

# Bryan High School PTSO Meeting Meeting Minutes

Monday, October 9, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.

- I. Welcome and Call to Order
  - Meeting called to order at 6:04 p.m.
- II. Approval of Minutes from September 2023 meeting
  - Minutes of September 11 meeting presented for approval.
  - Motion to approve by Brandy Hendricks. Seconded by Nikki Surley. Motion passed.
- III. Treasurer's Report as of meeting date (presented by Michelle Keyser)
  - Beginning balance is \$6236.60; Minus pending transactions, balance will be \$6,061.08
- IV. Principal Report (AP-Stephanie March Smith)
  - PSAT, SAT and TSIA testing
    - o PSAT 9th & 10th grade October 5
    - o PSAT 11th grade October 11
    - o SAT 12th grade October 11
  - October 16-20 is a student and staff holiday
  - A big shout out to Texas A&M Advise Texas for their Coffee, Career & College chats
    - o Held Tuesday mornings from 7:15 to 8:15 a.m. in the Advise TX room (3231)
  - October 20 Senior Night at the Bryan High football game
  - October 23 College & Career Night (RELLIS campus 5:30-7:30 p.m.)
  - October 21- Trunk or Treat hosted by the City of Bryan in the baseball parking lot from 3:00-6:00 p.m.
  - October 21 Theatre Department Haunted House (The Black Box)
  - November 2 Theatre performance Hounds of the Baskervilles

# V. Committee Reports

- Go Big Blue (Chair-Brandy Hendricks)
  - October 13 \$5 Flash Sale for teachers from 12:00-3:30 p.m.
  - o Planning a Black Friday/Cyber Monday sale details are being ironed out
  - Need plastic shopping bags to help fulfill online orders; if anyone has a surplus or knows any business that could donate plastic bags, please let us know.
- **Teacher Appreciation** (chair-Nikki Surley; presented by Nikki Surley)
  - o Fall teacher appreciation: Coffee Bar Project
    - Received one Keurig (being sanitized); still need more please consider donating.
    - Still accepting coffee pods, water flavor packets, drink flavor drops, tea and hot chocolate packets
    - Donations can be dropped off at the front office or delivered to Mrs. Surley's office.
  - "Adopt-a-Teacher" signups will go out to teachers at the end of the month.
    - Teachers/classrooms available for "adoption" will be available in November.
- **Scholarships** (chair-Michelle Keyser; presented by Michelle Keyser)
  - Nothing new to report

- Honor Roll Lunch (chairs-Nikki Surley & Michelle Perry, presented by Nikki Surley)
  - Honor Roll Lunch went swimmingly! We served Sam's pizza, water and ice cream from Southern Ice Cream.
  - o 386 students were eligible and 228 students participated.
  - o We had some ice cream left, so this will reduce the number we need to order next time.
- **Fundraising** (Chair-Heather Giardinelli; presented by Heather Giardinelli)
  - Raised \$175 from JJ's Snowcones profit share
  - o Have received several donations from local businesses:
    - Renn Fest
    - Manuel and Theresa's School of Hair Design
    - Papa Perez
    - Jesse's Taqueria
- **Project Graduation** (Chairs-Holly Martinez & Brandy Hendricks; presented by Holly Martinez)
  - o Prize committee has been formed.
  - o T-shirt design contest will be held before the holiday break.

# VI. Upcoming Events

- October 13 \$5 Go Big Blue Staff Flash Sale
- October 16-20 Fall Break
- November 24-27 Go Big Blue Black Friday Online Sale

#### VII. Old Business

- Fall teacher appreciation coffee bar project
- Adopt-A-Classroom

#### VIII. New Business

- None

### IX. Adjournment

- Meeting adjourned at 6:45 p.m.

# 2023-2024 PTSO MEETING DATES:

- Meetings will be held on the second Monday of the month at 6 p.m. in the Silver Cafeteria on:
  - o August 21, 2023
  - o September 11, 2023
  - o October 9, 2023
  - o December 11, 2023
  - o November 13, 2023

- o January 8, 2024
- o February 12, 2024
- o March 4, 2024 (time changed to 7 p.m.; moved due to Spring Break)
- o April 8, 2024
- o May 13, 2024