

# BRITTONKILL PTSA

## Minutes

September 16, 2021 6:30pm

Amy Brock, President | Carol Rosbozom, Vice-President | Kim Santandera, Treasurer | Lori Lewis, Secretary

Item	Notes:
<b><u>Welcome- Amy Brock</u></b> Each participant shared their name and association. Attendance: Brenda-Lee- Parent Heather Lori Lewis Danielle O'Rourke- Parent Amy Brock- President/Parent Kelly Onorato- Assistant Vice Principal Elementary Laura Perfetti- Communications BSCD/Parent Allison Huston- Parent Lindsay Beraldi- Parent Michelle Furlong- BTA Teacher Liaison Lea Campbell- Parent Michelle Wyanski- 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher Ryan Goodenough- Parent Brittany DeWire- Parent Carol Rosbozom- Vice President/Parent	Participants expressed that Zoom Meetings allowed for them to join us this evening. Had we been in-person, they may not have been able to join.
<b><u>Treasurer Report- Amy Brock</u></b> Current Bank- \$6,000 Worried about financial requests already coming in. Fundraisers will be very important to meet our needs.	
<b><u>Welcome back picnic- Lori Lewis</u></b> Character Ed hosting welcome back picnic- 9/22/21 PTSA providing Balloon Artist, Temporary Tattoos, Table w/ Membership forms, assistance with Advertising/Communication, Booking Food Trucks (Pizza Trails and Kona Ice Booked).	Masks required for all participants. Families encouraged to bring a picnic dinner and family blanket to eat on. Trying to avoid use of playground.

<p>Character Education will have t-shirts (\$10) and bottled water available for purchase.</p> <p>This is not a fundraiser.</p>	
<p><b><u>Financial Request- Amy Brock</u></b></p> <p>Before/After Care</p> <p>Headphones Elementary School</p> <p>We do not have enough paid members in attendance (10 required) to vote. We will create an amazon wish list to push out to our community to see if we can meet these needs prior to our October Meeting.</p>	<p>Before and Aftercare students are not allowed to share any supplies/games and there is no budget to purchase items for play. Carol has asked the PTSA to help.</p> <p>Judy Anderson no longer has a supply of spare headphones for children in Library/Computer. She is hoping to receive sets to keep as spares to lend out as needed.</p>
<p><b><u>Fall Fundraiser- Amy Brock</u></b></p> <p>Fundraiser packets started going home with students on 9/16/21. Packets are due back on 9/27/21 and we should have orders by 10/4/21.</p> <p>This fundraiser is critical for us to increase our budget and provide financial assistance for all requests and activities scheduled.</p>	
<p><b><u>Picture day(s)-</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Middle School-</u></b></p> <p>9/28/21</p> <p><b><u>High School-</u></b></p> <p>9/29/21</p> <p><b><u>Elementary-</u></b></p> <p>10/28/21</p> <p><b><u>Retake Day</u></b></p> <p>(ALL)- 12/13/21</p>	<p>*PTSA to send Graphics and Links to Laura P. for posting to school website and FB pages.</p> <p>*Volunteers will not be allowed to assist this year. Photographers are only allowed to verbally help students. Recommendation for standing mirrors day of so students can check themselves before sitting down.</p>
<p><b><u>Snacks &amp;</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Water</u></b></p>	<p>PTSA provides classroom snacks and water for students without. Addressed parent concern that water cups are not available.</p>

	Idea for fundraiser to provide water bottles for all students. Donation Drive potentially.
<b><u>Memberships-</u></b> Current: 53 Goal: 250	Discussed the importance of hitting our goal. Fees collected pay our NYS Dues and allow us a stronger voice for our children. Asked everyone to share and encourage others to join.
<b><u>Holiday Shoppe- Amy Brock</u></b> Gifts and Things Shoppe is for Elementary students to buy small gifts for family members. Potentially scheduled for 12/13-12/16 We are unsure if we will be allowed to host in-person this year. We will move virtual if needed. Coupons available to pass out for students that are in need	

**Other Notes:**

Not all faculty/staff received the Teacher Newsletter, though they do feel it would be beneficial to receive. Michelle can help coordinate getting that to all Teachers on our behalf.

Secondary Open House is scheduled for 10/6. We may want to consider moving our October meeting to avoid conflict with attendance.