



PTSO Meeting Notes
August 21, 2018

Call to order: Jamie Tran, 12:30 PM

Mr. Willets

Statistics: Currently 1451 kids enrolled. 7% growth from last year. 300 new families.

Security:

- PBMS is operating on a single point entry policy. Only one way in and out of the building.
- There will be a key pad installed for students to get in and out of the portables and inside from the sports field.
- Classroom doors are all locked.
- All staff is trained in emergencies.
- Goal is to have blood trauma kits in all classrooms. (For controlling bleeding in the event of an emergency situation).
- There is now an armed security guard on campus and the area resource officer has his office at Pacetti Bay.
- There will be safety and security videos and training with all students. These videos will show students how to stay safe and respond in the event of an emergency.
 - Parents are encouraged to talk with their children and answer questions after the safety training.
- If you are not a registered and approved volunteer, you will not be allowed past the front entrance. No exceptions.
- Parents need to turn in the packets with emergency information.

Upcoming Events:

- 8th Grade DC Trip open for registration. Trip is Jan 13-18
- NY trip through the theatre department will be announced within the next week
- Volleyball tryouts are Aug 21 & 23

PTSO: Help support day to day activities. Gives a voice for the culture of the school. Leaders of communications and activities.

SAC: Handle the inner workings of the school relating to academics, character, development and support.

- All Means All: Academics
- School Culture (PLC Process) How we make kids successful
- School Support- How we implement curriculum, PTSO support

- SAC Meetings every 3rd Wednesday of the month from 2:30 to 3:30

Homecoming Event:

- Just after school during the football game at Pacetti. Students only.
- Food Trucks, Inflatables, DJ
- 400-500 kids turnout
- Security will be present

Open House: September 5 & 6

- Parents will walk their child's bell schedule
- School will answer questions about HAC, Schoology
- New bullying app may be ready to be announced at open house
- PTSO to sell spiritwear & membership drive

6th Grade Dance: September 28th 2:00 – 4:00

- DJ was approved by Mr. Willets

Treasury: Tara Therre

- Review of current balance, pending deposits and Spiritwear proceeds.
- Review of forms and cash envelopes to be used for events along with process
- Review of form for reimbursement requests and process

Fundraising: Jamie Tran

- **Spirit Nights:** We have monthly community sponsors hosting spirit nights. Goal of \$200-\$300 per event. Bruster's kick off with Mr. Willets scooping!
- **Business Partners:** 7 confirmed business partners. 3 pending (We had a new partner join at the meeting!)
- **Spirit Wear:** White V-Neck cotton Tee to be added for Open House sales. Sales will be ongoing. We may have a special homecoming tee available for pre-orders only.
- **Box Tops:** Last year we made \$670. Goal is to double profit this year. We will have 3 collections this year. Looking at additional ways we can earn the Box Tops money besides clipping. May be able to use HS volunteers for volunteer hours to help clip (pizza clipping party).
- **Cookie Dough and catalog sales:** Tentatively set for October 8-18. Incentives for kids to participate and to sell. Catalog items will be available for online ordering.

Teacher Appreciation: Tara Therre

- We will begin collecting items immediately.
- 140 staff members
- Give small monthly token of appreciation for teachers

Communications: Caitlin Gallagher

- All activities, upcoming try-outs, fundraisers, events or other information useful to our parent community should be emailed to: pacettibayptso@gmail.com Caitlin will post these items on Facebook and we will request that they are added to the PTSO tab.