



Meeting Minutes for December 14, 2021 | 7:00pm | Meeting called to order by Kerrie Mallory-Thompson

In Attendance via Zoom

Kerrie Mallory-Thompson – PTA President
Sarabeth Urech – PTA Vice President
Seth Peneyra – PTA Treasurer
Charlie Vargas – PTA Secretary

Approval of Minutes

Meeting called to order at 7:04pm by Sarabeth Urech. Meeting Minutes from all meetings and recordings will be made available on the PTA Website. Sarabeth went over the Mission Statement and introduced the board members. We currently have 47 paid members of the PTA and 3 PTA Ambassadors from the staff.

Treasurer's Report – Seth

November Profit and Loss

Expenses – \$38 website

Income - \$50 credit card payments from Square

Some deposits that will show up on next month's report

\$71 from Peter Piper Pizza Fundraiser

\$396.96 from Fall Book Fair Fundraiser

\$385 Bake Sale Cash

\$500 Grant from Bank of America

Reminder: ONLY paid PTA members can vote on budget items and have a say where PTA funds are spent

We are healthy budget-wise and would like to sponsor a teacher appreciation breakfast

Teacher appreciation breakfast – We would like to purchase some donuts and coffee for the teachers and we have already approved line items in the budget.

Secretary's Report – Charlie Vargas

7:10pm Seth Peneyra made a motion to vote on a \$200 expense to buy a coffee and donuts teacher appreciation breakfast.

Sarabeth Urech seconded the motion

The vote was a unanimous yes

The motion was passed

Communications – we have a Facebook page and Charlie sends a newsletter to school directors that goes into weekly parent newsletters. We have set up a Remind where you can sign up to get reminder texts from the

PTA. Officers have discussed setting up a monthly email newsletter to parents (even non-paid PTA members). We are looking for ideas for the best way to communicate. We feel like we still have too many parents who don't know what we are doing and we are looking for feedback as to the best ways to communicate.

Feedback from present members – texts and flyers in the backpacks work best. PTA website isn't secure, so parents may be nervous to enter information at the website. PTA will check to make sure we have the website secure. We will also send a reminder to parents that they can turn on their Facebook notifications from our group page.

President's Report – Kerrie Mallory-Thompson

We would like to spruce up the faculty lounges so we will be looking into doing that if anyone knows anyone who has maybe some comfortable furniture to donate, please reach out to the PTA. The lounges are very long and narrow.

Vice President's Report

AZACS PTA Swag Store – don't forget for winter gear

AZACS School Board website hasn't posted a scheduled meeting in December, but watch the school website
Seems to occur the 3rd week of each month

Announcements

12/13 – 12/17 - AZACS Spirit Week – but also dress for Holiday Showcase

12/13 – 12/17 – Holiday Shop Open

12/20 – 01/07 - Winter Break – ESY only students return 1/3/2022

Next Meeting

Tuesday, January 18th, 2022, 7:00pm via zoom

Meeting was adjourned at 7:40pm