

**Central Texas Christian School  
Parent Teacher Fellowship Minutes  
September 1, 2016**

Crystal Hennig, PTF President, welcomed everyone to the PTF meeting.

Angie Stringfellow, Prayer Parents Chair, opened us in prayer.

Student Connection, Laura Haun, Pre-K Music Performance.

**In Attendance:** Martha Alford, Emily Schneider, Stephanie & Jason Caldwell, Stacey Westphal, Cherie Ilse, Kaci & Garret Quarles, Shelly Wood, Jenny Stermer, Ann Vandergriff, Beth DuBose, Chris Colvin, Julie Colvin, Brandy Ware, Brittany Smith, Alicia Chaney, Melonie Quander, Carey Petricka, Patricia Weatherbee, Sarah Manning, Jessica Gilliland, Karla Neidhart, Jennifer Kolouch, Katie Dragoo, Crystal Hennig, Jamie Good, Christina Marshall, Jerrica Gregory, Lucy Rodriguez, Cesibel Hurtado, Shanna Degenhardt, Kelly Kirby, Ruth Tong, Leanna Bond, Jessica Housewright, Lauren Ratcliffe, Angie Stringfellow, Heather Trinkle, Mandy Hollinger, Sarah Sewell, Antonia Leung, Claire & Travis Isbell, Kelly Davis, Ericka Rostran, Elizabeth Martin, Joy Schneider, Lisa Marshall, Laura Frazier, Kassie Thompson, Lisa Shatto, Misty Donoho, Hazel Tubbs, Maria Haun, Debbie Lange, Melissa Bohannon, Ashley Emmons, Janene Graeff, Karen Daniel, Cristina Bahema, Beth Collier, Alicia Bolanos, Jocelyn Cook, Sameka Malone

**Administrator's Report – Brian Littlefield, Head of School**

Brian Littlefield informed the PTF that we have had a great start to the school year! He thanked the faculty, staff and parents for everyone's help in getting this year off and running. CTCS has many things in the works right now, including a new field house for our athletes, a new technology director and some new curriculum for our students. Mr. Littlefield just defended his treatise, "Developing Servant Leaders Thru Experientially Based Servant Leadership Programs," so a huge congratulations to Dr. Brian Littlefield!

**Introduction of 2016-2017 PTF Officers – Crystal Hennig**

PTF Executive Board: President - Crystal Hennig

Vice President - Katie Dragoo

Secretary – Christina Marshall

Treasurer – Jamie Good

**Committee Reports**

- **Pizza Fridays** – Misty Stapp mentioned that this is the biggest fundraiser for PTF and we raised \$877.00 from the 2 Pizza Fridays in August. There are still volunteers needed for the Fall Semester, so please sign up through Sign-Up Genius. There are 2 shifts available: 10:00AM-11:30AM & 11:30AM-1:00PM.
- **Used Uniform Sale** – Jamie Good mentioned that the Used Uniform Store has taken in \$3,748 so far to date, with \$1,999 given back to our families for items

sold. Total profits from the summer sale are \$1,749 and total profits to date are \$2,851.

- **Boo Hoo Yee Haw Breakfast** – Carey Petricka thanked everyone who attended this breakfast. The First Grade Parents host the Kindergarten Parents to a yummy breakfast on the very first day of school. About 18 families came to either Boo Hoo or Yee Haw and everyone had a great time!
- **Box Tops** - Crystal Hennig mentioned that a Box Top Coordinator is needed. If anyone is interested in this position, please let her know.
- **Ambassador Families** - Christina Marshall thanked all of the Ambassador Families for welcoming their new families to CTCS. The Ice Cream Social was a huge hit and the CTCS Cafeteria was packed with old and new families. Christina still has a few new elementary families, so please see her if you are interested in helping with this ministry of PTF.
- **Teacher Appreciation Sub Committees:**
  1. Teacher's Favorites – Crystal Hennig mentioned that you can find these on RenWeb or at the CTCS Front Desk.
  2. Teachers' Star Wish List – Martha Alford mentioned that this is an easy way to bless your child's teacher. These are the yellow stars located on the outside of each teacher's classroom. Please choose a star, select the gift and return both the star and the gift to the teacher.
  3. Teacher's Touch Elementary & MS/HS Lounge – Jenny Stermer is in charge of the Main Lounge and Shelly Wood is in charge of the MS/HS Lounge. Please see the sign-up sheets that are going around and feel free to sign up to help. Two ways to help – purchase paper goods or purchase goodies/snacks for the teachers/staff of CTCS.

### **School Spirit Shop & The Lion League/The Cub Club – Katie Dragoo**

The Spirit Store is now open every school day from 7:30AM-8:30AM and 2:30PM-3:30PM! Please stop by and see all of the new, awesome items. A huge thank you to Kassie Thompson for working so diligently on the Spirit Store this summer. Thank you to Crystal & Garrett Hennig for donating the flooring to the Spirit Store...it looks great! These items are also sold online through the CTCS Website, so please feel free to shop online as well.

Katie mentioned that flyers for The Lion League (3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> Grade) & The Cub Club (Pre-K – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade) are on the tables. Beginning in August, CTCS students will have the opportunity to pair up with a CTCS High School athlete! Students will be invited to a meet & greet event in early August to find out who their athlete is! Be sure to sign up to be a part of this special program!

#### **Lion League & Cub Club Perks:**

- Will receive an official "Lion League" or "Cub Club" t-shirt
- 5 X 7 photo with their athlete & photo button
- Wear your t-shirt or photo button to any home game (any sport) and admission is FREE!
- Kick-Off pizza party to meet their athlete

- Spirit line participation at football games
- Lion League Luncheon during school with their buddy athlete (3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grades ONLY)
- And other special events throughout the year!!!

### Upcoming Events

- **Homecoming Week** – September 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> Homecoming is early this year, so please take note of the spirit days next week: Tuesday is COLOR WARS dress theme: K, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> wear green, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> wear yellow, 6<sup>th</sup> wears orange, 7<sup>th</sup> wears red, 8<sup>th</sup> wears black, 9<sup>th</sup> wears pink, 10<sup>th</sup> wears light blue, 11<sup>th</sup> wears neon green & 12<sup>th</sup> wears purple. Wednesday is CHAPEL uniforms. Thursday is DECADE DAY – Pick a decade and dress accordingly. Friday is BLACKOUT – Students wear all black. High School students only may wear mums and garters to school. Elementary and Middle School students may wear them to the football game!
- **CTCS Book Fair** – Janene Graeff/Mrs. Cook talked about the upcoming Book Fair at CTCS. The Book Fair will be October 3<sup>rd</sup> – October 7<sup>th</sup>. Volunteers are needed to preview the books the week beforehand. Please see Janene or Mrs. Cook if you are interested in volunteering.
- **Grandparents Day at CTCS** – October 7<sup>th</sup> Volunteers needed for decorations! Please let the PTF Board know if you are interested in volunteering.
- **Dad's Night at the Book Fair** – Shanna Degenhardt talked about this fun evening on Tuesday, October 4<sup>th</sup>! Volunteers are needed to help replenish the cookies and coffee, so please see Shanna if you are interested.
- **Fall Used Uniform Sale** – TBA
- **Treasurer's Report** (handout available) – Jamie Good

### Door Prizes

Mandy Hollinger received the first Door Prize this month. Alicia Chaney received the second Door Prize. Congratulations to our two winners!

### MISCELLANEOUS

PTF's new email account: [ctcsptf@gmail.com](mailto:ctcsptf@gmail.com). Please send any suggestions, thoughts, encouraging words or if you would like to volunteer to this email address.

**Free Dress Day** – This is for students whose parents attended this meeting **OR** for students whose parents read the minutes online and signed the form online. The Free Dress Day will be **Thursday, September 15th**.

**Next PTF Meeting – Thursday, October 6<sup>th</sup> at 8:15AM in the CTCS Cafeteria.**

The PTF meeting was closed in prayer by Sarah Sewell, CTCS Prayer Mom. Mr. Littlefield also said a prayer for Coach Calahan's mother, who passed away today. Please be in prayer for him and his family during this difficult time.

Minutes Taken – Christina Marshall, CTCS Secretary 2016-2017