



MINUTES

OES PTA Meeting

May 31, 2023, 7:00PM

In Attendance

This meeting was conducted online via zoom. Attendees included:

Meredith Campbell, Erin Gallagher, Ji-Eun Kastner, Karen Rose, Joy Park Lee, Anna, Yulia, Angie Hirzel, Paula Currall, Andrea Zuppas, Keith Eck, Jing Zhu, Hubbard, Lori, Sneha and Tzitziki Hinkley.

PTA Business

Meredith called the meeting to order at 7:02pm, and welcomed everyone to the last PTA meeting of the year. She made a motion to enter the minutes from last meeting (April 2023), and seconded by Paula Currall.

Budget

Karen presented the budget to everyone, and went over all the funds raised and expenses for the year.

PTA only exists thanks to our volunteers and fundraising. All the “income” is raised by PTA activities. The expenses are what we are spending money on to host events, programs, enrichment, providing support and supplies for teachers.

Every year we come up with a Budget to forecast what we need to raise to pay for everything we want to do.

Unfortunately, Amazon Smile is ending for good.

We’ve raised \$59,000 and spent almost \$37,000. We plan to spend most of the rest as well (\$22,000).

Programs

- Field Day – we need more volunteers for the morning session (grades 4-6)
- School Toolbox – school supplies for next year are for sale. We earn some of the profit.
- 2023 PTA – We have all of our Board members, but are still looking for event chairs. Please let us know if you’re interested or have questions.
- Lost and Found – everything will be donated at the end of the year, so please send your kids to have a look

Special Education Committee (Andrea) – looking for new members. Please reach out if you’re interested or have questions!

Meredith thanked all of the current Board members for all of their hard work/time!

She listed the nominees for the 2023-2024 Board:

President: Joy Park Lee
President elect: Vacant
VP Programs: Laila Cooper
VP Fundraising: Sidney Kim
VP Communications: Meredith Campbell
VP Membership: Elissa Shahan
VP Volunteer Resources: Christine Lancman
Recording Secretary: Paula Currall
Treasurer: Karen Rose
Treasurer elect: Vacant

All were voted in unanimously.

Keith Eck – Thank you to the outgoing board! We really appreciate you.

Meredith made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:19pm. The motion was seconded by Karen Rose.

Meredith thanked everyone for coming.

Upcoming Events and Activities

June 1st – Strings Concert at OHS at 7pm
June 3rd – PTA Forum Town Hall
June 7th – Choir concert at OES
June 8th and 9th - Field Day
June 13th – Kindergarten End of Year Celebration at 2pm at OES
June 15th – Leaving Ceremony for Grade 6 at 1:30pm at OHS
June 15th – Grade 6 Party at OES at 6pm
June 16th – Last day of school (Early release)
June 16th – DFD at Ben and Jerry's (2pm to 10pm)

Next Meeting

The next PTA meeting will take place in September 2023.