

Cuthbertson High School
PTSO Executive Committee Meeting Minutes
February 14, 2022 (via video conference)

Attendees: LaDonna Baldwin, Lisa DiPiazza, Justin Cook, Allison Gaffney, Rebekah Garrett, Jane Gettinger, Asa Humphries, Serena Johnson, Allison Matthews, Liz Patel, Julie Swafford, Jenn Ward, Georgina Zayas-DeCouto

Call to Order: 6:30 p.m.

Approve Meeting Minutes from January: Minutes approved.

Administration and Staff Update:

- Dr. DeCouto shared the Senior Breakfast was well-attended and enjoyed by all.
- She thanked the PTSO for the Souper Bowl of Caring, the monthly birthday gifts, and the continuous support.
- She and President LaDonna Baldwin reported that it was resolved that any Cuthbertson High School group (PTSO, band, theatre, clubs, student council, athletic boosters, etc.) are free to use any Cuthbertson logo.
- It was reiterated all volunteers need to be UCPS-approved.

Student Council President's Report

- Asa Humphries thanked the PTSO for the Senior Breakfast.
- He reported the student council is busy with plans for Teacher Appreciation Week, Spring Fling, as well as additional smaller events.
- Senior Juggernaut has 100 teams signed up. Details, rules, and registration are online. It will start at the end of February.

President's Report:

- LaDonna Baldwin shared the open positions on the PTSO Board for the 2022—2023 school year and interested parties:
 - President: Tracey Hammond
 - Vice President: Lori Fishman
 - Secretary Jean Robinson
 - Communications Chair:
 - Scholarship Co-Chair: Meghan Desch
 - Spirit Wear Co-Chair: Allison Gaffney
 - The nomination and election process is spelled out in the PTSO by-laws and descriptions for some positions are also included in the by-laws.

Treasurer's Report:

- Jane Gettinger shared highlights from the monthly financial reports.
- Donations continue to come in through Invest, for Senior Events, and for Hospitality events.

Committee Updates:

Senior Events

- Upcoming Events:
 - March 17—Senior Breakfast/ St. Patrick's Day theme with breakfast provided from Bojangles.
 - March 24—next 2021-22 Senior Events meeting.
 - April 29—Sunrise Breakfast.
 - May 5—Cinco de Mayo event during lunch pending approval from Principal Stout.
 - Plans are being made for Spring Fling, Cap and Gown day, Senior Week.

- The Senior Events Committee is established for the 2022—2023 school year.
 - Christy Lundy was elected Committee Chair.
 - Other members include Margaret Herdegen, Serena Johnson, Allison Matthews, Kristy O'Dea, Julie Swafford, and Jenn Ward.
 - A presentation will be made at the April 7 Rising Senior event.

Hospitality

- February birthdays were recognized with Crumbl cookies.
- Coffee and Cookies will be provided for the staff for Valentine's Day.
- A request will go out for K-cups for the staff break room.

Invest

- 6 additional families donated to Invest.
- A presentation will be made during the Rising 9th Grader night, which will possibly be held in person.

Next meeting:

Monday, March 14 at 6:30 p.m.

Adjourn: 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Julie Swafford
CHS PTSO Secretary