

**Kennedy Middle School
Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)
Meeting Minutes
September 20, 2022**

ATTENDANCE:

Ryan Ashley, Principal	Christa Turner, PTO Treasurer	Rebekah Orton
Nicole Stansell, Assistant Principal	Bashira K. Stewart, Secretary	Karon Garman
Kimberly Goetter, PTO President	Nikki Handley	Michelle King
Jalisa Miller, PTO Vice President	Corissa Roger	Stacey Rose
	Jennifer Dalbec	Lea Carter

5:38 pm Welcome and Introductions

Principle Report- Dr. Ashley

- Interim Reports available online through Power School
 - Hardcopies will still be provided
- Picture profile mix-up on Power School has been identified and is a work in-progress
- Telephonic *News from The Nest* on Sunday's are just a summarized / snapshot version of upcoming events
 - Email versions have completed list of all actives and need to know information
 - Recommendation was made to provide complete *News from The Nest* information on KMS website also
- Lockdown Practice Drill scheduled for September 22, 2022 @10:00am, includes Public Safety Officers
 - Two versions of Lockdown Practice Drills
 - Soft – Warning
 - Hard – Emanate
- 1st priority is to bring social atmosphere back, (post COVID pandemic)
 - Social Clubs, new clubs are introduced weekly
 - 25-30 new clubs have been introduced so far
 - During school hours, some do require additional after school hours
 - Students afforded opportunity to have 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice
 - Outside time returning (volleyball, football, enjoy fresh air)
- Jostens pictures will be coming via email, no longer hard copy packets sent out
 - FE112122 access code
- Open House
 - September 22, 2022
 - 5:30-7
 - Three (3), 30 min sessions
 - PTO Membership Drive and clearance sell on vintage items

August Minutes – Approved

Treasurer Report – Square is now available, able to accept debit/credit cards at PTO events.

Upcoming Events/Fundraiser

- **Spirit Wear - Online, ongoing until September 30, 2022**

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- **Pizza Sales –**
 - Square is now available, was able to accept debit/credit cards
 - Increased pizzas ordered for next event, due to high demand and having to limit last number of pizza slices per student
- **Concession –**
 - **Volunteers are needed for Football Game**
 - 5-9:30 (Football)
 - **Total of at least 4 Volunteers needed**
 - Hotdogs have been added to sales
 - Recommendation made to advertise concessions are available at Volleyball games
- **Wild Wing Café Spirit Night**
 - October 5, 2022 - 5:00-9:00pm
 - 10% of all sales (dine in and curbside) goes towards KMS
 - Historically upwards of ~\$6000 total made and ~\$600 profits to organization
- **Halloween Dance**
 - October 27, 2022
 - KMS Gym
 - 6-8pm
 - Costume ***not*** required, a dress code will be enforced, no masks, & ***no weapons***
 - 1ST Committee meeting 27 September 2022 @6pm
 - **Volunteers needed**, please contact PTO for location
- **Book Fair**
 - 10-14 October 2022
 - KMS Library
 - Volunteer through Sign-up Genuis

New Items/Concerns

- **Team/Houses Events and Pep Rallies**
 - Exploring cost of
 - T-shirts with team patch vs tie-dyed
 - Bands
- **Staff Holiday Raffle**
 - Begins November 1, 2022
 - Donations, prizes, gift cards from local businesses, restaurants, etc. needed ASAP
 - Party, Wednesday or Thursday prior to Christmas break, 14th or 15th Dec 2022.
- **Piano Moving**
 - September 23, 2022

Next Meeting – October 25th @ 5:30pm

Meeting Adjourned 6:32pm