

# ROSARYVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTO



Minutes-PTO General Meeting  
October 5, 2017  
6:00pm

## Agenda:

1. Educational Websites and Apps
2. PTO Homework Assistance
3. Volunteer Recognition
4. Expectations of the PTO team
5. Harvest Party
6. Holiday Fundraiser
7. Announcements

## Proceedings:

1. Meeting was called to order by President Jame'sha Bazemore
  - a. Introduction of PTO Board Members in attendance
  - b. Minutes from September 7, 2017 meeting were reviewed.
2. Educational Websites and Apps, Tutoring Opportunities
  - a. Free tutoring is available through the PG County Library system. Tutoring is available at the Clinton library location every Monday from 4-6pm. Online tutoring with PG County Library is available daily. A PG County library card is required for these services.
  - b. A Free educational website recommended by our RES teachers is [www.khanacademy.org](http://www.khanacademy.org)
  - c. PTO President recommended site is [www.lynda.com](http://www.lynda.com), which is available for a fee.
  - d. A handout was given with various websites to help with math, reading, language arts, etc. Links will be made available on the PTO website.
3. PTO Shop and Drop Homework Assistance
  - a. Every Saturday from 11-12pm in the Media Center. Parents must sign their child in. Volunteers are needed!
  - b. Assistance with all subjects, reading, and test taking skills. Snacks are provided.

- c. A sample math problem was reviewed with meeting attendees as an example of the types of questions the children have.
4. Volunteer Recognition
  - a. A big THANK YOU to all that helped at the Back to School Dance.
  - b. Volunteers are always needed and any amount of time you can spare is appreciated.
5. Expectations of PTO
  - a. Floor was open for parents to speak on their expectations, and feedback on the PTO so far this year.
  - b. Parents would like the PTO to continue helping address problems.
  - c. Suggestions of water as an option during lunch (PTO could provide). Also a lost and found for items such as sweaters. The PTO could make the lost and found available to parents during meetings.
  - d. Please email us at [info@rosaryvillepto.org](mailto:info@rosaryvillepto.org) with any questions, concerns, and suggestions.
6. Harvest Party
  - a. Our annual Harvest party will be October 27, 2017 from 6-8pm
  - b. We are planning to do a Trunk or Treat this year. We will need parent volunteers to participate.
  - c. A Gift card prize will be awarded to parents with the best-decorated trunk.
7. Holiday Fundraiser
  - a. Parents in attendance agreed that the Gift Shop should remain our Holiday Fundraiser.
  - b. We will plan for it to run on a Thursday-Saturday with time slots available for parent volunteers to help run the shop.
  - c. Also considering the opportunity for vending tables at the Winter Concert.
8. Announcements
  - a. The PTO will continue to provide information via email, on our Facebook page, and by robo call. We will also now provide flyers sent home with backpack mail.
9. Floor open for questions.
10. Adjournment by President Jame'sha Bazemore at 6:50pm.