**East Cobb Middle School PTSA General Membership Meeting**

**Thursday, September 1st (Cafeteria, Open House Night)**

***Begin: 5:51pm***

**Attendees:**

* 15+
* the table below details ECMS PTSA Members present, in order to establish quorum

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| Tracy | Caylor |  | Erin | Jones |  | Boann  | Oliver |
| Victoria | Cheplak |  | Dasha | Jones |  | Cindy | Shambaugh |
| Sarah Morgan | Bonham |  | Kevin | Jones |  | Lita | Pardi |
| Megan | Dickherber |  | Ted | Michel |  | Ellen | Sauve |
| Margaret | McIntyre |  | Darcey | Mullis |  | Leetonia | Young |

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**Secretary**: **Tracy Caylor**

Previous Meeting Minutes (5/10/22) were reviewed and approved. Attached.

* Motion == Cindy Shambaugh
* 2nd == Ellen Sauve
* 5:52pm

**Officers:**

* Co-President: Erin Jones
* Co-President: VACANT
* Co-Vice President: Vicky Cheplak
* Co-Vice President: Cindy Shambaugh
* Co-Secretary: Sarah Morgan Bonham
* Co-Secretary: Tracy Caylor
* Treasurer: Boann Oliver
* Parliamentarian: Summer Hathcock
* ECMS Foundation: TK Haff
* Principal’s Advisory Council: Lena Carstens

**PTSA Membership: Erin Jones**

* Currently at 233 (78% of goal of 300 members)
* 100% of ECMS Staff ☺
* Cost is $6 each
* ECMS PTSA works to ensure every child’s potential is a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.
* Being a member of ECMS PTSA means you are a part of a powerful association that is focused on programs and initiatives there strengthen your child’s education and family-school partnership
	+ Teacher / Staff Appreciation
	+ Family Engagement
	+ Arts/Reflections
	+ School Spirit
	+ Advocacy

**ECMS Foundation: Ellen Sauve**

* + The ECMS Foundation is a nonprofit, all-volunteer organization.
	+ Our mission is to support the students and staff of ECMS by raising funds to support programs and purchase educational resources that are not provided by state, county or federal budgets.
		- PTSA Events & Initiatives
		- Teacher Grants
		- School Programs not funded through the School District
		- Other projects requested by the faculty, staff and teachers.
	+ Invest with Positivity Campaign going on now

**Treasurer’s Report: Boann Oliver**

* Income = $7,200
* Dispersed = $3,500 (spirit wear, teacher appreciation)
* Current Balance = $2,700
* Audit is available on website (ecmsptsa.com)

**2022-2023 Budget**

* Income = $19,200
	+ Spirit Wear = $7,000
	+ Book Fair = $4,500
	+ Memberships = $2,000
	+ Foundation = $3,000
	+ Other = $2,200
	+ Rewards = $500
* Expenses = $20,335
	+ Spirit Wear = $5,000
	+ Book Fair = $3,500
	+ Memberships = $1,350
	+ Community = $6,250
	+ Other Projects = $2,400
	+ Scholarship = $1,000
	+ Admin & Business Exp = $835
* Balance Forward = $2,806

**Budget Adopted**

* Motion == Peggy McIntyre
* 2nd == Vicky Cheplak
* 6:01pm

 **Volunteer Opportunities: Vicky Cheplak**

* **Co-President (6th grade parent)**
* Marketing/ Newsletter/ Website (Ongoing)
* Chick-fil-a Biscuit Sales (Ongoing)
* Teacher Appreciation (Ongoing)
* Rep Store Volunteers (Ongoing)
* Scholastic Book Fair (October)
* Reflections Judges (October)
* Holiday Decorations (November)

**Upcoming Events:**

* September
* 2-Sep Chick-fil-a Biscuit sales start!
* 5-Sep Labor Day (Holiday)
* 15-Sep CCSD Board Meeting
* TBD Reflections Deadline
* October
* 13-20 Scholastic Book Fair
* 27 Chick-fil-a Spirit Night
* TBD Reflections Deadline

***Adjourned 6:08pm***