



**Bennett's Mill Middle School PTO**  
**August 2016 PTO General Meeting Minutes**

**Date, Time, and Location:** Monday, August 29<sup>th</sup>, 2016, at 6:30 PM in the BMMS Media Center

**Meeting Called to Order by:** President Tina Moore at 6:45PM

**Attendance:** Tina, Kim, Ed, Britt, Sharon

**Minutes:** No previous minutes to be read and approved

**Officer's Reports:**

*(Name of speaker, summary of business discussed)*

President: given by Tina Moore

- Introductions of the board members
- New car decals – all attendees get one for attending tonight
- Mission – Support students and teachers
- At this point we do not have any plans to sell anything
- Need a few positions filled still
  - Communications Secretary
  - Hospitality/Gratitude Coordinator

Treasurer: given by Kim Dobso

- Finance Report
  - Balance – \$12,7649
  - 291 paid memberships YTD
    - 62 last year

Vice President (Membership): given by Willie Bohles

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- There is no commitment/obligation to volunteer

Social Secretary:

- Planned Events:
  - Grandparents Breakfast – Friday 9/9 at 7:30 AM
  - Teacher appreciation
    - Breakfast (Thanks a Bunch Theme, Bananas, Thanks a Minion)
      - Looking at a Friday for this – Date 9/2 @ 7:30 AM
- School is looking for:
  - Money Request – Mr. Key asking for funds for these events
    - Motion to donate \$500 first semester - Approved
  - PBIS – BMMS is the model and new schools that want to implement it come here to learn
    - Motion to donate \$250 for PBIS – Approved

Recording Secretary: given by Ed Moore

- Introductions with Brush w/Fame



**Committee Reports:**

*(Name of speaker, summary of business discussed)*

Hospitality Committee:

Academic Boosters: given by Sharon

- Fundraising
  - Shoe drive material arrives this week. Official start date is 8/15. Lasts between 30 and 40 days. Our goal is 100 bags (25 pairs per bag) – Worth \$4000 if we get to that number
    - Bring them to the media center or the front office
    - Flip flops and slippers are acceptable
    - Ends in November
    - Students – 25 pair worth 10 Bronco Bucks
    - Teachers – 25 pair worth a jeans day at school
    - Funds Academic Boosters
  - Kroger Community Partner– BMMS is signed up for their card. You do have to go online to register your card.
  - Publix Card
- Academic Boosters
  - Corporate Sponsors – Office Depot, TCBY, Publix, Bank of America
  - Parents can also donate to academic boosters

School Beautification: given by Britt Canby

- Areas of focus identified – mulch, bushes, plants, tree and shrub trimming
- Need volunteers once date is identified
- Donations can be made towards that as well

PTO Teacher Liaison Report:

- New liaison this year
- Thrilled at the number of folks attending the meeting
- BMMS is a partnership between the parents, students, and teachers
- Saturday sessions continuing this year

**Principal's Report:** given by Marcus Broadhead

- Pleased to see the numbers of PTO donations rising
- Let us know when you have feedback (good and bad)

**Old Business:**

(Key information and motions voted on)

None

**New Business:**

(Key information and motions voted on)

- Need a few positions filled still:
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- Tailgate – Originally scheduled for Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> (7<sup>th</sup> grade Basketball Game) – this is election day so we need to look at rescheduling
- Grandparents Breakfast – Friday 9/9 at 7:30 AM
- Teacher appreciation
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    - Looking at a Friday for this – Date 9/2 @ 7:30 AM
- School wide Talent Showcase
  - Friday September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7-8:30 PM at Sam's Auditorium
- Reuse and Repurpose Center – Located across from Fayette Co. High School. Donations are accepted and can be brought to Tina Moore. Students can also volunteer
- Is there a membership card for joining the PTO? No
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**Next Meeting:**

General Membership Meeting – 08/29/16 at 6:30 PM in BMMS Media Room (9/26, 10/24, 1/30, 2/27, 3/27, 4/24)

**Meeting Adjourned at:**

7:25PM

**Minutes Compiled by:**

Ed Moore – Recording Secretary