



Waverly Elementary School PTA

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General Membership Meeting

December 10, 2024 at 6:30 PM

Virtual via Google Meet

ATTENDANCE (8)

Cherilyn Brown, Principal
Cheryl Santoni, Assistant Principal
Amber Taylor, Leadership Intern

Jennifer Bagdasarian, President
Tiffany Tangen, Vice President of Membership
Amy Crouch, Vice President of Fundraising
Erin Miller, Vice President of Fundraising
Benjamin Bach, Co-Treasurer, PTACHC Representative
Ashley Jolissaint Hopper, Corresponding Secretary
Vanessa Hong, Recording Secretary

Edmund Asante
Jacqueline Casserly
Eun Cho
Tha Hlawn Cuai
Mercy Debele
Sajila Fahad
Atousa Fouladichami
Shari Haddaway
Yi Han
Cathy He
Melissa Hladek
Brad Kaiwi
Joeun Lim
Xinyuan Miao
Sami Moahid
Kelly Van Horn
Bhuvana Vijay

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MEETING AGENDA

6:30 PM: Call to order by Dr. Bagdasarian (President)

REPORTS FROM SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

- **Mrs. Brown (Principal):**
 - Thank you for all of the parent volunteers, including those for American Education week, field trips, book fair, and International Day.
 - 5th Grade conferences are coming up.
 - Attendance is key to maintain academic continuity.
- **Mrs. Santoni (AP):**
 - Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences are for Math.
 - Thank you to the PTA for organizing the Turkey Trot! The student who won “Assistant Principal of the Day” with Mrs. S was wonderful.
- **Ms. Taylor (Admin. Intern):**
 - Next week is School Spirit Week, so don't forget to dress up!

REPORTS FROM WES PTA EXECUTIVE BOARD

- **Mrs. Haddaway & Mrs. Van Horn (Teacher Liasons)**
 - Thank you for Parent-Teacher Conference dinner and the PTA generosity towards staff.
 - Teachers are working on getting a recess game wish list to submit to the PTA.
 - Teachers are excited about International Day.
- **Update from Jennifer Bagdasarian (President)**
 - Turkey Trot (Mount Hebron 11/2/24): Thank you to Mrs. Santoni, Ms. Taylor, and the Wildcat Mascot for attending and cheering on the students!
 - Pizza lunch bunch for the top fundraisers: 20 students per lunch bunch during lunch during the Thanksgiving week half-days. Will reach out to the parents regarding ingredients and allergies.
- **Ben Bach (PTACHC Representative):**
 - PTACHC proposed local legislation will be up for vote on January 6. Email Mr. Bach before then to provide feedback for the WES vote. benjamin.u.bach@gmail.com
 - <https://www.ptachc.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/12/2025-Proposed-Local-Legislation.pdf>
- **Dr. Bagdasarian**
 - November 2024 PTA meeting minutes approved.
 - Thank you to the teachers and administrators for all of the hard work at American Education Week.
 - Exciting December Events:
 - Book Fair (now through 12/11/2024): volunteers needed!
https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4FA5A82EAAFAC52-53238842-december?fbclid=IwY2xjawG9UIJleHRuA2FlbQIxMQABHfh5Ey3P-DxNSSZpZ0w0t4JnAdQshi3JoN7F2p8n2aE1T36M8-IRw9iWlg_aem_Txmt9lmiDI7YTh2DLteQrw#/
 - International Day (12/13/24): volunteers needed!
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D45A8A92EA2FAC43-53561527-international>
 - PTA is organizing holiday gifts for bus drivers, aides, cafeteria staff, and custodial staff to be distributed next Wednesday.
 - PTA is organizing holiday sweets for Monday, 12/16/24. Will be posting for donations from parents.
 - Reflections deadline extended to 12/20/24. Parents can submit directly https://www.ptachc.org/?page_id=379

- Fundraising:
 - Texas Roadhouse event raised \$470.69
- Backpack Buddies:
 - Will reach out to Mrs. Ruppe to determine what support is needed.
- Yearbook:
 - Thank you to Melissa Huffman and Li Deng for putting together the yearbook.
 - Send photo submissions to wavesyearbook@gmail.com
- 5th Grade:
 - Amy Crouch is organizing 5th grade event at Crazy Mason Jar. Will ask her to share information with the greater 5th grade community.
- Teacher Wish Lists:
 - Will organize a deadline and plan for Mrs. Haddaway to share with the teachers and staff, possibly for Valentine's Day rather than the winter holidays since it is already December, so that teachers will have time to plan.
- **Mrs. Van Horn: Green School**
 - For now, teachers and paras are collecting used markers for Mrs. VH to drop off at Staples. Trying to find out more about whether collection sites actually recycle or if they are just trying to get more business (e.g., Staples, Crayola).
- **Yi Han (SECAC rep)**
 - HCPSS Special Education update—can reach out to Mr. Han if you want more information about the special education summer program and update about accommodations hanyi1990@gmail.com

7:05 PM: Meeting closed.

NEXT MEETING

Tuesday, January 14, 2024 at 6:30 PM (virtual)