



EastmarkPTO

EIN #84-2022664

Date: August 9, 2021

Call to order: 6:02 p.m.

Present:

Paul Gagnon

Marie Jew

Guillermo Lopez

Willow Torres

Amanda Errington

Cori Gagnon

BJ Johnson

Liz Murray-Davis

8 attendees

Absent:

Shanna Herzfeld

Secretary's Report

- **Willow motioned to accept the last meeting minutes (7/12/21), seconded by Cori, and approved by all.**

Treasurer's Report

- Marie provided the July Treasurer's report. July amounts as follows:
 - Wells Fargo account expenditures, \$2,354.18.
 - Wells Fargo account income, \$4,964.00.
 - Wells Fargo 7/31/21 account balance, \$8,785.50.
 - No Gift Cards.

Old Business

- July teacher appreciation went well.
 - Staff Lunch - Subway - sponsored by Macdonald Orthodontics & PTO.
 - Snack Cart - Sponsored by Listing Llama RE Investment.
- July T-Shirt sales, \$2,314.00; spent \$1,735.98; profit, \$478.02 after \$100.00 petty cash.

New Business

- Teacher Appreciation:
 - August 11 - All Staff Lunch (2nd Wednesday of every month).
 - Sponsored by ListerPros.
 - **Cori motioned to spend not more than the \$750.00 ListerPros donated (No PTO funds) to pay for the 8/11/21 staff lunch, seconded by Guillermo, and approved by all.**
 - Barro's Pizza & fancy salads, Bridget ordered. Barros will deliver.
 - Setup, 11:30 am; serve, about 12:15 pm; clean-up, 1:30 - 2:30 pm.
 - 5 more All Staff lunches need sponsors, \$750.00 each.
 - August 25 - Snack Cart: (4th Wednesday of every month).
 - Sponsored by Eastmark Parkway Color Run.
 - **Cori motioned to spend not more than the \$150.00 Eastmark Parkway Color Run donated (No PTO funds) to pay for the 8/25/21 Snack Cart, seconded by Marie, and approved by all.**
 - BJ would like to offer more gluten free snacks and a variety of drinks.
 - Focus Church has offered to sponsor the last 7 snack carts.
 - Caffeinate & Educate:
 - Two times a week Cori tops supplies off.
 - We have enough supplies to last through August.
 - Sun Valley Church will sponsor one and Macdonald Orthodontics will bring in more coffee and cups.

- Eastmark Community Event, Friday, August 13th 5:30 - 8 pm:
 - Information on LinkTree, signup with age of children attending.
 - PTO table (selling a new variety of T-Shirts.
 - There will be other schools & vendors, raffles, a school spirit contest, the school that wins gets a trophy and all the donated school supplies.
 - Food trucks
- New T-Shirt sales:
 - Tie Dye: 2 shades of teal, orange, peach
 - Dark grey
- Committees Sign Ups:
 - Using Signup.com for volunteers. It allows you to type in what you want to sign up for.
 - Please let Amanda know if you like Signup.com, or prefer SignUp Genius.
 - Areas we need volunteers for:
 - Teacher Appreciation
 - Teacher Favorites - link on PTO website.
 - Teacher Birthdays
 - **Willow motioned to spend \$50.00 of PTO funds to purchase (2) Costco cakes (1 for July, 1 for August), seconded by BJ, and approved by all.**
 - Senior Scholarship
 - Need another director and committee members.
 - PBIS Committee - (start 2nd quarter)
 - Small prizes every other week.
 - Quarterly prizes at assembly.
 - Possibly acquire sponsors - TBD.
 - **Amanda motioned to spend not more than \$100.00 of PTO funds for 1st quarter PBIS prizes, seconded by Cori, approved by all.**
 - PBIS planning meetings 2nd Friday of each month at 2:30 pm.
 - Color Run on 1/29/2022 - (possible largest fundraiser)

- 100% of money goes back to schools. (Non-profit event). 50% to our school and 50% to host school.
- Need a “ton” of volunteers.
- Need to get people signed up & get sponsors.
- Need volunteers to fill bottles.
- Need volunteers to push sign ups.
- Possible pizza party for the home room with the most sign ups.
- Consider teaming up with teachers and student council, and share profit.
- Any one from the community that signs up host school receives profit.
- Will need a volunteer with excel skills to import collected data.

Principal’s Report

- Principal Gagnon thanked parents for coming to support our students.
- November 2, 2021 Bond
 - EHS is out of room.
 - Need additional academic wings.
 - Another Junior High building.
 - Performing Arts building and center.
 - Athletic additions:
 - Baseball & Softball fields.
 - Additional gym.
 - Sand Volleyball court.
 - Large class sizes.
 - Some grades have to share a lunch period.
 - Some teachers are sharing classrooms.
 - Safety & Security - Cameras on campus and fencing around the perimeter of the campus.
 - Educational programming capital needs.
 - At EHS technology is 1:1, every student has a laptop. The Bond will help pay for the rest of secondary schools to go 1:1.

- Transportation - Additional buses, which are expensive.
- New Schools prevent overcrowding. 1 or 2 new elementary schools.
- School Resource Officer (SRO) - 1 Police officer and additional security guards.
- Bond is an all mail in election.
- Will receive ballots in a couple months.
- 10/4/21 deadline to register to vote.
- 4 ways to help:
 - Like & Share PTO information on the Bond. (Hashtag/copy).
 - Phone a friend event, with a script, to previous voters.
 - Emails to inform people to get out and vote.
 - Passing out Bond information cards at events/football games.
 - Strom will speak at a future meeting to explain the Bond.
 - Signup to volunteer online.

Upcoming Events

- August 11th - Staff Lunch.
- August 13th - Eastmark Community event. PTO T-Shirt sales.
- August 23rd - Executive PTO meeting to plan for September.
- August 25th - Teacher Snack Cart.

Other Business

- Contact the PTO at EastmarkPTO@gmail.com to volunteer.
- Teachers please contact Marie, PTO VP, with your needs.

Next Meeting

General Board Meeting - September 13th 6 -7 pm at EHS.

- Will sell Firebird T-Shirts.
- Will discuss Fat Cats event.
- Try to keep to one hour meeting time, if we need more time we must vote on it, and the meeting cannot go over 1 ½ hours total.
- Amanda will send the Agenda out a week before the meeting.

Reimbursements

None.

Meeting Adjourned

Amanda made a motion to adjourn at 7:11 p.m., seconded by Willow, and approved by all.

Willow Torres

Eastmark High School PTO
Secretary