

FJH PTO Meeting Minutes

February 2, 2024

- I. Call to Order at 10:36
 - a. Board Members present—
 - i. Trisha Bailey
 - ii. Holly Chari
 - iii. Charis Pollard
 - iv. Valerie Smith
 - b. Mr. Drew not in attendance. Off-site
- II. Amber Pugsley, FHS PTO President
 - a. FHS PTO purpose, mission and current positions
 - b. Spoke about openings on the Board and need for volunteers to fill
- III. Treasurer Report
 - a. PTO will make a contribution of \$2500 to the FEF treasure chest
- IV. Committee Reports
 - a. Valentine's Grams
 - i. \$25 to sponsor a class which is less than previous grams
 - ii. Sales will be Feb. 12-13th
 - iii. Distribution Feb. 14th
 - b. Dodgeball, March 22nd
 - i. Location
 - 1. 4-5th grades are in 6th grade gym
 - 2. 6th-8th grades in boys and girls gym.
 - ii. Sold out
 - 1. 50 teams (500 kids)
 - iii. 6 Paid Professional Referees
 - iv. 2 high school referees
 - c. Science Fair
 - i. Looking to fill this position
 - ii. Volunteer is responsible for making arrangements to feed the judges and purchase trophies.
- V. New Business
 - a. Communication
 - i. Parents are bombarded with communications from FISD. How can PTO best get their attention?
 - 1. Current FJH PTO modes of communication
 - a. Facebook
 - b. Email
 - 2. Should PTO continue to use Facebook and email, but expand to additional modes of communication?
 - ii. What Social Media Platforms or Apps are best mode of communication?
 - 1. Not everyone uses Facebook or social media.

- a. Email should be retained in order to ensure all parents have the opportunity to receive communications from FJH PTO.

2. Remind App

- a. Cline PTO uses
- b. Advantage—it does not allow for conversation so content will be informative and not get lost in side discussions of users.
 - i. Can upload photos and other content
- c. Disadvantage—once an account is set-up, the individual it is linked too remains the admin. Recommendation to set-up a dummy account as admin.
- d. Charis will look into the viability of using.

VI. Next Meeting 3/1 @ 10:30am

VII. Meeting adjourned at 11:20am