

BCHS PTO Meeting Minutes
9/10/2018
Cafeteria
Start time: 6:00PM

April & May 2018 Minutes were approved unanimously.

New Bylaws and Amendments were introduced.

Last year's BCHS PTSO Officers met and drew up bylaws, amendments and guidelines for us to follow in order to increase the PTSO's effectiveness in helping Bryan Collegiate in all ways possible. This is an ongoing process that we hope to have completed before the October meeting. We are also discussing adding a \$1000 scholarship provided to a BCHS student by the PTSO.

Project Graduation 2019

- Project Graduation is a lock-in event held the evening of BCHS's graduation ceremony and is hosted by the PTSO. All graduating seniors are invited to attend. This will be discussed more in future meetings.
- Linda Didsbury proposed initiating an award "point system" that would allow seniors to earn points for volunteering at fundraising events. These points could be used at PG19. This is something the Project Graduation Committee will discuss and decide on. Anyone interested in joining the PG19 committee should email back so that we can contact you for PG meetings.

Fundraising:

- CAR WASH – Oct. 13 at BCHS
10am-2pm
Parent & Student volunteers are needed.
Car Wash soap will be donated by Emeline Chesnik, waters by Valeri Gibbs, paper towels by Belinda Fikes, pizzas by Sandy Nunn & Amy Day.
Teresa Lopez will look into getting a \$50 gift card donated by Wal-Mart for other needed supplies.
- McTEACHER NIGHT
Cindy Davis will try to get this scheduled for Nov. 6th.
Times will be announced once the date is secured. McDonald's donates a portion of ALL sales during the allotted time. They also let us sell apple pies for \$1 (donating 50 cents from each sale to the PTSO). In the past McDonald's has purchased a gift card to be raffled off and all raffle sales are 100% profit for the PTSO.
We need a few teachers to volunteer to come sell pies with us please!
- GARAGE SALE - April 19th & 20th
Will be held on Good Friday and the following Saturday at BCHS.
Please save any items that can be donated to the sale. This will be discussed in detail in the following meetings.

Treasury Report – We are starting the year with \$8101 in our account.
Last year we raised \$5500 in fundraisers and spent \$5566 on Project Graduation.

Student Council Presentation – Mallory Garner with the Student Council spoke presented a request for \$180 to purchase movie rights so that the Student Council can host "Movie Nights" at the school. The PTSO asked Mallory to gather some additional information and present again in October so that we can assist.

Robotics Presentation - Virgil Nunn passed out information and spoke about a fundraiser that the Robotics Club is hosting at Urban Air on Thursday, September 13th from 6pm-8pm.
For each customer who comes in and pays \$15 at Urban Air, 30% will be donated to the Robotics Club.
If you wish to make a flat donation, please contact Mr. Tolhurst or Mr. Gary.

Executive Board & Sub-Committees – The executive board is comprised of the PTSO President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Fundraising Coordinator & Project Graduation Coordinator.

This year we will be adding several sub-committees to increase positions available to family member and help disperse workload

Voting of Officers & Executive Board Members – The following were all voted on unanimously.

President – Belinda Fikes

Vice-President – Valeri Gibbs

Secretary – Breeann Villareal

Treasurers - John & Cathy Collier

Fundraising Coordinator – Cindy Davis

Project Graduation Coordinator – Linda Didsbury

BCHS Principal, Mr. Roberts, or a designee of his choice is also on the Executive Board.

Teacher Appreciation Luncheon Coordinator – Sandra Nunn

Felicia Hall volunteered to be on the Fundraising Committee

We will be looking for many for volunteers for Fundraising and Project Graduation Committees.

Teacher Appreciation ~ Sandra Nunn

- Tentative dates Nov 16, Feb 15, May 10. Once the dates are set Sandy will let us know. Sandy will use Sign-Up Genius to secure supplies for each luncheon. If you are on the PTSO email list, you will be notified. If you aren't receiving our emails, please let us know so we can resolve the issue.
- We are looking for new ideas on Teacher Appreciation gestures. Please come to a meeting and present any ideas you have. If you can't make the meetings, feel free to email in and we will make sure your idea(s) are presented.

PTSO Teacher of the Month – Congratulations to Mrs. Moon and Mr. Reuschhoff. Thank you for making an impression on our students!

Candy Jar guess winner is Anayeli Granados

Riddle Winners are – Jordan O'Keefe, Tiffany Blouch, Riley Dunn

All adult PTSO members need to fill out the background check at the following link please. This is a Bryan ISD requirement. If you did this last year, you WILL need to do it again please.

<https://www.bryanisd.org/apps/pages/volunteers>

This meeting ran way longer than normal. Usually we are done by 7pm. Please do not let this deter you from attending in the future.

Meeting Ended: 7:45pm

Next meeting is October 8th.