She has gotten one donated from LES.
- Dr. Muttillio noted that he has not received an update on membership recently.

Kathy Culbreth-Academic Boosters:

- PVSA-ceremony Dec 9
- PTSA Scholarship announcements will go out in February for applicants; Mr. Greene will coordinate with Kathy

Cyndy Yu-Robinson-Hospitality-reported by Tina Subasic

- December 17 – Cookies and Cocoa for Staff - Cookies should be dropped off by 7:00 on Thursday AM.
- December 18 early release - no lunch
- Jan 8 - PTSA members only lunch for staff at 11:50 in breezeway by Middle School (Caroline reporting)
- Jan 15 - Early Release- Serve lunch to staff
- Spring Coffee Cart-March 8 or 9.

Adjourn: 7:41

Upcoming dates:

Dec 15 - Student College Panel

Dec 15 and 18 – Spirit wear sales at basketball games

Dec 17 - cookies for staff

Jan 11 Board meeting; 6:30pm

Jan 26 General Meeting; College prep night

Feb 1 Board meeting, 6:30pm

Minutes submitted by: Caroline Rohs