

Huron Academy PTC Public Meeting Notes
All Parents, Teachers, and Staff Welcome

September 12, 2023 at 6:30 pm

Utica Campus

President: Eryn Stevens

Vice President: Katie Hernandez

Secretary: Ashley Gardella

Treasurer: Justin Palmer

Director: Amanda Palmer

Director: Ericka Sobczak

Director: Colleen Papa

Director: Alicia Jeffreys

Director: JT Falotico

Director: Nicole Hunt

Director: Ashley Douglas

Teacher Representative: Jill Tanalski, Donna Falotico, Tammy Sharma

Administration: Lisa Lane

Parents:

Dana Pressler	Madison Collin	Elisha Oakes
Candy Washington		

1. Call to Order (announce time) & Pledge of Allegiance
2. Roll Call
3. Colleen Papa- Assembly idea for older students (Middle School) on criminal defense and the severity of “jokes” such as social media challenges, sending inappropriate pictures, threats etc. The assembly would be put on by a criminal defense attorney to talk about the ramifications of these actions. What to do in a situation/child rights (ask for a parent, get a lawyer, don’t offer information to police without a lawyer. PG rated conversation for age appropriateness. Q&A can be allowed or not. Parent seminar is also available. Her lawyer contact will be sending a brochure.
4. Announcements
 - A. List of this year’s events along with a QR code for volunteer sign up has been shared on social media and flyers were available at Open House
 - B. Casual day forms were sent home with students at Open House or first day of school - teachers keep the money for their classrooms
 - C. Spirit Wear forms were printed today and will be sent home with students this week

- D. The Back to School Event was a success! - Ericka/JT to give update
- Budget: \$3000
 - Spent: \$2177
 - Parent feedback was positive at the end of the event.
 - The food truck vs cookout- Too expensive, cookout last year was cheaper.
4. G-Chat or WhatsApp for communication rather than texting?
5. Treasurer's Report
- Possible budget increase for parent tailgate
 - Gardella motioned to approve the September budget, Katie seconded
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6. Looking Ahead
- PTC has a list of events and fundraisers they would like to have this school year. Events are listed below with target times for these events:
 - Put out to parents for volunteers to put together restaurant fundraiser

Event/Fundraisers	Date	Person Leading	Projected Expense/Profit	Notes
Welcome back fall event	August 26th 2023 10:00 - 1:00	Ericka/JT	\$3000 (spend - food, drinks, activities/stations)	See above
Penny Wars	September 25th - 29th 2023	Justin	\$200 (profit)	*Everything has been posted *Buckets needed this week *Looking for a non-fee coin counting
Adult Tailgate	October 6th 2023	Ericka/Eryn	\$300 (spend) Approved to increase to \$600	*No alcohol *Games/foodtruck/bonfire/music *Ideas welcome *Need cornhole boards *\$120 fire permit *Find a spot for fire *Prizes have been donated *Budget updated to increase by \$300 Motion by

				Colleen, second by Alicia. *Get a price list from the food truck before hand to post
Staff Offsite Event	October 2023	Lisa/Josh/Eryn	\$1000	
Trunk or Treat	October 27th 2023 5:00 - set up 6:00-7:30 trunk or treat	Alicia	\$100 (spend - everyone pays for their own decorations/candy)	* Volunteer forms turned in by the 13th. * Forms go home on Oct. 2 *Donation boxes needed. *Colleen has boxes, Katie and Nicole will decorate them.
Veterans Day celebration	November 11th 2023	Eryn	\$200 (spend)	*Classrooms will sponsor a veteran with cards and a donation based basket (pistons tickets Nov 27, tshirt) *Submissions for veterans will begin in October.
Santa/Mrs. Claus at Holiday Concerts	December 2024	Ericka		*Santa- possible donations for pictures, give Santa's number to Perrin, Toys for Tots for a picture with santa. *PTC is not doing the actual pictures this year
Assembly	January 2024	Colleen		Criminal Safety Assembly

Daddy/Daughter	February 11th 2024	Ashley/Alicia	\$100 (spend - prizes only)	*Other than dance ideas: *Painting Party *Movie Date (dress up, red carpet) *Open to ideas!
Mother/Son	March 15th 2024	Nicole	\$100 (spend - prizes only)	n/a
Staff Offsite Event	March 2024	Lisa/Josh/Eryn	\$1000	Possible Paintball?
Desserts with families	April 12th 2024 4:15-6:15 (after school)	Katie	\$400 (spend - food)	n/a
Staff appreciation week (brunch & ice cream)	Week of May 6th 2024 Monday- food Wednesday- gift Friday- ice cream	Colleen	\$3000 (spend - food/gift)	*Quotes for breakfast and coffee bar. *Lottery Ticket *Leftover (possible ice cream)
Kickball Game	May 9th 2024	Amanda	\$500 (spend - food)	*More social media this year
Fun Run	May 13th - 24th 2024 (Middle School) May 27th - June 7th 2024 (PreK - 5)	Amanda/Lisa	\$12000 (profit)	*MS will have their own program
Bounce House Party	November 2023 January 2023 April 2023	Gardella	\$500 (profit)	November 3-1:00-3:30 (tie into attendance)
School clothing/spirit wear	Sept 2023, Dec 2024, May 2024	Colleen	\$600 (profit)	
School pictures/Life Touch	October 5th 2023 (fall) April 11th 2024 (spring)	Katie/Eryn	\$1000 (profit)	

LED TV x2			\$750	*Ask Josh for what he thinks. He will look it up and give
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7. Round Table Discussion (non-agenda items)

- A. FishTank for Utica
- B. WhatsApp, G Chat- Eryn will set up a WhatsApp
- C. PTC email- All board members will have access
- D. \$2000 to the new building- possibly just write a check to the school.
- E. PTC dinner at the end of the year to thank the work of the PTC members from the budget.
- F. Have a computer available for digital sign in sheet at future meetings.

8. Adjournment (7:44 PM)