

MMS PTA Meeting October 2017

President: Kathy Huckle

Vice President: Kristen Beazley

Treasurer: Josh Martin

Secretary: Beth Wilkerson

Attendees:

Kathy Huckle

Beth Wilkerson

Kristen Beazley

Josh Martin

Dr. Stanfield

Christy Martin

Natalie Hardy

Karen Lawrence

Elizabeth Deboeser

Attendees:

Keith Clopten

Dawn Waugh

Caitlin Lane

Brigit Lane

Sharon Pastore

Jeff Huckle

Sally Hurt

Samantha Haslego

- I. Welcome by Kathy Huckle.
- II. Minutes Approved
- III. Treasurer's Report
 - a. Nothing much to report yet. Slow start to membership and direct donation to be discussed further
- IV. President's Report:
 - a. Membership only at 50%. Direct Donation at 10%. Might need to find other fundraising opportunities.
 - b. Denim Drive – MMS took 3rd place and will receive \$500
- V. VP's Report
 - a. Again, we need to think of ways to up the donations
 - b. Facebook – please forward anything you would like to have posted
 - c. Apex Runs – possible fundraiser for the school or the PTA
- IV. Principal's Report:

October 2017
21 - Midlothian Days
30 - Nov. 3 Spirit week

November 2017

- 1 - Fall Dance
- 2 - Mission Tomorrow: 8th Grade Careers Field Trip to Convention Center at RIR
- 3 - 3 hour Early Release/Teacher Work Day
- 6 - Student Holiday/Parent Teacher Conference Day (10:00 - 6:00)
- 7 - Student Holiday/Teacher Professional Dev't
- 10 - Core Values Luncheon at the Apothecary
- 15 - Make-up Picture Day
- 16 - PTA board meeting
- 17 Report Cards Issued
- 22-24 - Thanksgiving Holiday
- 30 - Winter Chorus Concert

December 2017

- 5 thru 8 - World Language Exams
- 7 - Winter Orchestera Concert
- 8 - PTA cookie swap
- 11 thru 15 - Algebra and Geometry Exams
- 14 - Band Winter Concert grades 7 & 8
- 16 thru January 1 - Winter Break

V. Teacher Reports:

- a. 6th grade - Sharon Pastore – no report
- b. 7th grade will have an “in-house” fieldtrip on 10/27 to see the Va Reporatory Theatre – Appollo Show
- c. 8th grade went to Maymont on Oct 5th and Mission for Tomorrow on Nov 2. The PBL is the Fall Festival activities at the Fall Dance on Nov 1 – finalizing details.
- f. Library Christy Martin –Bookfair will be next week. Harry Potter day upcoming. Working with the students on digital citizenship and citing resources.
- g. SCA – Will help with fall dance. Planning a coat drive in November and Custodian Appreciation

VI. Chair Reports.

- a. Reflections – Caitlin Lane. Kids saw a video in class. Entries due by Oct 27th. Mr. Birkeland to offer extra credit. The entries will be judged by local people in the arts. There will be a celebratory party during Mustang Mornings on Nov 10th. Finalists due to the county by Nov 13th.
- b. Karen Lawrence – Fall Dance. Kids will be running booths at the dance for their PBL related to Maymont. Participants will get bracelets for each booth they attend. Kids with the most bracelets will win GC's. Karen is also discussing helping Natalie Hardy with a school store
- c. Box Tops – New volunteer to send out information about collections
- d. Spirit Wear – It was determined that the PTA would order extra in order to meet minimum order requirements. Will have on hand to sell at different events
- e. Inclusive Schools Week – December 4th – discussing ideas

VII. New Business:

- a. No new business.
- b. Next meeting Nov 16th.

Meeting adjourned