



MEETING: Troy Booster Club, Inc./TMS PTO
October 15, 2024 at 6:30 PM
Meeting called to order at 6:32 PM

Board of Directors Roll call - present: Jessica Short, Muhammed Jargboh, Eileen Scarton, Christie Fronhofer, Ian McShane

General Attendance: Jamie LaMora, Tina Mainville, Sarah Legnard, Kim Meyer, Amy Fraser, Andrea Murray, Danielle Macleod, Janay Lewis, Erika Jackson, Aniksa Merced, Heather Emory, Aponi King

There was a quorum for voting

Subject	Discussion/Conclusions/Recommendations	Action/Follow-up/ Tabled
Officer Report	Treasurer's report	Information
Continued Business	a.In search of a chairperson for Merchandise b.In search of a chairperson for concessions c.Open positions for President and Vice President and parent volunteer opportunities	Information
New Business TMS PTO	<p>A..</p> <p>(1) Point Parent for fundraising 6th,7th, 8th grade (Parent-chair for each grade?) Mr Kamua'ff is taking care of Clynk for 6th grade. Mr. McShane will ask around for a 7th and 8th grade teacher/staff to help.</p> <p>(2) Update on securing a date for Dine to Donate for November conferences Dine to Donate for 11/14 at Recovery Room. We will work out people picking up orders for teacher</p> <p>(3) Fall 2024-2025 fundraiser October 1st-15th. (*Extended online sales til Sunday, Oct 20th. ** First class that gets 75% of their students registered gets a donut & hot cocoa post)</p> <p>(4) What should happen with 6th, 7th and 8th grade funds at the end of the school year. The funds will move up with the grade level. It was suggested that we classify the funds as "Class of XX", to distinguish so the money follows the class, instead of 6th grade, 7th grade, etc. If there is money left over in 8th grade, the money will stay with the incoming 8th grade class</p>	Amy will call to set up

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TBC/THS	<p>(5) Discuss possible coat drive to benefit TMS's safe room. Is there a need this year? Coat Drive is not needed. They are requesting help with a food drive.</p> <p>(6) Is anyone having a bake sale at TMS during parent/teacher conferences? (NJHS-Ms Prinzo) If no one is doing one, TMS PTO might want to look to organize one as a fundraiser? NJHS is having a bake sale</p> <p>(7) Mr. Harbacz requested funding for 12 students from TMS to participate in the Rensselaer County School Music Festival for Fall of 2024. Funding request is \$180. Approved, check written and given to Sarah Legnard.</p> <p>(8) Looking for a PTO VP to assist Sarah with events and activities (and to possibly pass the TMS baton to, after this year is up and her child moves to THS) Heather Emory volunteered to assist - thank you!</p> <p>(9) TMS Halloween Dance - any help needed? Mr. McShane reported that there will not be a Halloween Dance planned for this year.</p> <p>(10) TMS Musical Performance - Sponsor tickets for TMS student attendees (similar to last year). TMS PTO will cover the cost of the first 20 TMS students' tickets for each performance. Sarah to reach out to Mr. Harbacz on coordinating this.</p> <p>B.</p> <p>(1) discussion with the board: "Acting Presidents" Role: Kim Meyer and Amy Fraser would like to continue the role of president, collaborating together and referred to as "acting presidents" until a president is voted in.</p> <p>Kim Meyer will be sharing treasurer responsibilities with parent volunteer, Coleen Kern</p> <p>Jesica Short sharing secretary role with Amy Fraser, as approved by the board last May, 2024.</p> <p>(2) Discuss idea of TBC scholarship for senior class night - Board approved the idea. Kim to look into structure and report back to the board for further discussion.</p> <p>(3) End of year tax deduction campaign Kim will work on this, writing letters requesting donations.</p>	<p>Continue discussion at November meeting</p> <p>Approved by Sarah Legnard</p>
		<p>Board voted and approved</p> <p>Move discussion to November or December meeting</p>

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<p>Joint THS Booster/TMS PTO</p>	<p>(4) Basketball season will start in December - we have the Team Store for sale of Troy merchandise. Will we be stocked with merchandise? Jamie to consider volunteers from the Boosted Up Program to run the team store during home games? Jamie would like the Boosted Up students to assist and she has merchandise. Jamie will also set up an online store to be up and running during parent/teacher conferences.</p> <p>(5) Mr. Meikle to discuss his vision and ideas for senior night moving forward and creation of a parent volunteer team specifically for this event.</p> <p>(6) Football concessions for 10/18 and 10/25 - volunteers, food special(s). Set up recommendations. Offer an incentive to all that volunteered at football concessions. We are offering three \$25 gift cards to raffle off to our volunteers at the end of the football season. Money to pay for the incentive will come from the net proceeds of the football concession stand. Each game someone volunteered their name will be entered.</p> <p>(1) Discuss possibly seeking donations for dinner / desserts / water for teachers for parent/teacher conferences 11/14 from 5-8 and 11/15 from 1-3 Yes we will seek donations for both TMS and THS. Water and snacks</p> <p>(2) Will TBC and/or TMS PTO want to have a table at parent-teacher conferences? Yes. Jamie will staff both. Amy will write for permission and for tables and chairs</p> <p>(3) Do we want to sell merchandise for parent/teacher conferences? (Conferences are Thursday, November 14th from 5-8 and Friday, November 15th from 1-3); will we need volunteers from NHS/NJSH? There will be a link to order merchandise at the Parent/Teacher Conferences. Orders will be in before the December Holidays. Jamie will have merchandise at both schools during Thursday evening conferences.</p> <p>(4) TMS PTO to consider a bake sale during parent-teacher conferences? NJHS handling</p> <p>(5) Select dates for Hoffman's Helping Hands car wash Fundraiser Amy will contact Hoffman's. Proceeds will go to the Booster Club</p> <p>Board Member, Mohi Jarbog recommended to run the Alternative Fundraiser at Parent Conferences similar to what was shared at Open House.</p>	<p>Will add to the agenda when Mr. Meikle will be available</p> <p>Add the drawing to the November agenda - we can draw during the meeting.</p>

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Questions/Comments		
Adjourn	Meeting was adjourned at 7:51 PM	

NEXT MEETING: November 19, 2024. Mr. Carmello and Mr. Hotalling will attend to discuss a Special Vote taking place on December 3, 2024. If you have any questions or would like information from the PTO please email us at tmspto@troycsd.org, or if you wish for information from Troy Booster Club, please email us at troyboosterclub@troycsd.org. We are **#StrongerTogether**