

Enloe High School PTSA Meeting  
October 13, 2009

**Attendance:** see last page of minutes

**Location:** Media Center

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm by President Lorraine Johnson

**I President's Report:** Lorraine Johnson: Anne Campbell and Autumn Racine, Principal Appreciation. Adrienne Lumpkin, Wake Education Partnership. Amy Madison, District Board Advisory. Carol Jacobson attended East Raleigh CMC meeting. Barbara Marley made copies for open house. Eagle Vision second of 4 additions due Monday October 26<sup>th</sup>. Saturday Nov 7<sup>th</sup>, magnet Fair at Southeast Raleigh HS. Join e-news for weekly newsletter.

**Motion:** Mary Hamrick and Christine Kushner to serve as the School Improvement Committee. Barbara Marley first and Adrienne Lumpkin second. All yeah.

**II Principal's Report:** Dr. Cochran: Homecoming week with lots of things going on; hope for nice weather. Odyssey play is still being performed. Update on the early release Wednesday; great time for teachers for planning etc. Inner courtyard was open last Friday for lunch access. Shift faculty has been made for tardy discipline and managing it administratively. One administrator is committed to doing escalation for many tardies etc. Set a tone that the students will be held accountable. Russ Smith, drug and alcohol abuse is up while gang activity has gone down.

### III Action Items

**Minutes:** Motion to approve September 1<sup>st</sup> minutes with minor attendance change by Mary Hamrick first, Amy Madison second. All yeah.

**Treasurer:** Cathy Couch: The monthly financial report was distributed to the membership.

**Membership:** Lorraine Johnson: Need to make a bigger push for membership as we are behind from our numbers last year. Last year we went down in our perspective membership numbers and adjusted accordingly and came out over budget. This year we upped the budget and are coming short with current membership income at \$16,654

**Proctoring:** Lorraine Johnson: We did not get many proctors. Contact Jina Tsikardanos PTSA tab for volunteering.

**Wake Education Partnership:** Adrienne Lumpkin: A non-profit organization to create a world class public education system. Celebration of the past year's accomplishments, tribute to Vernon Malone and pleas to get out the vote for WC School Board elections. Teacher leadership grants to 8 schools. (7 elementary 1 high school) combined \$28K. Hold a series of educational round tables with socio-economic diversity etc. Published a report "Suspending Disbelief" at [wakeedpartnership.org](http://wakeedpartnership.org)

**School Board Advisory Council:** Amy Madison: Keith Sutton interested in inviting him to attend one of our PTSA meetings. Professional Learning Teams (PLT) discussed. Staff and teachers love the early Wednesday release. Must tell "why" this is working and successful. Discussed school board elections.

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Changes that may be coming could affect the magnet programs. You need to let all board members, even those not covering your district, your opinions in a respectful way. Stay involved.

**Safety Committee:** Amy Madison: Last year's committee was doing stop gap action. Now moving into higher level strategies including Eagle Buddies and Big Bro/Sisters. Student ID's to allow staff to quickly and effectively know who belongs on campus. Remind students it is a way to protect themselves. Meetings are open to all.

**Ways and Means:** Mary Ellen Surra: all about fundraising. Membership is down and not as many people have re-registered this year. We get points from Kroger and dollars from everyone else. We are trying to stay away from fundraising. We are registered for goodsearch.com portal then Enloe can get money back. Campbell soup labels; register your Kroger card and get electronic soup label credits by attaching it to your Kroger card. Check with your company's human resource department for matching funds. Graduation Signs for the yards; fundraiser.

**Teachers/Staff Grants:** Jim Connor: J\_h\_connor@yahoo.com Nine grant applications to date which average about \$1,000. Application deadline October 23.

**Reflections:** Sharon Gupton: go through the Enloe website to get details. Need judges this year.

**Drugs Uncovered:** Adrienne Lumpkin: Important that adults understand what is going on in the teen world of drugs. "Drugs Uncovered" an excellent program by Poe sets up a teenage bedroom and parents have the assignment to find the 70 signs of drugs in the children's room. November 17<sup>th</sup>. Abbreviated PTSA meeting beforehand. Children are not allowed to attend. Two hours 6:30 – 8:30.

**Student Council:** Shivony: Charity Ball on Saturday December 5<sup>th</sup> 7-11 at Marbles Kids Museum. Supporting Urban Ministries. Selling tickets \$25. It is a community event so parents can attend as well. Looking for silent auction donations and restaurants for appetizers. Goal is \$20,000.

**Other Business:** Jim Connor: discussed post election atmosphere. How is the PTSA going to go forward to getting the message to the new board regarding the preservation of magnet schools.

**Announcements:**

Next PTSA meeting is Tuesday November 17, 2009 at 6:15 pm in the auditorium. NOTE Third Tuesday.

**Adjournment:** 7:58 PM

Respectfully Submitted,  
Whitney B. McMahan  
Recording Secretary

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Attendees for Enloe PTSA Meeting -

Lorraine Johnson, Amy Madison, Adrienne Lumpkin, Pam Young, Mary Ellen Surra, Cathy Couch, Whitney McMahan, Renee McCoy-Caldwell, Dr. Beth Cochran, Officer Derrick Hicks, Laura Brooks, Cathy Calloway, Michelle Collins-Ogle, Sylvia Cromartie, Labeasha Cuttino, Sharon Gupton, Mary Hamrick, Jackie Hughes-Oliver, Christine Kushner, Barbara Marely, Wanda McCargo, Barbara Styers, Shelly Wake, Avery Young, Rueben Young, Mike Cohen, Taylor Appleyard, Carol Jacobson, Fay Cobb-Payton, Ryan Haymore, Roslyn Rivera

Approved