

Minutes of the EASTERN TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL PTSA BOARD MEETING – 2013-2014

October 14, 2013

CALL TO ORDER

Kelly Bowers called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

ROLL CALL

Present- 2013-14 Officers: Kelly Bowers, Rachel Hills, Doris Hitt, Lisa Broznowicz, Tom Evans

Committee Chairs: Kathy Thompson-Hospitality, Chrissie Gettier-16th Birthday, Kim Fortuna-website, Jenn Ordak-Bingo, Vicki Pfannenstien-After-Prom, Tina Slokan-Membership/Stampede

General Membership: Tom Broznowicz, Karen Kelly, Kathy Johns, Gil Johns, Marty Wrzesinski, June Hairston-Statens, Terri Marciszewski, Mike Rosenberger, Scott Wiseman

MINUTES – Motion made by Rachel Hills to approve the August minutes as written, motion was seconded by Lisa Broznowicz.

TREASURER'S REPORT – Lisa Broznowicz: see attached.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT – Tom Evans: The showcase (Open House) was well attended. 300-325 seats are open for incoming students. Homecoming/Spirit week went smoothly. The Common Core will be explained at the SIT (School Improvement Team) meeting on Nov. 11 at 7pm in the Eastern Inn. The county has taken over the expense of graduation but does not allow a rehearsal at the arena. Graduation will be at the new SECU arena at Towson University on May 29, 2014 at 7pm. Rehearsal will be at ET. ET is trying to get a video of a graduation ceremony held there so the students can see how it will go. Senior Awards will be during the school day on May 22, 2014. Parents can attend. Senior picnic is May 23, 2014. Maria Lowry, the new Assistant Superintendent for high schools wants to meet with parents on Monday, Oct. 21 from 8-9:30am at ET. Free SATs for all Juniors on April 30, 2014. The new resource officer is Joe Comegna. No marriages or babies expected. Mr. Baker conducted Volunteer Training.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT – Kelly Bowers: Rachel Hills and Kathleen Wiles are going to the fall PTA workshop. Newsletters need to go out by Nov. 21. Deadline for copy is Nov. 15. Volunteers needed from Nov. 18-20 to fold. The students may help fold them this time. Open House was busy but good and we sold some of the remaining mums. Homecoming Dance needed more volunteers but we managed. Facebook page has been, parents can like Eastern Tech PTSA. No comments are allowed to be posted. Chipotle Night is Oct. 16; you don't need a flyer and we receive 50% profit. We have a few mums left to sell. No meeting in Nov. due to SIT meeting. Carlyn Smith Creations asked to sell Eastern Tech Christmas balls for \$10; we receive \$1 from each sale. Majority agreed to sell them. Christie will notify Junior class advisors that the PTSA gives the Junior Prom \$500 worth of gift cards (chosen from Scrips form).

TEACHER REPORT – N/A

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT – N/A

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY REPORT – send all info that needs to be emailed to Doris at etptsanews@gmail.com

LIAISON REPORTS: PARENT CLASS REPRESENTATIVES:

Senior- Kathleen Wiles, Junior- Chrissie Gettier, Sophomore-Kathy Thompson: looking for guest bartending fundraiser, Freshman- Doris Hitt

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

AFTER PROM – Vicki Pfannenstien: Green Turtle night Nov. 17 all day; we receive 10% of all sales including shirts and gift cards. Meeting with senior class advisors and giving them a prize survey sheet to have students complete with ideas for prizes. Volunteers needed for After-Prom Party, looking for underclass parents.

BANNERS – Doris Hitt: removing freshman banners on Oct. 15. 10 senior banner orders so far.

BASKET BINGO – Jenn Ordak: 14 baskets filled, sold 65 tickets so far.

BULLETIN BOARD – Half Chick-Fil-A and half Chipotle.

BLOOD DRIVE – March 2014

HOSPITALITY – Kathy Thompson: Homecoming went great. Snacks for PSAT testing on Nov 16, 2013

MEMBERSHIP – Tina Slokan: 690 members, 53 are ET staff. Stampede donations \$3794.20

NEWSLETTER – Tina Slokan December newsletter will be put together before Thanksgiving, student help from TAM.

NOMINATING – Brenda Marshall: n/a

PTA COUNCIL – Kathleen Wiles: n/a

REFLECTIONS – Ms. Hegmann: n/a

SCRIPS – Lisa Broznowicz: placing an order tonight. Will place orders more often as we get closer to holidays.

WEBSITE – Kim Fortuna: We will link volunteer training info from our website. Email her what you want added to website.

16th BIRTHDAYS – Chrissie Gettier: good to go

UNFINISHED/NEW BUSINESS: President of Music Boosters, Gil Johns, presented a flyer for Bull/Oyster Roast fundraiser. Gil wants to include Ledo Pizza nights and other fundraiser info in next newsletter.

OLD BUSINESS: N/A

NEXT MEETING – Monday, January 13, 2014

MEETING ADJOURNED: 8:18pm