# **Governor French Academy PTSO March 23<sup>rd</sup>, Meeting Minutes**

4:33pm: Meeting Start Introduce Officers: President— Ron Herberts (Interim) Treasurer—Regina Chiu Secretary—Crista Jamous Advocacy Chair— Fundraising Committee—Dee Patel Student Outreach Committee— (Students/Parents interested?)

4:35pm Approval of the February Meeting minutes passed.

4:40pm

**News From Staff** 

Mrs. Powers: Going mask optional April 4th. Hoping for a normal next year. She will be sending out a note and has been in contact with health department. Wanted to wait for after spring break.

4:41pm

**PTSO Financials** 

Regina: 2,493.87 currently

Bowling Fundraiser very profitable and raised \$751.71

PayPal account is frozen because of money movement and still in Sean Jordan's name. It is being worked on.

Will talk to a second accountant about taxes.

# 4:44pm

New Business

Mrs. Bauer to talk about how the PTSO can help The Longest Day- Alzheimer's Association

- •Trauma and First Aid Kits
- •ShopwithScrip, Box Tops apps, Amazon Smile.
- •Bowling Fundraiser Update
- •St. Patrick's Day Parade Fundraiser (Canceled)
- PTSO shirt design top three winners
- Ideas for a quick event before school ends?

•Link to PTSO found at **governorfrench.com** at the bottom of the page.

# 4:45 pm

The Longest Day

Jessica Bauer: Wants to connect on Marketing opportunities. Please leave a Google review for the school.

Maybe GFA could connect with Belleville for The Longest Day. Hopeful that Chamber of Commerce would recognize GFA.

More information needed to see if we could participate.

4:48pm

Trauma Kits

Mrs. Powers stated that she will pick a day for training.

4:49pm

Box Tops for Education

Up to \$36.30

Money can be set up to go to a classroom but not individual student. Maybe there can be a way to set a competition or school wide goal.

4:52pm

ShopwithScrip:

Buy a gift card and a percentage comes to the school.

ACH has a small charge to you.

4:53pm

Amazon Smile

The school has made \$352.21 just since December.

#### 4:54pm

**Bowling Fundraiser:** 

No money out of Pocket. Large turnout. Over 70 people participated in the event. Will ask for more lanes next time. PTSO net fees \$751.71

Powers: "Kids had a great time."

### 4:58pm

St. Patrick's Parade Canceled!

Everyone was traveling and not enough people.

Sean Jordan was there at another booth and said there weren't many people at the parade.

Mrs. Powers said there was quite a few people, and it was short.

# 5:00pm

PTSO Shirt Design: F and J tied

Could order shirts for about \$12 a piece.

Survey for color and writing.

Emily Adams styled the logos, Thank you Emily!

# 5:02pm

PTSO looking for a quick event! Egg Hunt?

Which would be preferred. Someone in downtown on Belleville main street might give away free saplings. Will look into where we can find saplings.

5:06pm

Closing

Thank you everyone for coming.