

Troy Intermediate School
PTSO Meeting
November 2, 2022

The meeting was called to order by President Liz Woolf at 6:00 PM.

Attendance: Liz Woolf, Gyla Hoose, Emily Kenyon, Adrienne Pingitore, Ellen Andrews, Kristen Page, Jessica McWhorter, Kris Bailey, Caitlin DiPetta.

Old Business: Liz reminded everyone that all board positions are open this year. A form will be created to send to parents asking for interest and if they would like more information regarding the PTSO.

Budget: The goal for the PTO this year is \$16,000.00. Presently we are at approximately \$3,000.00; this is a very low amount and at this point without holding fundraisers the PTSO will not be able to fund field trips without classes doing their own individual fundraisers.

Fundraiser: Liz called the company for the Read a Thon. She can get the event started when we are ready, thinking of having it done at the end of November. Scratch off, Cookie Dough, Calendar, and Apparel orders were other suggestions. After much discussion, and with the further investigation of the profit availability, it was motioned by Adrienne Pingitore and seconded by Jess McWhorter to approve the Cookie Dough fundraiser. Ellen and Kristen will be looking to find a company to use for the fundraiser and they will also be looking for the possibility of using incentives. A couple questions Ellen wanted to make sure were covered are the shipping and how they sort the order. It was mentioned to make this a successful event the PTSO will need participation from staff and parents as it is a big undertaking.

Jess will get in touch with Taycee Renzo to inquire about an apparel order and get back to us. All felt this would be good to put out for the parents and community.

Volunteers: Ag Lab is taking place starting November 29th – December 2nd. We need to have volunteers that have clearances on file with the district. If anyone needs help with clearances, please reach out to Liz Woolf: ewoolf@troyareasd.org. The Yearbook club was mentioned with no volunteer nominated. Vending Machines were discussed and it was agreed that Liz will reach out to the new Special Education teacher to see if they would like to take care of the machines. It was felt that if they do not have the availability to take on the vending machines the PTSO will discontinue having it available.

Additional Comments: It was great to see so many attending and all were thanked for their time. Please check out the PTO Today website to find different ideas and suggestions to help our PTSO.

Thank you, Liz, for providing the ice cream treats last night.

Next meet and greet: December 7, 2022, at 6 PM

Meeting adjourned: 7:10 PM Motioned by Adrienne Pingitore and seconded by Kristen Page.

Sincerely,

Gyla J Hoose