# FHS PTO Meeting Minutes

*Date* April 10, 2026 | *Time* 12:30 pm | *Location* FHS Library

## Meeting Minutes

### Attendance

- **Attendees**: Kelly Cochran, Matthew Saucedo, Maria Karg, Charis Pollard, Libby Sims, Lisa Spotts, Holly Chari, Trisha Bailey, Jill Jalbert, Shawna Lewis,

### Agenda Items

**Call to Order** - 12:34pm

**Campus Reports – Mr. Griffon was absent.**

**Special Guest (Amber Petree)**

- Bond presentation

**Library Report (Shawna Lewis)**

- Attended the library conference.
- Talked about how the library obtains books – have to request books months in advance and get approval from the school board before buying books for the library. Due to senate bill.
- May 12 is Academic Awards, all going well, donations to cover the night. Will use culinary for cookies again this year. Cookies in bags, grab and go.

**Committee Reports**

**Scholarships (Charis)**

- Received (5) behind the scenes. 0 Teacher and 15 Student. 3 of those being Teacher Educators. We have about $750 for behind the scenes. $1 k for teachers and $14 k for students. Will use the $1 k for teachers for students. Need to find a date for the scholarship presentation and how much to give each student. Charis will decide amounts and ask board for approval.
- Charis and teach went through and graded/ranked them and Charis will send out the results soon.

**Teacher Workday & Teacher Birthdays**

- One more Teacher birthday April 29th – Kelly will spend around $150.00

**Old Business**

- Minutes from last two meetings. Libby motion to approve, Amber 2nd.

**New Business/Misc**

- By Laws: Maria made a motion to abolish the term limits for the 2026-2027 school year to allow for current board to stay in place. Shawna 2nd. All approved.
- Minutes from last two meetings. Kelly Motion to approve Matt 2nd. Approved.

**Parking Spots**

- 42 old spots playground side. 32 NEW spots – PAC side. Total of 74 spots to sell this year. Voted to keep the price the same $350 as last year.
- No Art dept this year. We can provide a list of art students who would like to paint spots, buyers can contact if they wish and negotiate price, PTO not included in any pricing.

- Need to pressure wash(one spot will not be washed – stay the same next year, legacy spot. Possibly spay Eli to pressure wash
- Need to verify type of pain for the different surfaces. Continue talking about parking spot fundraiser in board messages.

**Maintenance Lunch Planning**

- 5/15 Friday at 11 am in the FISD boardroom
- Need gift cards for all in attendance – expecting 26. Kelly will send sign up if needed.
- Friendswood Hospital donated $200 towards food and Jr high may be able to help with gift card donations. We received $185 in donations from members for gift cards.
- La Escondida approx. $428 plus dessert and drinks.

**Staff lunch**

- last day of school 5/21/2026 – still need to plan

**Teacher Appreciation Week**

- May 4, 6, and 7th.
- Scoop shop one day need volunteers to help scoop
- Revive will do free B-12 shots from their van for free, same as last year.
- Hydration drink packs and healthy snacks from sams, cheese and fruit, pto will cover. Hydration packs were donated.

**Vote in New Board Members**

- Libby motioned to approve Board for 2026-2027, Kelly 2nd , All Approved
- List:
  Kelly Cochran President
  Claudia Reeves Vice President
  Maria Karg Treasurer
  Matthew Saucedo Parliamentarian
  Tia Williams Secretary

**End of the year PTO Member luncheon**

- May 1st at Sophias 12:30

**Misc**

- Maria needs to get 3($50 bills) in envelopes to Shawna for end of year teacher awards.

**Adjourned** – 2:15 pm

**Next Meeting: luncheon May 15th**