

October PTO Meeting Notes 10-14-2019 @6:30 pm

Attendees: Mr. G, Diane Erickson, Ken La Casse, Jenn Bartle, Michelle Klonecz, Kim Jensen

October 23—**Mol Day** to be coordinated by Amanda Stout for the Chemistry students.

Volunteers needed to put together the “dirt” cups (chocolate pudding cups with Oreo cookie crumbs and gummy worms)

November 4—**Fall Conference Dinner**, 4 – 5 pm. Amanda will send out the sign-up email.

Parents will bring in different food items (i.e., soup, sandwiches, desserts). PTO will supply napkins, forks, paper plates. Mr. G said the teachers really appreciate the Fall Conference Dinner.

PTO Website, <http://msapto.org> and Facebook Update <https://www.facebook.com/MSA-PTO-159162771620603>

Modified Transcript—Mr. G explained that students who have missed more than 15% of a class would receive a letter grade, but will have an asterisk next to it to indicate the student missed a portion of the course instruction. See attachment (scan) for additional information.

Spirit Wear—Jenn Bartle and Kim Jensen worked out an arrangement for future spirit wear orders. They will all be done through her small business on Amazon. It’s a convenient print-on-demand option and will feature a variety of t-shirts, sweatshirts, hoodies, tanks, and pop sockets (iPhone accessory). Orders may be submitted at ANY time and product will be shipped directly to the desired shipping address. A link to the site will be provided on the MSA website. If this option proves successful, PTO will consider expanding to include additional items such as mugs, stocking caps, and socks. Mr. G will write a letter for Kim authorizing her to sell MSA-licensed apparel.

Treasurer Report—see attachment (scan)

Healthy Snack Day—Defer until March meeting to see how much money we have leftover—plan to have at least 1 toward year-end.

Long-term Landscape Plan—a long-term landscape plan is needed for the school grounds. The city of Woodbury will be installing a sidewalk along Woodbury Crossing to Pioneer which will necessitate the removal of many perennials and some trees. The landscape plan that will best meet the needs of the school will be as maintenance free as possible.

MSA PTO Spirit Wear Design Contest—Students are encouraged to participate in an MSA spirit wear design contest! The top three designs will be uploaded to the MSA spirit wear store on Amazon and purchasers may choose which design to place on their shirt. The three contest winners will receive a free t-shirt. Designs will be submitted to Jenn Bartle for consideration. Submitted designs will become the property of MSA.

PTO Meeting Dates—Mondays from 6:30 to 7:30 pm.

January 13

March 23

May 11