

School for Creative and Performing Arts

General Meeting

PTSO Meeting Agenda: April 14th, 2026

President Updates - Brigid Huey

1. April Upcoming Events
 - a. Prom- PTSO supports the student council and we are supporting them by providing last minute items
 - b. Jr. High Dance on 4/24 from 3:15-5:15 in Cafeteria. Sign-up genius will be sent out for parent volunteers by Mr. Owens. We are providing some decorations and food for this event. Budget was approved by Ms. Lehman. Jenny Rachford is asking how she will be reimbursed. PTSO will reimburse while we are waiting to get funds from the school.

VP Fundraising- Kevin Whitman

1. SCPA After Hours
 - o Confirmed for Friday 10/2 at Cincy Shakes
 - o CTA: Planning Committee Request
 - i. Summer planning committee to get it all done
 1. Kevin will continue to chair the event but will shadow the new VP of fundraising
 - o Raffle Donation / Sponsor Requests
 - i. Is it too early to mention raffle donation requests? NO! Think about how you can donate or get donations for the silent auction portion of this fundraiser!!

Treasurer- Bridget Kennedy and Joe Brennan

1. In the past month we have facilitated transactions for Vocal, Dance, Garten Klub, and Band, enabling them to fundraise and utilize their funds without the hassle of having to open their own bank accounts.
2. We provided \$486.65 in goods for the Spirit Store.
3. We spent about \$100 replenishing Ms. Singh's snack collection after it was all used for kids who had to wait 2+ hours for the bus when Trump was in town.

4. We collected over \$2,000 in cash and provided a check for the Scholastic Book Fair fundraiser, enabling the school to accept cash for that event.
5. We collected about \$10 from spiritwear income.
6. PTSO's current balance is \$15,517. We are on track to end this year with less money than we started with, but in line with our plan.

Volunteer Director-Shannon Stewart

1. Sign up genius for staff cookout coming soon
2. Sign up genius for Senior luncheon coming soon
3. Look on social media and wearescpa.org website for volunteer information

LSDMC

1. Principal interviews have been concluded and the recommendations are with the school board

Administration/Principal Updates-Jesse Draud

1. Principal Budget: Spring Dance
 - a. Reaching out to Teresa Summ- Haas to see how much of a budget for the year left to allocate for the event
 - b. Jesse would like funds left over for Star store to go to the dance
 - c. Ask about parking lot funds
2. Bell Schedule Change per ILT
 - a. Bell schedule change minutes
 - b. Nothing can be decided, but will be decided by May meeting
3. Testing Continues Next Week
 - a. 3rd Grade OST coming up
 - b. Science testing next week 5-8 grade
 - c. Biology testing for highschool
4. Pizza, salad, and soda for the conference night event bought with funds through title one grants
5. Trying to get added electives because 7-12 graders taking too many study halls. Trying to be more creative in our offerings
 - a. Leadership course offerings
 - b. Arts courses
 - c. Hip Hop course

Artistic Director-James Jones

1. 3rd grade artistic skills assessment letters and emails have been sent

2. 6th grade artistic assessment letter and emails have been sent
3. Change/Add/Drop major auditions as well as additional external students take place today 4/14 and tomorrow 4/15
4. Our 1st grade musical entitled "Bugz" takes place on Thursday. Please stop by to support our young artists- check calendar for specific times
5. Please set up a time to meet and conference with your arts teachers this Thursday, April 16
6. The 40th anniversary of the Corbett Mayerson Awards takes place 4/17, doors open at 6:30pm and event begins at 7:00pm
7. Senior Showcase takes place 4/24 during school hours
8. Keep checking the calendar and social media for updates on performances and classroom presentations