



Waxpool Elementary School PTA Meeting Minutes

Date: May 3, 2023

Location: Virtual Zoom Meeting (6:30pm – 7:00pm)

The meeting was called to order by Ashley Augustine at 6:31PM. Last meeting of the 2022-2023 school year!

School Administration:

Principal Michael Pellegrino

Vice Principal Chris Rawls

PTA Executive Committee:

President Ashley Augustine

Treasurer Aida Davalos

Secretary Shelby Caputo

Vice President of Family Engagement Kendra Tatham

Vice President of Communications Gabriela Falconi-Hurt

Vice President of Fundraising Sara Metka

I. Welcome & Introduction

President Ashley Augustine welcomed everyone!

II. President's Report (Ashley Augustine)

1. Staff Appreciation Week

- It's been a great week so far
- Signs were a big hit!
- Thursday is the day to bring in anything you have for the teachers
- Donations from Duck Donuts on Tuesday
- Lunch was served on Wednesday
- Ice Cream Bar will be set up on Friday

2. 5th Grade Signs

- Partially in; not all
- Will send an email re: pick up
- 54 yard signs were purchased
- Funds from that will be used to purchase treats for after 5th grade graduation

III. Family Engagement Opportunities (Kendra Tatham)

1. Piranha Prom - 5/19 at 7:00 p.m.

- For ALL students (not just 5th graders) and families
- PTA members get in FREE!
- \$5 at door for non-PTA members
- Will be a dance with DJ; photo opportunities

IV. PTA Elections for 2023-2024

1. All of the positions need to be re-elected because each position has a 1-year term for a maximum of 2 years.
2. Each candidate gave a small presentation
 - Ashley Augustine - President (20 votes)
 - Shelby Caputo - Secretary (21 votes)
 - Kendra Tatham - VP of Family Engagement (23 votes)
 - Heather Driscoll - Treasurer (21 votes)
 - Ruthika Gunda - VP of Fundraising (19 votes)
 - Amna Rifat - VP of Communications (24)

- V. Spirit Night** (Sara Metka)
1. Brambleton Sweet Frog on Tuesday, May 9th (all day) - Mention Waxpool and we will earn 25% per transaction
- VI. Treasurer's Report** (Aida Davalos)
1. As of 5/1/2023 = \$26,709.18
 2. Notable transactions
 - 5th grade Lawn Signs \$ 1190.00
 - ASE Refunds for Sports \$ -576.00
 3. PTA Members - as of last meeting, 177 members, as of 5/1, 179 members
- VII. Principal's Update**
1. Thank you to outgoing PTA members and welcome to the new members
 2. May Newsletter went out
 3. SOLs start up
 4. Field Day is coming up on 5/25 (K-2), 5/26 (3-5)
 5. Appreciate all of the efforts for making our staff feel special this week
 6. BOLO - email for donations for Field Day (bottles of water, push pops, etc.)
- VIII. Open Question/Comment Forum**
1. There were no questions.

Adjournment

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:59 PM.