

## GULF COAST CHARTER ACADEMY SOUTH - PTO, INC. PTO BOARD OF DIRECTORS SEMI-ANNUAL PLANNING SESSION#2 SEPTEMBER 8, 2015 5 PM - GCCAS ART ROOM

Attendance

Sean McCullough- President

Katie Andrae - Vice President

Kristi Lester - Communications Secretary

Keri Wall - Treasurer

Deb Ramos- Vargas- Recording Secretary

Jamie Bentley - parent / advisory committee / trunk or treat chair

Stephanie Almond - parent / advisory committee / sign up genius / Christmas parade chair

Ann M. Tea - grandparent / advisory committee / Book Fair / Holiday Craft Bazaar chair

Katie and Sean provided information from meeting on 9/8/15 at 8am with Mr. Staros:

Concessions during movie nights

"Slush fund" - arrangement with prior PTO / Forza

Book Fair - main communicator is Mr. Staros - last year's ½ cash ½ credit

Box Tops - Kelly Grimm - will gladly hand over to PTO to handle

Dances - run by the school / tickets profit the grade levels

Christmas Parade - Forza donates the shirts (green ones last year) - maybe we can get red ones this year

STEM Night / Parent Homework Workshops - on hold until we can secure teachers

Spaghetti nights / Tacos / Carrabas / Fitzgeralds

Dress down days - \$ for teacher grants / discussion about how often to have, if going to the PTO, day collected and day deposited

Concessions - \*68% of student body is on Free / Reduced lunch\*\*

Vending machine? possible for us to have healthy snacks for purchase with proceeds to PTO

Door Prizes for the PTO meetings:

Target / Walmart / Starbucks gift cards

Tickets to be given to the parents who attend and every time they attend meeting they increase chance of winning a prize at end of year

PTO Meeting on 9/15 - introduce new members / review minutes from previous meetings / encourage sign up for upcoming activities:

Jamie - Trunk or Treat / Ann - Craft sign up table / Stephanie - Christmas parade

PTO board to be in charge of the Spring Carnival

Still need a Chair / volunteer for the February Fitness event

Meeting adjourned at 7:10pm