

PTSO MEETING DECEMBER

19 DECEMBER 2024 / 7:00 PM / ZOOM

ATTENDEES

Meeghan Campbell, Anne Drake, Kirsten Hensley, Marieka Kaye, Elizabeth Martin, Angela Newing

AGENDA

Agenda can be viewed here:

[PTSO Meeting Agenda- December 2024](#)

MINUTES

- **Call to order**, Meeghan Campbell
 - The Board approved the October and November Minutes:
 - [PTSO MEETING MINUTES 10/17/2024](#) and
 - [PTSO MEETING MINUTES 11/21/2024](#)
- **Principal's Report**, Angela Newing
 - Important dates shared:
 - 12/20 PBIS Rewards Day - fun day for students before the break
 - Teachers really appreciated the treats this week
 - December is Music Month and concerts went well
 - After break NWEA, mid-year testing
 - 12/23-1/3 winter break
- **Treasurer's Report**, Amy Thudium will update in January; Kirsten and Meeghan gave the following updates:
 - \$320 earned for Spirit Wear, 122 items sold
 - \$699.20 was earned for Pop Can Drive
 - \$10 gift cards for teachers? We have about \$360 left from the winter teacher

- appreciation fundraising
- Ms. Newing said they love potlucks
- Do something like a potluck before mid-winter break, or a pizza/salad party - we could make another donation request (Valentine's themed) to cover the remainder of costs for a meal like this (we need about \$700-800 for a meal and we have \$360 already)
- Robotics Club Treasurer's Report, Kirsten Hensley
 - Normal Robotics season is done
 - Spring - there will be an 8th grade group starting
- PTOC Update, Liz Martin
 - Next meeting is in January
- **Group Discussion**, Meeghan Campbell discussed ideas for fundraising and bringing in more revenue; Dine Out and Fun Night updates were shared.
 - Band teacher requested \$100 for recording the winter concert
 - Let the band teacher know she can use her \$50 teacher grant towards filming if she hasn't used it for anything else yet
 - Include Amy to see if there's money for the remainder during the January meeting (concert is on Jan. 30)
 - Alyson was organizing a fundraising night at Schuler's Books for February but was not in attendance at the meeting; Meeghan will get an update
 - Fun Night date change? Check if we can do the event on January 24 - the DJs said they were available that day, so we'll check if they still are; if not, Liz could ask a DJ she knows if he would be interested
 - Basketball concessions - hold off unless we can find a volunteer; boys' games begin in late Jan-Feb
 - Liz said she may be able to do something if her son makes the team
 - Keep a spontaneous sledding event in mind

- Send a heads up message that something might happen depending on the forecast the day before
- The PTSO still needs positions to be filled; Marieka will write an email to share with all families to get more attention.
 - Fundraising Coordinator
 - Communications Chair
 - Programs Chair
 - Teacher and Staff Appreciation Chair (Kelly MacArthur expressed interest in helping with this)
 - Teacher Grants Chair
 - Members-at-Large
- **Next Meeting**
 - January, Virtual Meeting, 7pm ([Link](#))
- **Meeting adjourned at 7:48pm**