

GMSS PTO Meeting Minutes
May 9th, 2022

Call to Order:

Meeting called to order at 4:05 pm.

Meeting Attendance:

PTO Board members and Mr. Bleau

Approval of Meeting Minutes:

Minutes from 3/14/22 meeting were approved.

Treasurers Report:

Budget line item for Teacher/Staff Appreciation is over budget. A receipt for a teacher breakfast needed to be moved to a different category. Additionally, it is noted for next year that we need to budget more on the Teacher/Staff Appreciation line item to include the different activities over the course of the year.

Check was cut for GHS for Post Prom and will be delivered to Martha Harrison this week.

Principals Report:

Mr. Bleau noted that we have increased the budget for the 8th Grade Activities from \$1500 to \$2000 in order to account for food and other items that have increased in cost. The \$1500 will come from the budgeted line item – the additional \$500 will be taken out of another area of the school budget.

Mr. Bleau also provided us the updated school supply list for the 2022-2023 school year. The new list will be standardized across the three grades in order to promote executive functioning skills to be learned over the three years in middle school. Executive Board agreed that this was a good idea.

PTO Board:

A motion was made by Elizabeth to approve Ashley Tyberg as President, Stephanie Hawkinson as Vice President, Brennan Silver as Treasurer, Sara Otto as Assistant Treasurer and Sara Walls as Secretary for the 2022-2023 school year. Motion was approved.

Old/New Business:

Old Business –

6th, 7th and 8th Jivin Geneva, 5th grade visits GMSS, celebrated Admin Professional Day, Teacher Appreciation Week

Joint PTO Meeting, April 18th – Process for selecting educational resources (paper & print) for next year. Changes for HS Economics & English, Middle School World Language, Elementary School Social Studies. Mr. Bleau also mentioned that the Middle School is in the beginning phases to gain a new Social Studies curriculum in the next 1-2 years as well.

New Business:

School Nurses Day (May 11th), end of the year gifts for administration, 8th Grade Activities/Graduation

Ashlee Tyberg – Discussion of gym uniforms & spirit wear for next year

Ashlee Tyberg spoke about the decision to change vendors for gym uniforms. We will be utilizing a company called Game on! We will no longer be utilizing Tryad Solutions. This new company is also utilized by Geneva High School so we will be using the same graphics. This change is across North and South Middle Schools. Elizabeth Nguyen mentioned that we need to ensure we have enough extra uniforms on hand to fulfill orders from families that forget to order during the registration process. It was also noted that if we can have orders placed by July 8th – the company would be able to pack the orders for us.

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We will also be changing our Spirit Wear vendor. This vendor will be online and will enable our GMSS students and staff to order anytime throughout the year, they will ship directly to the students' homes, they will handle returns and exchanges directly and we will be offered free shipping several times throughout the year. The chairs Jessica Jecmen and Melissa Cunningham will continue to chair the program. They are also working with North and making this switch across both middle schools. Ashlee has requested that we have samples available during locker days.

Open Discussion:

Mr. Bleau inquired if we had any outstanding committee chair positions that we will need help filling. Ashlee will review with current chairs to see if they will remain on for the following year.

Elizabeth Nguyen thanked the Executive Board for all their work this year and concluded the Final meeting of the year.

Meeting adjourned at 4:55pm.

PTO Meeting Agenda
Geneva Middle School South
May 9, 2022
4:00pm

- Call to order & Welcome
- Introductions of all present
- Approve meeting minutes from March meeting
- Treasurer's Report
- Principal's Report
- Vote in board positions for 2022-2023 School Year
- Old Business/New Business
 - a. Old Business – 6th, 7th and 8th Jivin Geneva, 5th grade visits GMSS, celebrated Admin Professional Day, Teacher Appreciation Week
 - b. Joint PTO Meeting, April 18th – Process for selecting educational resources (paper & print) for next year. Changes for HS Economics & English, Middle School World Language, Elementary School Social Studies.
 - c. New Business:
School Nurses Day (May 11th), end of the year gifts for administration, 8th Grade Activities/Graduation
 - d. Ashlee Tyberg – Discussion of gym uniforms & spirit wear for next year
- Open Discussion to the floor
- Motion to adjourn