



**Watts Middle School
PTO Board Meeting
March 8, 2022
7:00 PM**

I. Call to Order (Emily Denlinger)

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm. A quorum was present including PTO President, Vice-President, Treasurer, and Secretary. Six other attendees were present.

II. Secretary's Report (Robyn Bueltel)

The minutes of the February 8, 2022 PTO meeting were presented and approved.

III. Treasurer's Report (Carli Goodrich)

Copies of the budget were distributed, reviewed, and approved.

IV. Vice President's Report (Brian Miller)

- Feedback from Mr. Miller, teachers, and event attendees indicates that the revised Family Night format was well-received.
- Raffles allowed more families to participate due to lower price point.
- State testing is approaching. ELA testing is March 22-23; Math and Science testing take place in late April.
- End-of-year student activities will include Spring Fling (hosted by Student Council) and the eighth grade King's Island trip. The School Resource Officers are planning to grill hot dogs again on the last day of school.
- Mr. Miller shared that Watts Orchestra director Doug Eyink passed away. Orchestra students are creating a memorial, including a signed banjo and windchimes. A scholarship to support a student going on to study music has been created in Mr. Eyink's name. A motion was passed to allocate \$150 to go towards a \$100 donation to the scholarship fund and towards supplies for the memorial.

V. President's Report (Emily Denlinger)

Emily reiterated positive feedback from staff about Family Night. Students enjoyed the additional activities such as bingo (had great teacher participation), the tape wall, and the candy walk.

VI. Committee Reports

A. Family Night (Terry Salo/Sharon Sobecki)

- Thank you to everyone who volunteered.
- Estimated revenue (before expenses) is about \$4500.
- Leftover prizes can be used for Teacher Appreciation Week.
- A suggestion was made for next year to charge more than \$1 for raffle tickets for the more expensive prizes.

B. Curriculum Advisory Council / Parent Advisory Committee (Brenda Colton)

- Minutes from the last CAC meeting are forthcoming.
- Awaiting date for next PAC meeting.

C. Restaurant Takeovers (Carla Berkshire)

- The next event is March 23 at Raising Cane's.
- April 5th is the City Barbeque takeover; this will be a contest with the other middle schools. The school earning the most per student wins a free lunch for its staff.

D. Rewards Programs (Andrew Ewart)

The PTO earned \$243.85 from the Kroger Community Rewards Program for the quarter ending January 31.

VII. Open Forum

Issues unrelated to PTO were discussed.

VIII. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 7:56 pm.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 12, at 7:00 PM