



Carlos E. Haile Middle School
PTO Meeting
Tuesday, August 20, 2024

President: Jen Franczyk
Vice President: Michael Carlisle
Treasurer: Nadia Wood

Mission Statement

We will inspire our students with a passion for learning, empowering them to pursue their dreams confidently and creatively while contributing to our community, nation and world.

1. PTO mission for 2024-2025 school year
To be able to raise funds for:
 - School Sculpture (artist will attend a future meeting to go over sculpture) approx. cost \$6000
 - Mini grants for school initiatives/teachers. Ex. Last year a grant was provided purchase certificates.
 - Eighth grade dance
 - Staff appreciation events
2. Mini grants
Form should be submitted with purpose for grant and amount needed. Will be approved by Mrs. Nikitopolous first. If request is for \$100 or less it will be approved by Treasurer if funds are available. Request above \$100 will be brought to PTO meeting for vote on approval.
3. Financial Report
 - PTO currently has 2 accounts. One with the school & an independent bank account. Main goal is to use the funds in the school account first. This account is very restrictive on where items can be purchased, can't purchase gift cards and difficulty getting reimbursement. Any new funds raised will be deposited to the independent bank account. Any money collected during a fundraiser, or donations should be handed over to Treasurer directly.
4. Fundraising Ideas
 - Harvest Festival
 - Game on campus Staff vs. Students
 - Apex Fun Run
 - Bonfire on Campus with Food Trucks and Silent Auction
5. Event – Committees
 - Bonfire - Cody & Beth - Nov 8
 - Silent Auction during the bonfire- Jen & Nadia
 - Winter Wonderland Dance (all grades) Dec 6
 - Video Game Night – Mr. Vasile & Beth - Feb 7 (6pm-8pm)
 - Eighth Grade Dance – possible theme Luau - May 16
6. Spirit Nights
 - Michael will be the lead on scheduling approx. 1 a month.

PROTOCOLS:

- Be on time and participate fully.
- Respect the opinions of others.
- Ask questions and offer opinions.
- Take care of yourself.
- No “side bar” conversations.