

KIRTLAND PTA
General Membership Meeting

Date: Tuesday, March 21, 2023

Location: Kirtland Elementary School, Hornet Hall

Time: 6:08 p.m.

Adjourned: 6:44 p.m.

Meeting Agenda:

- Call to Order
- Pledge of Allegiance
- PTA Mission Statement: *To make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.*
- Introduction of board members:
 - President: Dawn Schossler
 - 1st Vice President: Katy Dugger
 - 2nd Vice President: Anna McGregor
 - Treasurer: Karen Dudgeon
 - Secretary: Kelly Prymicz
 - Sunshine Chair: Kelly Addis
 - Lake County PTA Representative: Andrea Ribic
 - High School Representative: Kyle Crisci (absent)
 - Middle School Representative: Stephanie DiFranco

General Updates and Info (Dawn Schossler)

- Approval of the February Minutes (as posted on PTA section of Kirtland Schools Website)
- Motion to approved by Cassie McGlone

Treasurer's Report (Karen Dudgeon)

- Financial Update Budget report & non-board member to sign the bank statement

Board Reports

President – Dawn Schossler:

- Crumbl Cookie fundraiser went well, thanks everyone for supporting this!
- Princess Prom (father/daughter) – Thank you Aimee & Katy! Wonderful event!
- Valentine's Day Treat – Thanks volunteers! Everyone loved choc syrup/fruit trays!
- Bowling Bash (mother/son) – Thank you Cassie & Rachel for helping! So much fun!
- PTA will award (5) KHS \$1,000 Scholarships this year to the top 5 anonymously selected senior participants! Application deadline April 3rd

Vice Presidents – Katy Dugger and Anna McGregor:

- PTA Annual Spring Auction (April 29, 2023) – Tickets on sale NOW!!

➤ St. Noel banquet center in Willoughby, 6-11pm ~ dinner & open bar

➤ Tickets \$75 each, check to Kirtland PTA or online:

<https://app.memberhub.gives/kirtlandptaspringauction/Event>

➤ 2 vacations to win in the Live Auction!! (Special thanks to Sierra Carson!)

➤ Liquor wheelbarrow – over \$1200 value, Lottery Tree, Wine Pull, sideboards, baskets, 50/50, silent auction items...and more!

➤ If you can help or have questions Katy 440-537-4062 or Anna 440-488-0162

➤ Announcing PTA Board Positions for next term (LCC representative) announced at the next PTA Meeting

Sunshine Chair – Kelly Addis: Family Bingo Night was a blast! Food drive donated significant amount of food End 68 Hours of Hunger

Middle School- Stephanie: Popcorn continues; Spring dance is April 21st for the Middle School

LCC Rep – Andrea Ribic: Ohio PTA has 3 different scholarships available in March, Mr. Amstutz will include in student notifications (ohiopta.org)

Superintendent & Principals Reports:

- Superintendent – Chad VanArnhem State of the Schools April 25th Senior Citizen Appreciation Night April 27th, Renewal Levy; Alumnae Association Meeting, Outdoor demolition started, watch for updated traffic patterns; Community Blood Drive March 28th (donation for the flag pole behind school)
- Elementary Principal – Katy Nagaj (absent, read by Dawn Schossler): Thank you for stock the lounge, popcorn and movie party, March is Career Month, Green Tuesdays in March; Skating Party 3/22; Fifth grade Invention Convention; Access Morning Announcements from websites; Important dates and end-of-year information in the next newsletter
- Middle and High School Principal – Scott Amstutz: Winter Sports Banquet; PSAT 10, ACT; Fine Arts group going to NY; finish student schedules for next year; April is State Testing; Graduation planning
- Middle School Assistant Principal – Bob Race (presented by Scott Amstutz) Parent meetings for Washington D.C. and Chicago; 6th grade camp parent meeting; wellness challenge 6 middle school students selected;

Announcements:

- 4/3 Deadline to turn in PTA Scholarship Applications (KHS Seniors)
- 4/5 KES Popcorn/Movie Party
- 4/11 PTA Meeting, 6pm, Hornet Hall
- 4/29 PTA Spring Auction – St. Noel's banquet hall, 6-10pm – BUY TICKETS ONLINE NOW!

New Business:

- Patty Caimi presenting Levy Renewal May 2nd (no new taxes, necessary to maintain the General Fund), need school supporters to get out to vote
 - Sign-up Genius to help greet people at the polls, share social media FriendsOfKirtlandSchools, pick-up/drop-off signs, advocates if false information arises.
 - Monday night 8pm zoom meetings if anyone would like to attend

- Megan MacGillis Just Run Program update: practice on the back fields and side streets (due to construction); only those going to run the race will be registered, but other children are welcome to practice; Need parents to sign-up NOW to learn the program as no volunteers are known to take-over the program next year and beyond

Adjournment 6:44pm

*Prepared by Kelly Prymicz
Recording Secretary*

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4. Karen Dudgeon
5. Kelly Prymicz
6. Kelly Addis
7. Stephanie DiFranco
8. Andrea Ribic
9. Chad VanArnhem
10. Scott Amstutz
11. Patty Caimi
12. Megan MacGillis
13. Nicole Rodriguez
14. Aimee Jackson
15. Rachel Slapnicker
16. Hillary Hoose
17. Cassie McGlone
18. Dale Lozar
19. Alyson Musat
20. Abby Folk
21. Megan Farnsworth