

**PHACT/PTA Meeting Notes**

**12/13/16**

**Parish Hill Middle/High School**

**Attending: Lisa LaBelle, Karen McElroy, Darcy Baron, Kim Martin, Shannon Haddad,**

**Maryellen Donnelly, Michael Quick, Melissa Benito**

**Notes taken by Summarized and typed by Karen McElroy**

**Next Meeting – January 10<sup>th</sup> – 6pm in Parish Hill Library**

**1. Students in community**

- PTA will continue to reach out to the community to offer assistance
- Chamber Choir performed at Hampton Gathering Place (Senior Center) and tree lighting
- Youth Forum to be Elves in Hartford on December 19<sup>th</sup>

**2. Yoga at PHS - going very well. We will continue onto next section.**

**3. Billboard – Working on graphics being finalized. We need to locate the new pirate graphic that can be enlarged.**

**4. Paint –n- Sip - Jan 12 Paint and Sip**

- Go online to sign up

**5. Drawing for iPads - at December Concert for general Teacher Wish List Fund**

**6. By Laws – Darcy Baron made motion, Kim Martin seconded – 6 members approved – motion passed.**

**7. Secretary report – budget reviewed.**

**8. Awarding corporate sponsors at concert Thursday – 7:45pm – 8:15pm raffle – winner will be notified. Certificates will be presented to sponsors**

**9. Follett –Need Technology plan from PHS to apply – probably will need to wait until next year.**

**10. Papa Gino's fund raiser is being investigated**

**11. Need mtg notes from last month to post**

**12. Should PTA help run future Washington Trips? Discussed pro's and con's**

**13. PTA is required to adhere to a limited to 5 fundraisers in a year – this can be by cause. Five focus' for the year.**

**14. We would like to see more teacher involvement in the PTA.**

**15. Lowes Toolbox for Education – (Dugouts/Greenhouse) – Start applying this Sunday**

**16. School is building a greenhouse – Darcy - \$300 – (Capstone students)**

**17. Discussed possibly PTA sponsored talks – discussed possibly having KLC DoJo, Subway, Café Mantic, speak motivationally/vocationally to students –Chris Pulos BMX assembly coming up, sponsored by the school will focus on Anti-bullying.**