

Riverwood PTSA
Executive Board Meeting Agenda
January 9, 2024 | 9:00am - 10:15am
Second Floor Atrium

Attendance:

Julie Taube
Stacy Cohen
Josette Marshall
Leslie Paul
Kathy Dees
Lori Rosenthal
Kasey Willis
Ilana Wilensky
Amy Rubin
Kendra Matathia
Jen Cohen
Kindra Smith
Nicole Sims

- **Welcome**

- **Secretary's Report** - Lee Graiser (SUB: Stacy Cohen)
 - Minutes approved from 12/12/23;
 - **Lee will send an invitation for the Principal Circle Event** (Coffee @10 AM on 2/14). Lori will reach out to Chef Oliver.

- **Presidents' Report** - Julie Taube & Stacy Cohen
- Staff breakfast huge success. Loved Chef Rob's
- Bus Drivers so appreciative of their gifts
- Membership Recognition board in the works. Waiting on a donation to come in before going to print.
- Julie asked Kindra if she needs our help on 1/17 for Experience Riverwood for class of 2028. Planning to sell Raider wear
- General Meeting 1/30 @7:00 PM in the media center. Josh Spitalnick, guest speaker. *** it is VERY IMPORTANT that our board members attend the general membership meeting***
- Magnet program back on the table
- Website is amazing source of info – senior tassel and more
<https://www.fultonschools.org/riverwoodhs>

- WILL let everyone know that no more Group Me for volunteers moving to Linktree. Julie will send out a final goodbye letting everyone about the change. Will add Linktree to website too
- Next Exec Board meeting 2/13
- Whole PTSA board welcome at Principal's Circle event - please RSVP
- **Treasurer's Report** - Shelly Casner
 - we are sailing nicely into the back half of the year. If anyone needs anything, just let Shelly know

- **Principal's Report** - Kindra Smith
 - Asked for ideas on what to discuss at the Principal's Circle event
 - How do we make IB accessible for all?
 - New student social tomorrow (65-75 new students)
 - Head football coach interviews next week -
 - Dual enrollment night 1/24 - virtual
 - Teacher of the Year - 2/1 need PTSA help with that. Brittney Burns staff contact
 - Lots of sicknesses - be mindful - email Ms. Williams so she can log it as participated remotely (helps attendance)
 - New counselor for S-Z (Madison Wisdom) will share asap
 - Courtney Hayes, replacing Mr. Doherty as AP

- **VP Reports:**
 - **Hospitality** - Angie Goldman & Lori Rosenthal
 - (no update)
 - **Membership and Fundraising** - Ilana and Nicole
 - no update
 - **Student & Parent Support** - Amy and Kendra
 - Had first Jr. moving-up meeting - talked about t-shirt design
 - Senior Committee meeting 1/18
 - **Administration & School Support** - Kasey Willis & Josette Marshall
 - no update
 - **Communications** - Jen Cohen & Leslie Paul
 - Upcoming newsletter
 - **Academic Enrichment** - Kathy Dees
 - 9 Reflections candidates moving on to state
 - One grant

- **Wrap Up/Adjourn Meeting**
 - Motion to end meeting approved by Kathy Dees

- **Upcoming Calendar Items:**

- Jan 10: VP Newsletter Updates Due
- Jan 12: PTSA Newsletter
- Jan 15/16: MLK Holiday/Professional Day - no school
- Jan 18: Senior Committee Meeting
- Jan 23: Principal Student Lunch
- Jan 24: Dual Enrollment Night
- Jan 30: General Membership Meeting (7pm Media Center)
- Feb 1: Teacher & Professional of the Year (7am)
- Feb 1: New Teacher Mentor Lunch
- Feb 5-9: Counseling Appreciation Week
- Feb 13: Executive Board Meeting (9am)