

**APPROVED MINUTES FOR PTSA BOARD MEETING
NOVEMBER 9TH, 2007, FRIDAY
MILTON HIGH SCHOOL**

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PTSA Board in Attendance:

Pres. Laura Gurley	Pres. Bonnie Kitay	Elena Chernick
Sue Monahan	Crysti Pynne	Chris Remensnyder
Veronica Buckman	Nancy Lofdahl	Denise Garrigan
Sally Caudle	Lisa Stammer	Sally Markham
Deborah Lanham	Kristin Levert	Mary Haney
Donna Kizer	Heather Hostetler	Michele Bryan
Ruth Lawandales	Diane Byers	Sally Gray
Sheri Finn	Carol Lane	

Administration:

Ron Tesch, Principal

Call to Order: 9:05AM

Approval of Minutes: October minutes approved with changes: (Treasurer's Report)

Treasurers Report/Chernick: Ending Balance: 52,529.48--see attached handout.

Mr. Tesch's Report: Took questions from the floor: Discussed info on receiving MRSA news. There are NO health hazards currently at MHS.

Discussion followed regarding usage of student's photos in AJC articles. Students sign photo release form, however does AJC check with MHS Admin. Offices before printing photos at sport events?

Discussion followed with questions about MHS Honor Roll/National Merit Winners. Mr. Tesch will investigate recognition of Honor Roll Students.

School is deciding whether to send out progress reports at 6wks/12wks by E-Mail.

Football game tonight, please plan on supporting the team.

Campus Beautification: Presently, we are collecting gray water for hydrating container gardens. There are plans to mulch and perform lawn maintenance.

Legislation/Hostetler: There are new elected officials in Milton. Possible redistricting of elementary schools for next fall. Charter Schools offer Tech Programs.

Membership: Platinum Award Status \$41,531

VIPS/Levert: Sign up for volunteer hours, there have been computer issues with TRAX. Received the Golden Apple Award, 20% increase in volunteer hours.

E-M2/Newsletter/Pynne: Keep sending articles. Website links are on MHS website.

Request made to board members to assist son with Eagle's Project--collecting toys with wheels. Contact Chrysti for more info re: Eagle Scout Project.

Directory: The MHS 2007/08 directory was distributed and it looks great.

Drugs, Alcohol & Health/Lanham: 85 students signed up for raffle/pledge during Red Ribbon Week. National Honor's Society students conducted the Red Ribbon Week presentations at Crabapple Eementary school to discuss Drug/Alcohol Awareness. Ribbons were handed out, "I choose to be drug free", "Building Relationships"---to instill leadership in students.

Safe Home Pledge included in directory---be a SAFE HOME.

Suggestions to parents: do NOT share YOUR past experiences with drugs/alcohol---tends to not be a good thing.

Drugs, Alcohol & Health/Lane: Monday 11/19 Presenting a program for parents on Driving.

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Milton Moms/Gray: Plan to meet at the Fickle Pickle, Speaker from Smith Barney for the November Meeting.

Plan on meeting the 3rd Wednesday on 17 January at Crooked Creek Golf Club, Limit of 100, Topic: Colleges. Please RSVP early.

Senior Events/Stammer-Markham: We have 97% of our budget, only need money from small amount of seniors. Getting gift cards, looking for corporate sponsors, will do intense requests in January, after the holidays.

Mardi-Gras in February, headed by Doreen Apollo and Nancy Armistead.

Lock in is secured at STAR TIME. We can bring in outside vendors. Star Time will give the students more outside time to use the go-carts, miniature golf---movie times will be staggered.

Snack Day is the 14th in the cafeteria. Volunteers requested to help with snacks.

Working on prep for Red envelopes for seniors.

Reflections: Announcements of winners are posted in the EM2

LSAC/Stammer: Nothing to report

Hospitality/Refreshments/Bryan: The Newcomer Luncheon was a great success. 4 PTSA members were present and 6 new people attended. Denise Garrigan contacted the newcomers.

Career Center/Buckman: Request to open room before school; the room will be open extra time on a trial basis. Planning/Career Day.

General PTSA Meeting for Nominating Committee on 12/13/Gurley: This will only be a 5 minute meeting..

Meeting adjourned: 10:05AM

Important dates:

December 14th, Donna Kiser hosting Brunch 11AM, Holiday Gathering, Meeting/Announcements

January: Greeters for front desk

Approved Minutes respectfully submitted,

Sue Monahan, Recording Secretary,

Additions/Deletions