

## AG Executive Board PTO Meeting Minutes

Friday, October 4, 2019

**PTO Executive Board Members In attendance:** Jamie Curtis, Katie Davis, Rebecca Drendel, Sallie Beason, Denise Pineno, Melissa Self, Ghazale Johnston; Not in attendance: Courtney Lapham

Mr. Folk in attendance

**Meeting began at 8:48 am**

Minutes Approval

- Rebecca made motion to approve. Katie seconded the motion. Minutes were approved.

Budget

- The PTO budget was approved at the last general PTO meeting.
- There will be a special Bulldog Bulletin that will go out about BTS forms on Monday.
- Sallie sent BDC the money that was collected for BDC on BTS forms.
- Teachers sent out additional reminders about the BTS forms and it seems to have been effective. Got \$1,000 in fees just this week thanks to the reminder. There are less people giving than last year but we raised the fees so there is more money overall this year.

Campus Beautification

- There will be an all campus clean up day on 11/9.
- Last year there was an increase in their budget for campus beautification and they went over. This year, we reset the budget back to the 2019 original budget and asked the committee to make sure they stay in the budget.

Executive Board Position

- Denise and Melissa have been working on filling the Assistant Treasurer position. They have one good candidate who will be meeting with Sallie today to discuss the position.

After School Clubs

- Dr Washburn has taken over Clubs and it's been very successful.
- The Beta Club is a new organization that Dr. Washburn has rolled out at AG. He has invited 400 students to be part of it. There were questions about the criteria being used to select students to be part of it. Jamie is going to follow up with Dr. Washburn to get more information.

Inreach/Outreach

- We expect there will be a greater increase in demand for holidays items for our students. The Outreach committee is looking for more donations for the holidays.
- We may consider going to the church that meets at AG to see if they will be willing to donate to the Inreach committee during the holidays. Jamie will provide Bob with a blurb he can use.

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### Folk Update

- Today was anti-bullying and sexual harassment lesson.
- 6th grade transition update: It's been going great. Engaged students and families. We did have a handful of kids registered late and it was amazing to have a Spanish speaking secretary to help parents. Bob is also sending 6th grade teacher to get training on how to use visuals to use in classrooms to support ELL students. The ELL teachers (1.5) are also pulling out ELL students to provide additional services. Overall, it's going very well.

**Meeting adjourned at 10:08 am**