



PTO MEMBER meeting

Thursday, March 19, 2026, 6:30pm, Library

Board:

- Tawnya Thomas, President
- Rachel Pierson, Co-President
- Staci Trinh, Treasurer
- Angela Dewey, Volunteer Coordinator
- Nicole Wieteska, Communication Chair
- Bridgette Macke, Secretary

Members Present: Sara Jones, Nancy Nguyen, Bonnie Ng, Liz Espeland, Rosario Soto, Brooke Robb,

Teachers/Staff Present: Tawnya ,Staci, Angela, Nicole

Start time: 6:31

Minutes/Agenda:

Welcome

Science Expo (Sarah) OBOB is over Bridgette would like to do a science fair, met with district, flyers will be going out tomorrow, it will be on Earth DAY, earth related. Art, math, engineering. QR code on flyer, all projects can be done at home then the students will bring in the projects, it will be hosted at HVMS at 5pm. Kids will get certificates, awards and showcase their projects, they can work solo or together. PTO will provide pizza. They can still participate if they do not attend the meeting

Atrium/

Planter Project (Sarah & Staci) Staci - budget - the ask today is to fund the atrium - budget for \$20k board member approved last meeting, wanting to make this a useable spaced want to ask for additional \$29,700k add for atrium renovation - indoor plant area, removal and carpeting adding benches and outdoor table and install. Also would like to move the badge reader which costs MUCH less then adding an additional one. Want to over budget in case we do not need to use it all and will sub with flex seating - TODAY \$30,500 more for atrium and field day. SARA - put pavers and benches and seats, in the fall we would like to put a mural on the concrete wall with benches - can utilize for family recess as well as nice days for the kids during school hours.. Good place for kids to sit and work outside. BADGE READER, need one by the health room (Mrs Bachs room) for safety convenience for the teachers and \$1200 to move the badge reader.- Field DAY -

we would like to move it to Nelson HS kids would take the buses k-2 start off the morning 3-5 join at lunch then k-2 would leave back to school and 3-5 would do their field day if this goes well we may move JAT to Nelson HS as well. Busses are just under \$800. Kids would need permission slips to go - if students are not able to we will work around finding them something else to do at the school. If anyone has ideas on new activities we would love to have some. Voted - all in favor 11 voted - Nicole second the vote

Carnival - Tawnya - April 18th Liz E is heading the carnival Tawnya is heading the raffle. No auction this year Photo booth this year balloon guys, face painters

Fun Run- Tawnya - May 16th 100 runners have signed up, still looking for sponsors, goal of \$10k at \$4k right now

Budget (Staci) - Bylaws - we added language where we can shift funds this way if we do not use funds for a specific line item we can shift it now to another line item where it needs to be used, Makes it so we can move money. Purchased glue gun, drying racks. thermal paper. If we need more for another need we can make those moves. Nothing much on the expense right now. Party site reservation for 5th grade was a bigger expense, author visits and kelm. Income 54% what we budgeted.

Board Openings - President, Co-President, Treasurer, Volunteer Coordinator, Communications,

Bottle Drop - Nicole April 16th and 25th Collection of cans drop off - 2 events a year for Bottle Drop - BottleDrop gives 20% back during earth Day week- Bags are in the office if anyone ever wants to pick any up

Walk and Roll - Nicole - May 1st partner with the community to bring awareness to safety. Meet at the HV Park at 7am then walk to school together.

Yard Clean up - Earth Day to help clean up with school - April 25th - district cannot keep up with all the schools so we like to get families here on Earth Day to get things extra clean here,

End time: 7:10