PTSO Meeting Minutes October 8, 2015

Present: Amy O'Kelley, Jenn Hay, Martha Cummings, Polly Yearty, Lori Halligan, Shaunte Deas-Banks. Laura Ervin. Krista Hellmann

Absent: Principal Blessing

Treasurer's Report: Lori Halligan

Balance of bank account is \$25, 421.97.

Discussion took place regarding donation to football team dinner and cross country team dinner for winning seasons. Amount to be determined at later date.

Volunteer Report: Krista Hellmann

Pizza sales on 10/9 has all slots filled for volunteers.

Student Recognition in November will need volunteers, but date is not yet set due to report pending from County Office.

Tropicana Speech Contest and Spelling Bee volunteers will be needed. Date is set in December. Volunteers and supplies needed for this and this will be sent out closer to the date.

VP/Patrons Report: Jenn Hay

Total amount collected for Patrons so far is \$8,054.

Regarding 8th grade graduation, 13 seats sold in second row; 2 seats remain available. In third row, 2 seats have been sold. Another email push will be sent out.

All Thank-you bags have been filled and dispersed. Looking ahead to next year, if Tervis Tumblers are going to be used for Patron gifts, you can get a discount on them if ordered in specified quantities, but it would require pre-planning.

Spirit Sales: Shaunte Deas-Banks

Pre-order shirt count has been done and ordered. Sales at sporting events has been good and will be continued.

9/29 Football \$137 9/30 Cross Country \$81 10/6 Football \$181 10/5 Volleyball -TBD

Discussion took place to increase inventory counts on items so we have adequate sizing. There is a plan to phase out older shirt styles at discounted price. Also requested is a new sweatshirt, long sleeve shirt and short sleeve shirt style for this year. Quotes will be gathered from two companies and new artwork, too.

Student Recognition: Amy O'Kelley

Amy will follow up with Student recognition coordinators to verify date of this. It is anticipated in early November, about a week after report cards are received. County Office will get list to office and they will plan dates and get volunteers to assist.

Open Discussion:

MMS Football Championship Dinner and Cross Country Dinner will be held soon, now that seasons are over. Boys Cross Country won championship. Football did as well this year. They still have one game remaining. A donation (amount TBD) will be made to each team for their celebratory dinners, which will take place at school. There is no budget number for football because they have not won in the past two years.

Silent Auction Committee will be formed. Date is not yet set, but April is being considered. Will send Listserv through Volunteer Coordinator.

School store idea is pending, but person who would run it has not responded to emails. A committee for this may be needed to rotate people. Shaunte will make request to Volunteer Coordinator for this. She also mentioned need for Spirit Sales committee to be created so that there is a list of people who are knowledgeable about inventory and pricing to sell spirit items at school events.

General Board meeting will be October 22 at 5:30 in Media Center.

Next Board meeting is November 5.

Pizza Sale dates:

October 9, November 13, December 11, January 22, February 19, March 4, April 8

Board Meeting Dates:

November 5, December 10, January 14, February 11, April 7