

Sarasota School of Arts and Sciences
Parent Teacher Student Society (PTSS), Inc.
Meeting of the General Membership
November 17, 2011. Sarasota High School Auditorium. Called to Order at 7:00pm.

- Pledge of Allegiance by the National Junior Honor Society
- Welcome by President Karen Abbe.
- Principal's Report by Principal Dr. Highland
 - All of SSAS will be moving into the new school building during the first part of December. Professional movers will be moving the furniture on December 10th and 11th. The rest will be moved by staff and students on December 12th. Volunteers would be welcomed, and you will be credited with your hours.
 - Please remember to log in your hours with PALS at the school. We receive credit for those hours we have logged.
 - There were 306 students (out of about 750 enrolled) on the first quarter Honor Roll. Recognition will be held with an ice cream party on Friday December 2nd.
 - School Spirit attire is available through Children's World and through a link on the school website. You may choose from items like hats and caps, cinch sacks, sport jerseys, etc.
 - Mrs. Mead wants to thank all volunteers who made the Parent-Teacher conferences run so smoothly and she also recognized Mike and Tonya Gowan for the food from Gecko's.
- PTSS Board changes (Karen Abbe)
 - Representation to the SSAS Executive Board will change from Karen Abbe to Steve Ruggiero. Tara Tohmash made the initial motion, and it was seconded by Leiland Theriot and voted by majority in attendance at the meeting.
 - There are two positions currently available for the PTSS Board: Vice President and Volunteer Coordinator. Also, we need someone to work with Dawn Reardon as the Jogathon chair. If you are interested in participating in any of these positions, please contact Karen Abbe or any other member of the board.
- Mr. Hernandez from the Science Department let us all know that he is recruiting volunteers to assist in judging science fair projects on December 1st. Each teacher will submit their top ten projects, and from there 18 will be chosen to participate at the Sarasota County Fair.
- Celebration Report by Mr. Reed. We are seeking sponsors for this year's celebration (theme: Prom Night). We are also looking for auction items for the silent auction. The Gowan's from Geckos are silver sponsors. Raffle tickets are available now. Please contact Mr. Reed at the school if you can help.
- Performance was presented by Sensei Garcia and the Martial Arts group.
- Treasurer's Report by Steve Ruggiero. The budget is now posted to the website. We are currently in the black by \$800. The school store, being headed by Charlee Slotabec, is currently open two-three days per week. We are interested in keeping the store open five days a week, so please step forward if you are available to man the store in the afternoons. Mr. Ruggiero also noted that the PTSS has contributed over \$250,000 in revenues to the school in the last five years.
- Parade Float is ready to go for the Holiday Parade on December 3rd. Tanya Jones has done a fantastic job heading up this project. Please come out to the parade and support our school.

-Status on various Fundraisers. Karen noted that Box Tops alone have raised \$2200 for our school this year. Please continue to contribute to the fundraising opportunities (noted below).

-Adjourn at 8:00pm.

Minutes submitted by Leiland Theriot on December 3, 2011.

Dates to Remember

Thanksgiving Break	November 23-27, 2011
Science Fair	December 1, 2011
Holiday Parade	December 3, 2011
Winter Break	Dec. 19, 2012 – Jan. 1, 2012

Sites to Remember

- SSA&S Website – Full of information – www.ssas.org
- Box Tops For Education – www.boxtops4education.com
- Tyson Project A+ - <http://projectaplus.tyson.com/>
- Sweetbay Supermarket – www.sweetbaysupportsschools.com
- Labels For Education - <http://www.labelsforeducation.com/>
- Coke Rewards – <http://www.mycokerewards.com/>

Your 2011/2012 Leadership Team

- Karen Abbe – President
- Steve Ruggiero – Treasurer
- Leiland Theriot – Secretary
- Karen Lucas – Volunteer Coordinator
- Jessica Mead – SSA&S Faculty Liaison

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SSAS
Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual
July through October 2011

	Jul - Oct 11	Budget	\$ Over Budget
Income			
Business Partners	1,900.00	2,500.00	-600.00
Donation to PTSS	5.00		
Restaurant Fundraisers	75.00		
School store	1,681.50	1,100.00	581.50
T-Shirts	3,210.00	3,800.00	-590.00
Uniforms	3,404.00	2,000.00	1,404.00
Volunteer Hours	145.00		
Total Income	10,420.50	9,400.00	1,020.50
Expense			
Celebration	500.00	750.00	-250.00
Donation-Teachers			
Start up	3,225.00	3,275.00	-50.00
Total Donation-Teachers	3,225.00	3,275.00	-50.00
Float	150.00	250.00	-100.00
Gift Cards Expense	76.50		
Operating Expense			
Accounting	36.38	800.00	-763.62
Administrative Expenses	430.00	200.00	230.00
Bank Charge	113.76	20.00	93.76
Licenses and Permits	0.00	65.00	-65.00
Printing	90.95	50.00	40.95
Total Operating Expense	671.09	1,135.00	-463.91
Staff Appreciation	567.79		
Store Expense	1,136.81	386.00	750.81
T-shirt/Uniform Expense	1,190.75	1,538.00	-347.25
Total Expense	7,517.94	7,334.00	183.94
Net Income	2,902.56	2,066.00	836.56