

**South Lyon East High School
PTSO Minutes
Tuesday April 8, 2008
6:30 –8:00pm**

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1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm

2. Treasury Report and Cougar Closet Update:

Joan Herrinton reported that our previous balance was \$4543.45. There were deposits of \$246.00 from the Cougar Closet. PTSO made its first repayment of Cougar Closet loan to SLE High School in the amount of \$2300.00. Checkbook balance is \$2472.22.

The Cougar Closet Committee is looking for other venues to sell their products, such as at the middle schools and spring sporting events. There were two requests for donations from the Cougar Closet: (1) Centennial Middle School; and (2) the TV production class. The donation for the TV production class to give a sweat shirt to a tour guide at Channel 4 was granted.

3. Approval of March 11, 2008 Minutes

Minutes were approved.

4. SIP

The SIP Minutes were read. It was announced that a Sadie Hawkins dance would take place on April 25, 2008 and a Variety Night would be held on 5/28/2008. The placement of the stop signs in the student parking lot was brought up. Mr. Jackson said he would drive through there to see if he thought there was a problem with their placement.

5. **Principal Update:** Mr. Jackson announced that he was in the process of revamping the entire breakfast and lunch menus. The salad bar will have an increase in fruits and vegetables. There will be a sub-station for healthy sandwiches. Chocolate milk will no longer be available; there will be more water and 100% fruit juices. The bagels will be taken off the breakfast menu and whole grain English muffins will be added. The new program will start on 4/28/08.

6. **PTSO and SLEHS Newsletters:** Frank Domanico started the discussion of the “newsletter/calendar” idea. The PTSO would like to have either a calendar or newsletter of all of the upcoming events held at SLEHS. It was discussed what would be on the calendar and how contacts would have to be made in order to keep it up to date. Volunteers were requested to help with this endeavor.

7. **School Activities & Student Council Coordination:** Ms. Boggs, the Student Council Teacher Representative, was present to update everyone on the Student Council activities. This year there are 14 students on the council and she hopes to have twice that many next year. The meetings are held after school on Wednesdays. They hope to have a calendar for next year in place by the end of this school year. She wants either a Student Council Representative or herself at the PTSO

meetings. Homecoming will be on October 17, 2008. The PTSO stressed that they were here to help her with that planning in any way she needs. Also the Student Council will be sponsoring a Sadie Hawkins Dance (informal) on April 25, 2008 and they need at least 10 chaperones. The Student Council is also sponsoring a student/staff volleyball game on April 24, 2008, at 7:00. The council asked that the PTSO run the concession stand and the PTSO had to decline that request.

8. **Items to be discussed at the next PTSO Meeting:** Cheers is coordinating Staff Appreciation week the first week in May.

Next meeting will be Tuesday, May 13, 2008 at 6:30 p.m. in the Media Center.