

2023-2024				
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## PTO Meeting Minutes

09/01/23 7:45am | Meeting called to order by Stacey Clarken

### In Attendance

**In Person:** *refer to sign-in sheet*

**Zoom:**

- Meghann Powell
- Kenanaiah Garcia
- Liz Bevan
- Andrea Temple
- Cait Sabato
- Jen Giannetta

### Welcome & Introductions: Stacey Clarken

- Introduction of Guest Speaker Scott Maxwell

### Guest: Principal Scott Maxwell, KMS

- THE KMS Mission: Prepare students for life in the 21st Century
- Core Values: Collaboration, Learning Organization, High Expectations
- Two themes really focused on: Reading and Respect
- School Overview presented: see slides.
- School Schedule: Core classes, language acquisition and electives.
- Experiences Matter: KMS offers International Festival, Food Bank Trip, Maxwell Desk, Pep Assemblies, Reading Challenges, Mini Town, W.E.B. Performances, Field Trips, Grill Out in the Quad, South Mountain Hike, athletics.
- IB: International Baccalaureate focus on learning, hands on, and giving back. A wide variety of classes are available to all students.

## Principal's Report: Mrs. Marcie Romero

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- A+ has been submitted over the weekend. We will receive information the first week of October on whether we receive a visit.
- Step it Up went well and top performing classes received a pizza party.
- Thank you for mailbox treats and Someburros on Curriculum night.
- Thank you for your support during KMS evacuation.
- District goal is working on early literacy. Small groups are being held for retention and reteaching.

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## Treasurer Report: Brittany Westfall

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- Presented Budget: See Slide

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## Requisition Requests: Stacey Clarcken

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- Brittany Westfall & Kristin Basha: Fundraiser Incentive \$200 for pizza and chocolate mini muffins
  - \$156.71
  - Motion to discuss/second
  - Motion to vote/second
  - Vote: Approved
- Stacey Clarcken: \$1,834.65 for batteries and cables to repair Waggoner's Golf Cart
  - Motion to Discuss
    - Question: Have we asked the district? Yes, the district doesn't have money to repair all the golf carts. Cost is put on individual schools.
    - Golf cart is also used for all of our events.
    - Is there a way to work this in the budget for the future.
    - What is he using now? Personal vehicle.
    - District doesn't consider the golf cart to be essential.
    - Motion to vote/ second: approved.

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## Review & Approve August Meeting Minutes:

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- Minutes are available on the PTO Website: <https://waggonerpto.com/meeting-minutes>
- There are also a couple copies at the back of the room.
- Did anybody have any questions about them? No.
- Meeting minutes approved and admitted to website

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## Committee Chair Reports

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### **Fall Fundraiser Step It Up: Kristin Basha & Brittany Westfall**

- 85% student participation which is higher than years past
- First week: \$46,000 Total \$59,809
- Net return of around \$30,000
  - (50% to school, 20% to company, 30% for prizes & day of Awesomeness)
- Parent input by Heather Reinhart to ask Step it Up to work on the quality of the incentive prizes. Prizes broke quickly.

### **Stacey Clarcken: PTO District Update**

- Guidelines, procedures and best practices were reviewed.
- Please vote in preliminaries to help us get funds for our school.
- Bonds fund 69.8% and State Funding is 5.5%

### **Art Masterpiece: Shannon Winer**

- We have been doing Art Masterpiece for over 15 years.
- Rely on volunteers to run the program. If you want to volunteer, but don't want to do it alone, contact Shannon or Meghann, they will do the class with you.
- It is a great way to get to know our teachers and students.
- Parent input: the slides are very clear and you don't need to have art or teaching experience. The kids love talking about the slides and artwork on them.
- Meeting Sept. 6th at 7:45 for parents who are interested. You do not have to attend the meeting to participate in Art Masterpiece classes.

### **First Responder's Day: Kelli Christakis**

- Monday, September 11, 8:30 a.m.
- Mrs. Romero is coordinating with classrooms to make posters etc. for the First Responders.
- Tempe Fire and Police Departments will be present.
- There will be a Flag Raising Ceremony

### **Trunk or Treat: Stacey Clarcken**

- October 27th 5:30-7:00
- Costume Parade
- Choir Performance
- Picture Booth
- Free Water
- Zzeeks pizza tent for \$5
- A sign up genius will go out for donations and set up help.

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## Calendar of Events

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- **September 3rd: No School Labor Day**
- **September 6th: Art Masterpiece meeting**
- **September 11th: First Responder's Day**
- **September 18th: School Picture Day**
- **September 21st: WNO Zzeeks Pizza**
- **September 25th: Fall Break**

### SEPTEMBER

SEP 1: PTO Meeting, 7:45 AM

SEP 4: Labor Day, No School

SEP 7: Site Council, 4:00-5:30 PM

SEP 9: Night for Kyrene, 6-10 PM

SEP 11: First Responders Day, 8 AM

9/11 Education Day

SEP 12: Governing Board, 6:00 PM

SEP 15: Constitution Day

SEP 18: School Pictures

SEP 21: WNO at Zzeeks Pizza

SEP 22: Student of the Month 7:00 AM

Custodians' Day

End of 1st Quarter

SEP 25 - OCT 6: Fall Break

OCT 9: Teacher Day, No School

OCT 10: Staff Development, No

School

OCT 11: School Resumes

### **NEXT PTO MEETING**

- **Friday, October 13th @ 745am**

Meeting Adjourned at 8:38 a.m.

Stay up-to-date by linking to the PTO Calendar: <https://waggonerpto.com/calendar>

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Minutes reviewed by officers and submitted by Misty Pavlovic

