

HIES PTO Meeting Minutes

February 6th 2024

Attendees: Caroline, Lindsey, Courtney, Allison

Approx. PTO balance: **\$4,869.18**

- Next School Year Event Ideas:
 - Glow party
 - Consignment Resale?
 - Vendor Shows – maybe try a kids vendor show?
 - Fall Festival
 - Duct Tape Mr. Roberson to the wall
 - Santa Shop
 - Bingo(s) – depends on license
 - Penny wars?
 - More spirit nights @ different restaurants (2-3 of them?)
 - Seafood Festival parking @ Chalk & Gibbs
 - Raffle fundraisers from donations?
 - Science Fair? – coordinate with the school on this to help?

- Upcoming Events/Fundraisers:
 - FEB EVENTS:**
 - PTO has bought gift cards for appreciation weeks/days for a couple of our staff (PTO balance doesn't reflect the money spent for this coming out yet):
 - Feb 5-9 – National School Counseling Week
 - Feb 12-16 – School Bus Driver Appreciation Week
 - Feb 15 – National SRO Appreciation Day
 - Valentines Day – Wed, Feb 14th – PTO will provide some goodie bags and donut holes to each classroom! (PTO balance doesn't reflect the money spent for this coming out yet)
 - MARCH EVENTS:**
 - Duct Tape Mr. Robinson to the wall! – Friday, March 8th @ lunchtime in Cafeteria
 - Letters will be sent home in each kid's folder
 - Money can be collected from Monday, 19th Feb to Wednesday, 6th March – this is so we can try and pre-cut some of the duct tape strips
 - Duct tape has already been ordered
 - The class with the most money raised, we will have that teacher pie Mr. Roberson in the face again
 - Spring Vendor Show – Saturday, March 9nd from 9-2pm
 - Letters will be sent home in each kid's folder
 - PTO will have a bake sale table
 - Sign-up geniuses have been created and will be posted on our PTO Facebook page for 1. Running the booth 2. Bringing in baked goods to the school to sell
 - PTO will collect all of the vendor fees for this event
 - Inside the gym can comfortably fit about 35 vendors, so hopefully we can fill it up!

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APRIL EVENTS:

- PTO has bought gift cards for appreciation weeks/days for a couple of our staff (PTO balance doesn't reflect the money spent for this coming out yet):
 - April 8-12th – National Librarian's Week
 - April 24th – National Administrative Professional's Day
- Parents vs. Teachers Kickball game – Friday, April 12th @ 5-7pm
 - Waiting to see how many teachers are willing to do this before we get anything in motion.
- BINGO Night – Friday, April 26th @ 6pm-until
 - This will have to be canceled too since we still don't have our license

MAY EVENTS:

- May 6-10 – National Teacher Appreciation Week
 - Need to figure out what we'd like to do for all the teachers for this week.
 - Students/parents: 1. Do a fun week with kids helping to provide/bring things in for their teacher – we can get each teacher to send us their favorite color, flower, candy, beverage, things they need for the classroom, etc to help with specifics for the students.
 - Courtney has been working on getting this in motion
 - PTO: Provide a lunch or two or breakfast for the teachers/staff

JUNE EVENTS:

- Field Day Celebration (end of school party) – Friday, June 7th
 - Need to start preparing what foods/drinks/games that PTO needs to help provide or help with
 - Hot dogs were a hit – ask Seaside?
 - Hot dog buns – Sara ask her uncle?
 - Have classrooms provide snacks/drinks? – if we have enough \$\$ maybe PTO can just purchase all of those things
 - PTO pay for Kona Ice for the students/staff?
 - Get games together

NEXT PTO MEETING: Wednesday, March 6th @ 6pm