

Minutes
PTSA 5/1/2019

In Attendance -- Dennis Bryant, Julie Campbell, Jim Gaskell, Lesley Cross, Kate Weber, Aimee Wellegies, Greg Garris, Caitlin Christel, Diane Smullen, Mara Sydnor.

Meeting Called To Order -- 7:05 p.m. by Lesley Cross

Secretary -- Mara Sydnor -- April Minutes approved, Slate approved.

President's Report given by Lesley Cross

Most positions filled for next year: Dennis Bryant President; Allison English concessions; PTAC Council, Dennis Bryant; Diane Smullen, Treasurer; Julie and Denise, Co-Vice Presidents; Jeannie Jeffers, Staff Appreciation; Lesley Cross, Secretary Positions not filled -- Box Tops, Dance, Cardinal Day. Email sent out by Dennis asking for volunteers to fill these positions.

Reflections -- low participation. May discontinue.

Co-Vice Presidents -- Dennis Bryant and Amy Wellejus

Cardinal Flight Day have a sign up sheet for Birthday Package.

Concessions have potential to bring in more money. Box tops suggested to go to a school in our district.

Other -- Raise price of membership directory to \$12; highlight at Cardinal Flight day, create an online form. Concessions have the potential to bring in more money. Require that each parent whose child is on the basketball or volleyball team required to volunteer at concessions and at ticket admission. Highlight Spiritwear at Cardinal Flight. Online Auction very successful (doubled in revenue) due to advertising on website, emails, etc. Promote Squares at concessions.

End of May receipts have to be turned in. August vote on budget for 2019/2020.

Showcase night combine with curriculum night. Need better communication to parents to increase attendance. Students write a letter to their parents informing them about what to expect. Can be done anytime throughout the year.

Suggested meeting for new board members.

6th grade camp needs more money for buses. Need \$1,000. Should be separate line item in budget.

May not continue Cardinal Day. Summer clean-up crew did grounds last fall.

Suggestion to have less frequent PTSO meetings to increase attendance.

Principal's Report -- Jim Gaskill

Schedule pick up day and evening sessions recommended.

End of year activities: May 17: 8th grade Darby River Kayaking trip; May 21, All day pool day. Back at school at 2:30 for yearbook distribution and signing, spring sports recognition; dance. May 22, All A's celebration, 8th grade awards, talent show.

Introduced new principal Greg Garris. He has been the assistant principal at Thomas Worthington High School for the past 4 years. He was a math teacher and coach of multiple sports at TWHS before moving into administration. As a K-12 student, Greg went to Slate Hill., Worthingway Middle School and TWHS. Greg's wife Melissa is a teacher at Worthington Hills Elementary,

Meeting adjourned at 7:55