

# Myers Elementary PTO General Meeting Minutes

## October 20, 2022

Present In Person: Board members: Ikysha Derry, Toni Horn and Melani Kodikian  
General Members: 5 parents, 1 faculty

Present on Zoom: Board Members: Rosalind Draughn  
General Members: 3 parents, 1 faculty

Meeting started at 7pm

Intro of all attendees present and on Zoom

Explanation of PTO's purpose and mission

- A parent requested PTO hosts adult only social gathering for members, to engage parents and provide an opportunity for parents meet each other. Discussion followed elaborating on intention of event, similar opportunities and whether focus of PTO should be on kids experience and/or parents' experience.

PTO Initiatives

- Playground repairs: replenishment of mulch and replacement of rubber matting in Kindergarten playground scheduled by district.
  - Requests Made at Meeting to Improve Playgrounds:
    - Add Hop Scotch
    - Clearing Trash cans on regular and sufficient schedule
    - Add liners to trash cans
    - Paint & Sand Railings
    - Repaint the map of United States
    - Replace Soccer Nets
    - Trim Bushes
    - Add more furniture
- Review of monthly general meetings schedule and purposed
- Family Movie Night: October 21<sup>st</sup> in playground next to gym
- Wellness Wednesday: First Wednesday of each month. Looking for parent volunteers to provide instructions on a variety of classes.
- Collaboration with school sponsored PBIS Initiatives
- Heritage Night "A Trip Around the World": details forthcoming

PTO's Need for Parent / Guardian Volunteers

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District Wide Parent / Family Engagement Opportunities

New Business

- Request to solicit district to provide padding along walls of gym
- Request to provide sanitary products for students
- Inquiry as to PTO's social media presence and active engagement
- Suggestion to create a Class Parent for each classroom to communicate with class parents, teacher and students
- Create a contact list of parents/guardians for each classroom, including email and phone number(s). Make accessible to parents of that classroom. Participation is optional by the parent(s)/guardian.

Adjourned at 8:15pm