# In Attendance

Dametra Lewis, Lucile Lewis, Tara Green, Elizabeth Rivera, Monique Plante, Gina Gismondi, Grace Bussey, Catherine Zumwalt, Deniece Brooks, Ana Berwa, Nadine Nartey, Nicole Edwards, Felecia Lewis, Jen Schrader, Kesha Robinson, Dr Ryan Hitchman

# Approval of Minutes

The minutes from the May meeting will be posted and approved in October.

# Executive Board

President’s Report:

Introduction of President, Treasurer and Secretary nominee

 Election of Secretary – Tara Green (approved unanimously)

 Election VP Events – Jen Schrader (approved unanimously)

PTSO still needs help on activities committee, membership committee; we welcome all volunteers

Review of what the PTSO does – 4 scholarship awards ($500 each), toy drive, Black Student Union movie night, food drive, sponsor Sunrise, sponsor Senior Sunset, welcome back breakfast teachers, holiday celebration teachers, fundraising (spirit nights Kokee Tea, Moe’s, Panera Bread; Huntington SAT Prep; double good popcorn) partnerships with Lightning Lounge, Principal fund, lactation room for teachers & staff

Focus this year – establish an annual fundraising event (for example, silent auction), guest speakers for parents, goal to raise $50,000, open to ideas, partnering with National Honor Society on toy drive, increased communications, membership up15% (approx. 120 family memberships, 6 staff memberships, 4 student memberships), honorary service awards (quarterly/Bolt Bucks, ex. special person award, honorary service, continuous service award, outstanding teacher), would like to increase scholarship award

Minutes, by laws and treasurer’s report and audit will all be on website (member access)

Vice President’s Report

1. Fundraising: sent out sponsor letters in July, Omar Orthodontics $500 donation, $tbd Senior Night, $239 Back to School Bash, $136 Spirit Wear Store, $600 Huntington Testing, Monday 9/25 Skate Night, upcoming Spirit Nights: Moe’s, Peri-Peri, Panera, Bruester’s Ice Cream, Harries Teeter Together In Education (77 TIE participants, $106.32 YTD)

1. Events: Need location for a silent auction

Secretary’s Report: n/a

Treasurer’s Report: have report and budget, will upload after audit

General Membership Discussion –

* more publicity, banners for stadium, posters, will email out welcome letter
* suggestion mum fundraiser for homecoming game
* suggestion partner with Toys for Tots
* local grocery stores for fundraising– Giant, Costco, Walmart
* suggestion Phone-a-thon fundraiser

# Committee Reports

Membership: 4 student, 120 family, and 6 Staff.

Volunteer(s):

Scholarship:

Teacher Liaison:

MSAAC (Kesha Robinson): **need** an alternate, has grown, covers elementary, middle and high school, action oriented, for example representation in books in all schools, meetings are every third Wednesday from 7-9pm at LCPS administration building, <https://www.lcps.org/MSAAC>

Student at Large: **still need**, can get volunteer hours for participation

1. 9th:
2. 10th:
3. 11th:
4. 12th:

Spirit Gear:

# Principal’s Report

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# New Business

# Announcements

# Next Meeting: 19 October 2023, Lightridge HS Library @ 6:30PM

Motion to adjourn was made at 7:26 and was passed unanimously.