London ISD Parent Teacher Organization General Meeting

March 8, 2022

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:10 PM by London ISD PTO President, Kirsti Barrera and was followed by an Invocation recited by Melissa Pardy.

PTO Board Members In Attendance

Board members Kristi Barrera, Kara Campbell, Melissa Pardy, Shelby Larkins, Kate Read, Carley Perkins and Leann Keith were present and were joined by parents of LISD 4th graders and other LISD community members.

Approve Minutes from September 17, 2021 London ISD General Meeting

Minutes from the September 17, 2021 General Meeting were attached to this meeting's agenda.

Motion to Approve minutes: Stephanie Galloway

Seconded: Brian Campbell

Motion was approved by verbal acceptance

Vote on New PTO Board Member

Vote to approve Leann Keith as new LISD PTO VP of Fundraising after Kim Browning's departure due to family relocation.

Motion to approve new VP of Fundraising: Chris Galloway

Seconded by: Cara Fines

Motion was approved by verbal acceptance.

Committee Reports

Fundraising

PIRATE FEST

- Thank you to all donors, volunteers and London ISD Staff and community for supporting a fun and successful Pirate Fest Fundraiser
- Together, we raised a record-breaking \$80,000!

FUN RUN

- Will be held on April 8 with fundraising beginning on March 28
- Elementary and Intermediate students participate in this fundraiser
- Students win prizes from Boosterthon and London ISD PTO. Incentive prizes are distributed to students and teachers for highest rate of registration as well as for highest pledge amounts.
- Each student receives a complimentary spirit Tshirt for the event
- Our goal for this fundraiser is \$50,000

Use of Funds

SPECIAL PROJECTS

To date, this school year, we have provided \$30,000 for Chromebooks. Previous purchases include UIL Academic Achievement banners for the HS, Art Supplies, Culinary Arts equipment, Rocketry Club and classroom tools. The outcome of Fun Run fundraising will help us to plan the budget for more Special Projects. This year, we are taking the additional step of asking campus administrators to help us prioritize objectives for Special Projects Funds.

CLASSROOM STIPEND OF \$150 FOR FULL-TIME TEACHERS

STAFF APPRECIATION

- To date, this school year, we have provided breakfast at the New Staff Orientation in July, staff-wide breakfast in October, staff-wide lunch in December, and we will be providing a staff-wide lunch in May
- Each staff member gets an appreciation gift at the end of every 6 week period.
- Please mark your calendars Teacher Appreciation week is May 2-6 this year and we will be sending information about the many ways you can join us in appreciating all of our LISD teachers.

PTO BOARD OPENINGS FOR SY 2022-2023

 Please email ptolondon@gmail.com if you are interested in serving on the PTO Board next year.

This meeting adjourned at 6:24 pm and was followed by a special informational presentation of the Facilities Advisory Committee (Stephanie Schade, Jennifer Rives and Cara Fines) regarding upcoming bond proposals. LISD 4th graders performed their Spring Music Recital following the FAC presentation.