

Renner Elementary PTA Meeting

August 24, 2023

Tara Davis & Laura Seidel, Co-Presidents
Kim Plante VP of Membership
Tracey Post, VP of Ways and Means
Lindsey Partington, Corresponding Secretary
Amber Neal, Recording Secretary
Falisha Hough, Treasurer
Jenny Livingston, Historian

1. Introductions
2. Officer Check-Ins
 - a. Tara & Laura - Co-Presidents
 - i. PTA events that have already occurred prior to this meeting:
 1. K Popsicles on Playground
 2. Staff Back to School Treats
 3. Staff Back to School Night Dinner
 4. Kindergarten Boo Hoo Bags
 - ii. Gift for All Students with PTA Forms and information sheet going home with students next week.
 - iii. Homecoming Parade 9/8 (deadline to register 8/31)
 1. Plan to not participate this year but try next year when there may be more involvement.
 2. Suggestion for next year: Themed Homecoming week to go along with Park Hill High School's school spirit--Miss Gallagher and 3rd graders to lead this.
 - iv. Class Party Committee Volunteers (Sept thru Feb)
 1. Amazon wish list for items needed for parties ahead of time.
 2. Financial donations will be accepted as well.

3. Volunteers: Michelle Smith, Kim Muecke, Kim Plante, Amber Neal
4. A+ Students may also assist with class parties—they need at least 2 weeks' notice.
- v. Budget Committee Volunteers (August thru Sept)
 1. Volunteers: Tara Davis, Laura Seidel
- vi. Gaga Ball Pit (Gift to School) Status: Tara/Dr. Johnson
 1. Pause on this gift idea right now
 2. Will continue this conversation next meeting after more ideas are discussed
- vii. District PTA Mtg Report: Laura
 1. Thursday mornings 9:30am once per month
 2. 12th elementary school scheduled to open Fall 2025
 3. Park Hill School District is the largest employer of Platte County
 4. DEIB Council is planned to be in every school
 5. A+ Student are available to assist with school-related events
 6. Clothing Center is run by District PTA—open to anyone in the Park Hill district
 7. JCDC Alerts - visit MO PTA website to sign up for their alerts to be in the know about legislature that is up for votes
 8. Free and reduced lunch students/families may also qualify for the technology fee waiver
 9. More social workers have been hired by the district to serve our district
- b. Kim - VP of Membership
 - i. Membership Status Update
 1. 59 total members; 55 have paid
 - ii. Membership Drawing

1. Made in KC has donated a \$50 gift card that will be raffled off on 10/1/23 for members who have paid for this 2023-2024 school year
 - c. Tracey - VP of Ways and Means
 - i. Food Night Plans
 1. Papa John's Day: 9/21/23
 2. Chipotle Night: 10/25/23
 3. Red Robin Night: 11/15/23
 4. Papa John's Day: 12/7/23
 5. Freddy's: 2/6/24
 6. Papa John's Day: 3/6/24
 7. Papa John's Day: 4/18/24
 - ii. Skate Night Plans
 1. 9/14/23 at River Roll
 2. 2/22/24 at River Roll
 1. Dr. Johnson and Mr. Martinez may have a skate off to promote the event
 - iii. Other plans?
 - d. Lindsey - Corresponding Secretary
 - e. Amber - Recording Secretary
 - f. Jenny - Historian
 - g. Falisha - Treasurer
 - i. Annual Financial Review Committee Volunteers (September through October).
 1. Volunteers: Kim Plante, Amber Neal, Falisha Hough
3. Committee Updates
 - a. Spirit Wear: Megan Gallagher
 1. Viewed the new apparel.
 2. Will plan to do a webstore again this year
 4. Principal's Update
 1. Virtual Family Orientation moved to 9/6/23 due to the Chiefs game—will be available at 4:30pm

5. Adjournment

Upcoming Events:

- September 4th - No School; Labor Day
- September 6th - Parent Orientation - Virtual 4:30-6:00pm
- September 13th - Early Release 1:15pm
- September 14th - PTA Skate Night at River Roll 6:00-8:00pm
- September 21st - PTA Papa John's All-Day 9:30am-11:00pm
- September 21st - PTA Meeting 6:00pm