

GMSS PTO Meeting Minutes
February 23, 2018

Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 9:17am.

Meeting Attendance

Terry Bleau, Martha Harrison, Carolyn Potosnak, Idy Spezzano, and Sara Walls

Meeting Minutes

- Previous meeting minutes read.
- Motion to approve budget. Idy Spezzano 1st, Sara Walls 2nd. All approved. None opposed

Treasurer Report

Some highlights for the budget were covered:

- Budget looks good for this time of the year.
- Post prom check and GAF check written
- Special projects items are starting to come in
- Athletic donations coming in very well
- Discussed incoming expenses

Principal's Report

- Map Testing was completed in the beginning of February.
- PARCC Testing will start right after Spring Break.
- Illinois will no longer be participating in PARCC testing. Illinois will be creating a new test for students.
- Drug presentation at the high school last week. A video has been posted to the website of the presentation. Great presentation.
- Science Day on Thursday, March 1.

- For 7th and 8th graders John Halligan comes in and speaks to students about when his son committed suicide. He speaks about online bullying. For 6th graders a BMX guy comes in and does some tricks with his bike. He will also speak about cyber bullying and bullying.
- Dance coming up with an escape room. This is for 7th and 8th graders. The escape room is before the dance.

PTO President Report

- McAllisters, South raised \$2,340 with check 968.18, North \$1,886, check \$377.37
- Pizza lady from Nancy's. Have a restaurant night at Doughocracy. Maybe, have a date in May 14th.
- PE Uniform, will be switching vendors. We will be using Triad. They will be providing the order forms. The website needs to be running by the last week in April.
- Martha will be updating all the registration forms for the next school year.
- Spirit Wear volunteer will continue for the next year.
- Concessions has 2 potential volunteers for the next school year.
- Last PTO meeting is on May 10, at 9:00am.

New Business

Sara Walls has started a non-profit organization that provides school supply kits, winter coats and morning snacks to the kids that are on the free or reduced lunch program. Boomerang is the name of organization and she would like to be able send out communications about the organization.

Old Business

No old business

Meeting Adjourned

Meeting adjourned at 10:25am.

Minutes submitted by Carolyn Potosnak on Friday, March 2, 2018.