

# **HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL PTO MEETING MINUTES**

**August 23, 2017**

Hastings Middle School PTO met in regular session at 1850 Hastings Lane, Upper Arlington, Ohio, 43220

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Ann Carmichael, Melissa Ford, Lisa Olvey, Meghan Harder, Robb Gonda

## **Welcome & Introductions**

Ann Carmichael called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

## **Principal Report**

Principal Gonda gave the following update.

- The year started off very well.
- The theme for the year will be synergy. It will be used with the students and as the foundation to do things. Staff will also focus on “Hastings Path”.
- The eclipse was good, and thanks to the PTO for the extra glasses for students to use.
- HIP day was a success. The education foundation helped fund this event for the students. HOP day will be on Friday, September 1. Open house will be September 7<sup>th</sup>. Houston Kraft will come and speak on September 19<sup>th</sup>.
- The auditorium chairs will be 100% done soon. There will be a celebration planned for the new space.

## **Secretary’s Report**

Minutes have been distributed via e-mail.

Motion was made to approve minutes of the June 15<sup>th</sup> meeting.  
President Carmichael then called for the vote on the motion to pass the Minutes.

**VOTING AYE:** unanimous

**VOTING NAY:** None

### **Treasurer's Report**

The school supply sale income will be finalized soon. Spirit wear should be breaking even in September. Many of the popular items sold out at the back to school event. Tina will need replaced with a new chair/chairs for this important fundraising committee.

There will be a check cut for the levy support by Hastings PTO for \$250.

### **Presidents Report**

Golden Bear pride fundraiser will be 9/17 – 9/24 and people can pay for it online.

Trying another new fundraiser, called Yellow Bird. It is farm fresh food that will be delivered weekly to Hastings for pickup by families. There will be representation at the back to school night.

The directory has 11 advertisers, of which 8 were from last year. It will be the same size book as last year, it is not cheaper to go with a smaller one.

The board will continue to work to fill all the spots that will be open next year for chair positions and Board.

Meeting adjourned at 9:23 am