

**Perry Hall Middle School**  
**PTSA Board Meeting Minutes**  
**March 13, 2019**

**Attendance:** Jolie Headley; Kim Levush; Laurie Schattall; Tiffany Doxanas; Laura Thursten; Mandy Shanks; Angela Shroyer; Michelle Boyer; Amy Connolly; Sarah Askari; Veena Mootoo; Christine Fatkin; Sharon L. Harris; Aseyedech Terefe

**Call to Order & Welcome** – 7:04 pm; Jolie Headley, President

- Pledge of Allegiance

**Approval of Minutes:**

- Could not approve minutes from 2/13/19 – did not make quorum

**President's Report** – Jolie Headley

- SRO request
  - Officer Fuller's supervisor has requested another SRO
  - SRO's are not funded by the school district it is a police department county issue
  - Mrs. Perry has written a letter to the White Marsh Precinct requesting another SRO and detailing the school's needs
  - Parents can also send letters to the precinct
- Behavior
  - Teachers on hall duty; coming down hard on fighting in all aspects; following the hand book; rotating officers coming in to help; officer in training at school once a week which gives an extra police presence
- Transportation
  - Better than last week (beginning of February)
  - Letter sent to transportation and then sent onto the board
- Devices
  - Dedicated help to improve the device situation

**Principal's Report** – Mandy Shanks for Mrs. Perry

- Spring Performance coming up March 14, 15, 16, 17
- Staffing
  - Cutting 3 staff members for next school year (classroom teachers)

- End of third quarter April 5<sup>th</sup>; three-hour early dismissal
- Calendar changes
  - June 17<sup>th</sup> last of school and three-hour early dismissal; June 14<sup>th</sup> three hour early dismissal; June 13<sup>th</sup> full day
- Testing
  - Technical issues with testing; now getting a WiFi upgrade
  - MISA cancelled March 13<sup>th</sup> due to tech. issues
  - State Assessment coming up in May
- Maryland State Survey: climate survey; students complete; extended homeroom one morning for students to complete

### **Treasurer's Report** – Kim Levush

- Cannot motion to approve without quorum
- Discussed reducing Family Assistance Fund and Hospitality
- Will encourage Hospitality Committee to ask for monetary donations for Staff Appreciation Week

### **Faculty Report**

- Laura Thurston
  - Relay for Life, May 31<sup>st</sup>
  - Track & Field and Tennis started this week

### **Committee Reports**

#### ***Box Tops***

- Check coming to school

#### ***Restaurant Nights***

- March 20<sup>th</sup> – Ravage Deli, all day
- April 17<sup>th</sup> – Ledos 5-10

#### ***Star Search***

- 23 acts confirmed
- Show is April 5<sup>th</sup> at 7pm
- Tickets will be sold week of April 1<sup>st</sup>

### ***Color Run***

- Cancelling Color Run; only 75 participants signed up and needed at least 100 for race to make a profit
- Looking at other fundraiser ideas; possibly a Paint Night; tentative dates – April 26<sup>th</sup>; May 10<sup>th</sup>; May 17<sup>th</sup>

### ***Dad / Daughter Dance***

- Successful; fun had by all

### ***Book Fair***

- Take place in Library; April 11<sup>th</sup> (family night) – April 16<sup>th</sup> ; need chair for next year

### ***Nominating Committee:*** Amy Connolly,

- Taking nominations until April 23<sup>rd</sup>

### **New Business**

- May meeting date: May 8<sup>th</sup> general membership meeting night before spring concert; May 1st monthly board meeting 7:30-8:30
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### **Adjournment**

- 8:44 pm
- Next meeting April 10, 2019

Minutes prepared and submitted by Laurie Schattall, Recording Secretary