



**Brussels American School  
Parent-Teacher-Student Organization  
John F. Kennedylaan 12  
1960 Sterrebeek, Belgium**

**BAS PTSO GENERAL MEETING** March 2, 2011

Meeting was called to order at 3:25 p.m.

A motion was made to accept the February minutes as written; motion was seconded and motion was passed.

**PRESIDENT** - The President presented a student who submitted a monetary request for \$228.15 to cover costs for his Eagle Scout project which prepared the new concession stand for use. The President presented a monetary request to purchase a yearbook for the library for \$50 (next year this will be a line item). Two separate motions were submitted for approval of each request and both were seconded and approved.

The President presented a parent request for a PTSO phone tree in the event of an emergency (such as the recent power outage), so that parents are notified to bring their students to class later. After discussion, it was decided that the PTSO the effort required to put into such a project was not worth the rare times that it occurs.

**VICE PRESIDENT** - If you have items for the e-newsletter, please submit them by 10 March.

**TREASURER** - Presented current budget. Snack Shack is in the black. For all future monetary requests the form is required (no more emails). Will have Webmaster post the form on the PTSO portion of the BAS website.

**SECRETARY** - No report.

**VP WAYS & MEANS** - Need to sell more tickets for the Spring fundraiser. Currently have 100 people and need at least 150. There is a sign-up sheet for jobs on Friday and Saturday.

**FACULTY VP** - No report.

**VP PROGRAMMING** - Exit Brass is coming, so will need Hospitality for their lunch. The band workshop and concert will be 28 March. Pennies for Peace wants to come 15-16 March to film for a production to be broadcast on their website. Discussion were held as to whether to do this, since it is the week for Terra Nova testing. The storyteller will be here in May.

**SCA REP** - No report.

**PTSO ADVISOR** - No report.

**SLO** - Let her know what else we need for Spring Fundraiser. 28 April is the Volunteer Appreciation ceremony. Need a list of PTSO volunteers and ACS has award nomination forms. Upcoming events: CYS sponsoring a Parents Night Out; Social Networking Class about bullying for parents and kids is on 16 March; and Women's Symposium is on March 16 from 930-1230 in the 3-Star.

**FOTA** - The USAFE Brass Quintet did an afternoon concert and is working with the band members. Piano tuner came last week. The Middle/High School and Elementary School musicals are coming up. Need help from parents who don't have kids in the show.

**HOSPITALITY** - No report.

**TEACHER APPRECIATION** - No report.

**SNACK SHACK** - Snack Shack needs substitute volunteers.

**PUBLICITY** - No report.

**SCHOLARSHIP** - Application is done and will advertise in the Daily Bulletin soon. Deadline will be around the end of April.

**PARENT AMBASSADOR** - No report.

**MEMBERSHIP** - No report.

**BOX TOPS** - No report.

**VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR** - No report.

A call was made for new business. No new business.  
Meeting was adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

*Next meeting Wednesday, April 6, 2011 at 3:25 p.m. in the Library.*

**ATTENDEES:**

**President** - Cindy Vozzo

**Vice President** - Glory Roach

**Treasurer** - Sarah Helbling

**Secretary** - Amy Grogan

**VP Programming** - Patty Buzzerio  
**VP Ways and Means** - Shelly Monnig  
**Faculty VP** - Tammy LaBelle  
**Faculty VP** - Martha Proietto  
**SLO** - Paula Emmert  
**Membership** - Kelly Popper  
**Scholastic** - Sheila Barry  
**Snack Shack** - Jacquie Petersen  
**Snack Shack** - Pattie Bower  
**Publicity** - Cece Ockenfels  
**Winter Wonderland** - Kathleen Kren  
**Visitors** - Beth Ann Bottesini (Teacher/Parent)