

November 16, 2022  
Haycock PTA Meeting- Zoom  
7:00pm

- I. Call meeting to order:
  - President Nathania Cantanucci called the meeting to order at 7:01pm. A quorum was established for conducting council business.
  
- II. Admin Presentation- Dr. Beaty, Ms. Boyd
  - Thank you for contributions. With contributions we were able to buy a class set of microbits (microprocessors you can code with). Purchased color printer for art room. Funds helped with cost of camp highroads field trip
  - Looking at attendance and the importance of attendance. Absences looking higher this year
  - 6<sup>th</sup> graders started coat drive. Aiming to do something for the community each month
  
- III. Approval of last Meeting Minutes:
  - Link- [http://www.haycockpta.org/uploads/5/3/7/8/53786565/haycock\\_october\\_2022\\_meeting\\_minutes.pdf](http://www.haycockpta.org/uploads/5/3/7/8/53786565/haycock_october_2022_meeting_minutes.pdf)
  - Motion for approval made
  - Seconded:
  
- IV. Officer Reports:
  - Nathania- President
    - Had an art competition this year led by Alexa (thank you). 10 students participated. 5 winners will move to county competition
    - STEAM night 11/17/22, 6pm. Pizza and snacks will be sold in cafeteria (cash only). Activities in the gym. Critter Connections will bring animals. 6:30 – 7:15pm Mad Science show in the pod. Car magnets will also be for sale at event
  - Zhou Zhang- Treasurer
    - Total revenue is \$42k and total expenses is \$38k
    - Our tax return was done by Essential accounting LLC for free
  - Leah Socha- Social
    - Thank you to Nathania and Ellen for taking the lead on STEAM night
    - In the middle of cafeteria appreciation week. PTA providing lunch one day and gift bags
    - Skate night- Dec 3 at Fairfax Ice rink- sign up in the hotsheet
    - Hot chocolate bar- December 9. Ask for volunteers coming soon
    - Heritage Night- kick off meeting likely week of 11/28
  - Palak Sampat- Fundraising
    - 2nd restaurant night at Ledo last week
    - Original Works- thank you to art teachers for all your help. Raised ~\$3,200. Can still order until 12/15 but will not arrive before holidays
    - Boosterthon- February 17. Looking for volunteers, reach out to Palak if interested ([pbt4@hotmail.com](mailto:pbt4@hotmail.com))

- Ellen Wu- Curriculum Enhancement
  - Thank you to the parents volunteers for making these programs possible- Science Olympiad, 4 Math competitions, Girls on the Run, Art programs, Odyssey of the Mind, etc.
  - Mike Lindinger- Community Affairs
  - Coordinating gift cards for families in need
  - In place of coat drive might pivot to book drive for sister school in DC. More to come

V. Guest Speaker: Jeanne Sklar (Librarian)

- [jsklar@fcps.edu](mailto:jsklar@fcps.edu)
- Grades K – 3 have weekly library classes with book checkout (library skills, read out loud, etc.)
- Grades 4 – 6 have weekly book checkout with library lessons as needed
- Book limits- no real limit except with graphic novel or series. K is limited to 2 at a time
- Check out time- 3 weeks, renewal permitted
- Book Fair November 28 – December 2. Family night 11/29, 5:30 – 8pm. Help needed for set up, sales, organization, and pack up. Teachers can create an eWallet if you want to contribute funds to classrooms.
- <https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/haycock>
- Volunteer for Book Fair: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e45aca629a1ffc70-book>

VI. Meeting adjourned at 7:35pm