

September 9, 2024, PTO Meeting Attendance

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PTO Meeting Minutes

September 9, 2024 @ 6:30 p.m. – KH Library

- I. Welcome & Introductions: Welcome back to returning and new PTO members, here to kick off another fantastic school year!
- II. Principal Comments: Mr. Cordero stated that it was a great start to the new school year, and happy to have all our scholars back in session.
- III. Teacher Rep. Comments: All the teachers appreciated their luncheon, beverage truck and teachers gift funded by the PTO. Thank you, teachers, for all the hard work and dedication you provide to our scholars every day.
- IV. Treasure's Report:
 - a. Approve 2024/2025 Budget: The fiscal year starts July 1st. The PTO is structured to plan fundraising for the next school year. The money raised this year is for the school budget for 2025/2026 year. PTO supports field trips, school musicals, supplies, equipment such as two brand new laminators that were purchased last school year. Budget was approved.
- V. Old Business
 - a. Fall Teachers Gifts: PTO gifts the teachers with a check to help cover expenses. PTO handed out 46 checks total on 8/16.
 - b. Ice Cream on the Playground was on 8/23 and was a huge hit. We were so excited to see all the smiling faces and families gathering under the sun enjoying their sweet treats and making friends. It was great hearing and seeing students and families reconnecting and establishing new relationships before the start of the school year.
 - c. Back to School Teacher Luncheon was on 8/26 and was catered by Isacc's and something new the PTO added was a beverage truck for our wonderful teachers and staff. Thank you, Isacc's and Lynn & Gray, for the delicious food and drinks.
- VI. Current Business
 - a. Spirit Wear Sales started on 9/2 and closes on 9/24. Reminders with be sent out through our Facebook and Instagram page.
 - b. Student Directory forms went home with your student last week. All forms are due at the end of October. Once the directory is completed it will be sent out

to your email. Due to safety reasons the student directory can't be on the website. If you have not received a Student Directory Form, please contact the PTO at kisselhillelpto@gmail.com

- c. Yearbook: We are so happy to announce we have a yearbook committee!! Hooray!! Thank you to all of the parents for making this possible. Lets talk clearances. Volunteering/Photography - to be permitted in the school during school hours or field trips, all must go through background checks and be District Board approved. There are different clearances required for volunteering versus photography, therefore different paperwork as well. All must have district board approved clearances first. All paperwork needs to be in the district office before their monthly board meeting. The district board meetings are held on the 3rd Tuesday of every month. Any questions please email the PTO.

VII. Upcoming Events

- a. Book Fair and Movie Night. The Book Fair is on 10/3 - 10/4. Movie Night is back!!! We are so excited to have movie night back! Movie Night is on 10/4, and the Movie that was chosen is "Inside Out 2". Be on the lookout for information coming your way!
- b. Donuts for Dad is on 10/25. Information coming soon about this wonderful event celebrating our loved ones.
- c. Climber Dash is our huge fundraiser that provides the PTO the opportunity to host events, supply our teachers and school with things that may be needed. Sponsors are still needed to help the PTO. The Climber Dash Run for the students is on 11/1 with a rain date 11/4. In the next couple of weeks, you will see a large amount of information going out about Climber Dash

VIII. Event Chairs Needed. We are happy to announce all event chairs are filled, but that doesn't mean the PTO doesn't need your help. We have events throughout the school year and volunteers to help at the events are always needed. Be on the lookout for sign-up genius when we have events coming up. We cannot do this without all of you.

- a. Resigning PTO Chair, we are sad to announce that our Co - President Tracy Motz is stepping back from her position. Tracy has been an active member on the PTO Board for the last 5 years as the PTO Secretary. We would like to take this time to thank you, Tracy, for all your hard work and dedication throughout the last 5 years. You have made an impact not just on the PTO, but also to our

school and students, we appreciate everything you have done and continue to do. Thank you!

Next PTO meeting is October 7th at 6:30pm in the KH Library!