

# NIS PTO Meeting Minutes Friday 9-8-23

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- **Called to order 10:03 am -President Stephanie Sides**
- **Dr Cain Update**
  - Great turnout for the Open House – both 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>
  - HRP – parent’s asking to help
  - Rock The Block coming soon – teachers want to help
  - Fall Fundraiser and Fall Pictures coming the end of September
  - Career Day – Friday, November 17,2023
- **Budget Update – Stephanie Sides for Donna Watson**
- **Fall “Fundraiser” Donation Drive**
  - \$790 raised so far (Asking for \$10 Donation per student)
- **Spirit Store – Raised over \$4K**
  - Pre-Ordering Hoodies next week
- **Red Robin Spirit Night was a success – made \$198**
  - Next Red Robin Spirit Night Red Robin Homeroom Challenge 9/19
- **Today 9/0 8 is the first School Spirit Store during lunch**
  - Monthly after the PTO meeting during student lunches
  - Have a suggestion box for kids to give ideas
  - Cash Only
- **Hospitality Updates – Leslie Jelsma**
  - Thank you for the teachers luncheon! Pizza luncheon was a success
  - October 18<sup>th</sup> – Halloween Teacher Luncheon
  - Need volunteer to help with 12 Days of Christmas
- **Rock The Block Parade Update – Tiffany Simon**
  - Art Teachers helping with decoration
  - Location – TMHS
  - Date 9/20/23
  - NIS to have a designated spot to sit

- **Thanks Kim Buck for being Wilma the Wildcat!**
- **The Hangout Update- Hajer Elenani**
  - Date TBD
  - Partner with stores across the street from NIS on N Eldridge
- **NIS Holiday Market**
  - Company will sell gifts for kids to purchase for friends/family
  - Fundraiser for PTO
  - Need Parent Volunteers

**Reminder that there are School Spirit Nights and PTO Spirit Nights!**

**Meeting Adjourned 10:43am**