

**Sarasota School of Arts & Sciences
Parent Teacher Student Society (PTSS), Inc.
January 9, 2014
Mandatory Meeting of the General Membership Minutes**

Welcome of PTSS Leadership Team

Jennifer Carroll

- **Introduction of new board member, Mikki Moto.**

Treasurer's Report

Chrissi Prieur

- Total Income Raised - \$24,375.19 Total Expenses - \$16, 798.24
Total Amount Available - \$7,576.95

*See report on <http://ssas.org/PTSS/Minutes/PTSSMinutes.htm>

- Permanent picnic tables will be purchased this spring.

Pledge of Allegiance

Tara Tahmosh and SSAS Students

High School Information for Current 8th Graders

Mike Mapes

- High School planning packet and presentation was given on January 8, 2014
- High School registration process
 - School Choice (February 3-21, 2014)
 - High School requirements
 - Parents and Students are encouraged to contact and tour the schools
- School Programs: AICE, IB, VPA, and MAST
- Introduction of High School Representatives
 - ❖ Booker High School – Ms. Millie Harris, Guidance Counselor
<http://www.sarasotacountyschools.net/schools/bookerhigh/teacher-directory-home.aspx>
 - ❖ Sarasota High School – Mr. Andy Harshman
<http://www.sarasotacountyschools.net/schools/sarasotahigh>
 - ❖ Suncoast Polytechnical High School – Mr. Trent Terry, Director
<http://www.sarasotacountyschools.net/schools/suncoastpolytechnical/>
- Other High Schools in Sarasota County visit
<http://www.sarasotacountyschools.net/schools.aspx>

Other Important Information

Jennifer Carroll

- Incoming Sixth Grade Orientation is Saturday, January 25th
- Save the Dates:
 - ❖ On-going (see Team News) Math Help is available after school on Monday and Tuesday(4:15-5:15pm) and on Thursday mornings (8am).
 - ❖ January 10th – End of Second Quarter Grading Period
 - ❖ January 20th and 21st – No School, Dr. Martin Luther King Day and Professional Day
 - ❖ January 23 – Skate Night
 - ❖ January 25th – 6th Grade Orientation
 - ❖ February 8th – Toracon
 - ❖ February 17th – Preseidents' Day/ No School
 - ❖ March 6th – PTSS Meeting at 7pm. Location Sarasota High School.
 - ❖ March 10th – Spring Holiday
- Please continue to check Team News and SSAS website for current volunteer openings.

<http://ssas.org/PTSS/PTSS.htm>

If you have any questions, please contact us:

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Current Projects: PTSS General Meetings, Correspondence between SSA+S Administration & PTSS Leadership Team.

Vice-President: Cor Donovan

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Current Projects: Brick Orders

Secretary: Dinnah Pere

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Current Projects: Meeting Minutes

Volunteer Coordinator: Lisa Ebersole

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Current Projects: Unfundraiser, Business Partners, Spirit Shirts, Box Tops, School Store, Uniform Sales.

Co-Treasurer: Chrissie Prieur

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Current Projects: Financials/Budgets/Deposits

Co-Treasurer: Dana Spencer

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Current projects: Sign-Up Genius Volunteers for Cheerleaders, Team Sports, School Store, Concession Stand, Uniform Sales.

Faculty Liaison: Jessica Mead

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