



## UES PTA Meeting Agenda

Thursday October 6, 2022 6:30pm UES Cafeteria

1. Welcome
  - a. President's Remarks
    - Reena welcomed and thanked all for coming
    - mentioned we'd like PTA membership at 100%. All students will benefit from this (money goes to assemblies, field trips, etc)
2. Guest Speaker – FCPS Librarian at Urbana – Courtney Ward
  - a. Talked about student success cards – All kids who are in FCPS automatically have these cards. Students will need their id (119829 + their student ID #)
  - b. Students can take out 3 educational items at 1 time
  - c. Courtney mentioned Brainfuse through the library which includes free virtual tutoring, chats, quizzes, etc. for k-12<sup>th</sup>. Available in English and Spanish.
  - d. Students can get an ID card from library with their parent with them for ID
  - e. Library is beginning to start Stem programs, Story nights, library Adventure Night, etc.
3. Booster-thon/Fun Run
  - a. Talked about Friday Oct 7<sup>th</sup> fun run.
4. PTA/Staff link
  - a. Amy talked about supporting teachers by sending requests to the front office.
  - b. Donations should be for the school not specifically a grade.
  - c. Teachers can have wish-lists for their class (for Clorox wipes, inside games, Kleenex, etc)
5. Fitness Night
  - a. PTA is supporting the gym teachers for a fitness night
  - b. Will include 20 min. each session and rotating through different fitness centers
  - c. Date will be announced as soon as confirmed
6. Treasures Report
  - a. Currently going through Audit – reminded that it happens every year
7. Q/A with Parents
  - a. Parent directory in the works with volunteers helping
  - b. Parent mentioned about starting plays here at UES. Principal Hilliard and Reena mentioned we need to provide use of facilities with the PTA and help provide the location for the kids to rehearse, etc
8. Principal and Teacher Report
  - a. Teachers Present – Welch - Admin Secretary, Hilliard- Principal, Midence – Art, Baumgardner – K, Kelly – 1<sup>st</sup>, Beverly – 5<sup>th</sup>
  - b. Ms. James will be back as AP October 17
  - c. Principal Hilliard reminded everyone present that Safety is very important at UES and everyone needs to complete the volunteer training
  - d. Reminded Conferences start Oct 12-14<sup>th</sup>. Closes out to sign up on the 11th
9. Closing Remarks
  - a. Children's Protection is #1 Priority – All events will be on property this year
  - b. Bar-T will be helping with the ongoing PTA meetings and other events with childcare in the building during events
  - c. Ms. Welch mentioned we have Box Tops (can use the app) –proceeds go to UES, and Amazon Smile – proceeds go to UES PTA, as ways to help raise money for the school.
  - d. Ms. Welch mentioned We need volunteers. Volunteers help make the year successful. Sign up to do 1 thing to help the PTA, even if its 1 hour so PTA doesn't have to do it all.

e. Reminded to join the PTA

- The \$25 to join the PTA helps pay for field trips, student assemblies, Kona Ice, Staff Appreciation, Books for Book Fairs, etc.

PTA meeting closed at 7:30. Next meeting will be Nov 3 at 6:30pm

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