

Agenda PTO Meeting April 4, 2023

Vice President: Amber Haifley	Call to order 6:31
• Call to Order	
<ul> <li>Welcome/Intros</li> </ul>	
Secretary: Liz Blomberg	Approved
<ul> <li>Approval of Minutes from March 7, 2023</li> </ul>	
Officer Report's	President: Amber Haifley - absent
<ul> <li>President: Amber Haifley -</li> </ul>	Vice President: Anni Rodgers
<ul> <li>Vice President: Anni Rodgers</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Successful PTO presenting to families at evening school visit</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Secretary: Liz Blomberg</li> </ul>	o 56 new family emails
<ul> <li>Call for new business</li> </ul>	o 20 new followers on PTO Instagram site
<ul> <li>Treasure: Annette Weaver-Brooks</li> </ul>	Secretary: Liz Blomberg
<ul> <li>Approve treasure report</li> </ul>	o Call for new business
o Co-treasure interest	• Treasure: Annette Weaver-Brooks
o May 2 <sup>nd</sup> PTO as a whole will	o treasure report approved
vote using paper ballots	o Co-treasure interest – Jennifer King
	o May 2 <sup>nd</sup> PTO as a whole will vote using paper ballots
Principal's Report	New student night with students and families went well
Tara/Colleen	• School website calendar is up to date
	• New Opportunities for our school
	<ul> <li>Tara/MSMHS are partnering with Town of Groton for a Sustainable program 1<sup>st</sup> Regional Youth Climate Summit</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>International Student program</li> </ul>
	o 2 weeks summer program w' middle schoolers form China to
	come to our school and learn about marine science
Committee Report(s)	• Fundraisers - Anni Rodgers
<ul> <li>Fundraisers - Anni Rodgers</li> </ul>	o Basket Bonanza/Mango's raised \$1300. + for Scholarship fund
<ul> <li>Scholarships - Melissa Burdo</li> </ul>	o Little Caesar raised \$300. + for Scholarship fund
<ul> <li>Student Appreciation (quarterly) - Erica</li> </ul>	• Scholarships - Melissa Burdo
Chandler	o Extended application due date to April 27th
<ul> <li>Staff Appreciation - Jennifer King</li> </ul>	• Student Appreciation (quarterly) - Erica Chandler
	o Absent
	• Staff Appreciation - Jennifer King
	<ul> <li>Luncheon being planned for late May or early</li> </ul>



## New Business - Secretary: Liz Blomberg

- Mr. K's role
- Follow up on Februarys fight
- Follow up on parent forum
- Learns schools discipline policy
- Mr. K's role
  - o MSMHS theme coach
  - o Working alongside Tara with documenting the \$2 million grant that the school received
  - o School culture and social awareness
  - Anti-Defamation league support
  - o "Names can hurt" program support
- Follow up on Februarys fight
  - o administration does not currently have the bandwidth to provide additional communication or Provide a Parent forums
- Follow up on parent forum
- Learns schools discipline policy
- Learn does have a discipline policy
   <a href="https://www.learn.k12.ct.us/cms/One.aspx?portalld=107023&pageId=14407652">https://www.learn.k12.ct.us/cms/One.aspx?portalld=107023&pageId=14407652</a>

## Announcements/Reminders/U pcoming dates Secretary: Liz Blomberg

- April 7-14: Spring Break
- April 27: Senior scholarship applications due (download here)
- May: Shark Month (Fundraiser)
- May 12: Lip Dub & Senior Capstones (early dismissal grades 9-11)
- May 24: Senior Breakfast (tentative)
- May 25: Senior Class Trip
- May 26: Junior & Senior Prom (Water's Edge, Westbrook)
- May 30: Field Day
- May 31: Awards Night
- June 2: Volleyball Tournament (@ MSMHS)
- June 7: Shark Bites @ Margaritas
- June 8: Graduation! (Garde Arts in New London)
- June 12: Last Day of School & Graduate Celebration

## Vice President: Anni Rogers

Adjournment

7:36

