

Hammond Middle School PTA

Meeting Minutes for May 14, 2014

Attendees:

- Joanne Ashton, President
- Daphne Stanley, 2nd Vice President
- Tricia Miller, Treasurer
- Pat Johnson, Secretary
- John Woodson, PTACHC Representative #1
- Deveonne Hamilton-Stokes, PTACHC Representative #2
- Heather Witt, Membership
- Rogers Stanley, Parent Volunteer
- Sam Davis, HMS Assistant Principal
- Kerri Dufresne, HMS Principal

Minutes

- The meeting was called to order in the HMS Media Center by PTA President, Joanne Ashton.
- **Secretary's Report (Pat Johnson)**
 - The April meeting minutes were reviewed. Daphne Stanley made a motion to approve the minutes; John Woodson seconded; the motion passed.
 - We plan to have the minutes posted to the PTA webpage in the near future. Stay Tuned!
 - The Spring Gift Card Fundraiser to support 6th Grade Outdoor Education is currently in progress.
- **Treasurer's Report (Tricia Miller)**
 - Current balance (as of April 30, 2014) is \$6,776.78
 - Income: Interest
 - Expenses: Talent Show, Spring Fling, Outdoor Education, Staff Appreciation
 - Ending Check Register Balance as of 6/12/14 is \$6,333.36.
- **Principal's Report (Sam Davis)**
 - The Basketball game is tomorrow, 15 May. This will be our last year for this game.
- **PTACHC Delegate's Report (John Woodson)**
 - The teacher lobby met with the PTACHC again this month to discuss their contract concerns.
 - PTACHC received 333 applicants for their scholarships. There were 10 recipients.
 - There will be a STEM Event (Science, Technology, Engineering & Math) on June 8th from 1-5pm at the Howard Community College.
 - The PTACHC meeting focused on How to engage parents to boost membership.
- **Presidents Report (Joanne Ashton)**
 - The Nomination Committee includes Heather Witt, Karin Bruce, and Tricia Miller. Discussions focused on open positions.
 - An email went out to parents about PTA Events. We need to have volunteers to monitor the doors to ensure students stay in the designated areas. (1 to run the show and 1 to supervise students). Parents should also attend events with their children.

- **1st VP Report (Karin Bruce)**
 - N/A
 - **2nd VP Report (Daphne Stanley)**
 - The 8th grade dance preparations are going well.
 - **Roundtable**
 - There will be a Welcome for new students from other schools on 3 June @ 9:30am. HMS will be handing out T-shirts to the new students.

 - Daphne Stanley made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Deveonne seconded; motion passed.

 - **The next HMS PTA Meeting will be**
 - **Date:** Tuesday, June 10, 2014 (We will introduce the new Board Members)
 - **Time:** 6:30-7:30pm
 - **Location:** HMS Media Center
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Minutes respectfully submitted by Pat Johnson, HMS PTA Secretary.