

**PTSO MEETING
MINUTES
October 2, 2023**

Meeting called by: Antoinette Enohmbi

Approval of minutes from previous meeting: Approved

Principals Report

- Freshman theater group has its first CATA performance
- Men's soccer off to a strong start – there are more students attending games
- Committee selected for school improvement
- Culture/Moral boosting – PTSO was a big help last year – would like to involve student council this year
- Staff membership will be attending PTO meetings
- Applications for freshman representatives have been submitted
- Need parent for freshman representative
- CATA Pole Banners (a total of 7 – one for each academy plus the school need to be replaced \$235 each for a total of \$1645)
- Retractable banners used for graduation and other school events (a total of 7 – one for each academy plus the school - \$2350) – Mr. Beals is asking for help from PTO for either one of these. Perhaps could look at other vendors for pricing
- Possible science lab upgrade – trying for federal grant to help with this – PTO may be asked to assist with resources for this project

Finances

- Treasurer Report – Amy emailed report
- Membership Report (Staff membership and involvement with the PTSO)
- Invest in Excellence Funds – not close to target

Committees

- Student Representative(s)
- **Fundraising**
 - CATA bracelets go on sale this week
 - Invest forms going home with report card on October 13
 - Zaxby's Fundraiser October 24 4pm to 8pm
- **Hospitality**
 - Gift Cards and restock for Holiday gifts – may do a restock and desert bar.
 - Maybe getting a corporate sponsor for the lunch
 - Cookies for Custodians on October 16
 - Teacher appreciation May 6 – 10

- **Communication**

- Social media, CATA PTSO website and Facebook pages will be updated with Zaxby's fundraiser
- PTSO newsletter will be sent out Biweekly to PTSO members

- **Calendar**

- Nov 6th next PTSO board meeting at 4:30pm in the media center conference room
- Oct 3rd and 5th Bracelet fundraising during lunch hours at CATA
- Oct 14th CATA Homecoming dance a 7pm
- Oct 24th Zaxby's Fundraiser at Monroe Location
- Oct 24th CATA Senior Night

Adjournment