



PTA Executive Board Meeting  
September 13, 2022

**Present:**

**Principal's Report:** Chris Ross

**Items to Report:**

- Our school improved in each area of the state test as measured by meeting the standard. We grew by 8% in Reading, 4% in math, and 4% in Science.
- Greenville County Schools have made great progress with 94% of elementary schools showing growth in Math and ELA and 73% showing growth in science. Greenville County outperforms the state average of the state test.
- The state is issuing school report cards again this year. Those are expected at some point in October. It is primarily made up of the state test scores but will also factor in the growth of our English as a second language learners as well as student engagement survey data.
- Our school is delving into Professional Learning Communities (PLC's). We took a team of ten teachers to a conference this summer in Charlotte. The premise of PLC's is for deep collaboration with your school, grade level and department teams to best support our students' learning. There are 4 questions we will use to guide our work: What do we want our students to learn, how do we know they have learned it, what do we do when some students don't learn it, and what will we do if they have learned it? We have started by reestablishing our beliefs and creating a new mission statement.
- Our new mission statement is: By building a collaborative school community, we strive to inspire positive growth and relationships that encourage all children to be productive learners.

**President's Report:** Jessica Blanton

- Summer Activity Program
  - September 30th - Popsicles on the Playground during recess
  - October 7th - Principal's Pizza Lunch in the Courtyard during lunch
  - October 14th - BINGO Party from 2:30-4:00 in the gym
- Teacher Treats
  - September 13th
  - October 11th
- Football Players in the Carline??
  - Mauldin
  - Hillcrest
  - Fountain Inn
- Spirit Wear & Stache Cup Orders
- Spirit Night - September 22nd at Chick Fil A on Woodruff Road

<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Contact Person</b>
August 15th - Sept 9th	Stache Cups & First Team Sports shirts	Holly Wicker & Stephanie Frazier
September 22nd	Chick Fil A - Woodruff Road	Kaitlin Wolf
October 11th & 12th	Papa John's Pizza	Beth Smith
October 17th from 4:00-6:00	Defy Greenville	?? Still waiting to hear back ??
October 30-Nov 5th (all day)	Jersey Mike's in Simpsonville	Turner Hill
November 11th 4:30-8:30	EagleFest at school	Megan Morris
December 5th-9th	Holiday Shop at school	Stephanie Walsh
December 16th 12:00-8:00	Vampire Penguin	Alex Ali

- Looking Ahead: Book Vending Machine Fundraising

- **EagleFest: November 11th**
  - Megan Morris is putting together a committee. If you would like to help with this, let me know.
  - Tickets will be sold through MemberHub prior to the event, the night of will be MemberHub as well as cash & card readers. No checks will be accepted.
  - Food trucks & all food will be cash. All rides & games will be tickets.
  - Looking for Sponsorships! If you know anyone who would be interested in sponsoring, let us know. More sponsors = more money for Bell's to keep for student programs.
  - We will need help all day on 11/11 to set up.
  - Other Volunteer Needs
  - Basket pickup will be November 19th from 9:00-12:00 at school

**Treasurer's Report:** Jennifer Smith

- State of the Budget
- Teacher Reimbursement - due September 30th

**VP of Ways & Means:** Autumn Cox

- Silent Auction - items due October 28th

**VP of Volunteers:** Jennifer Gsell

- Room Parent Meeting

**VP of Communications:** Michelle Breaux

- Reflections
  - Flyers went home on Monday
  - Due November 18th

**Secretary:** Peggy Stephenson

**Teacher Representatives:** Kristen Rinaldi & Rosemary Slaton