



MINUTES

General Session

Tuesday, December 9, 2025 ~ 6:00pm

Liberty Hall

I. Preliminary (6:05 - 6:08)

- A. Call to Order: 6:05pm
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Roll Call

1. Officers

X Josh Edlow, PRESIDENT

X Cris Mois, TREASURER

X Emily Liakos, VICE PRESIDENT

X Janelle Edwards, HISTORIAN & PARLIAMENTARIAN

X Andi Bonner, SECRETARY

D. Approval of Previous Minutes

- 1. General Session (12/9/2025) - Motion to approve made by Josh Edlow, second by Cris Mois.

Ayes: 5 Nays: 0 Abstain: 0

- E. Thought of the Day: Janelle Edwards: "I must be willing to give whatever it takes to do good to others. This requires that I be willing to give until it hurts." -Mother Teresa

II. Budget Report: Cris Mois (6:08 - 6:09) - November statement reflects balance of \$71, 011.24. Balance updates pending. Staff Appreciation Committee has spent \$4,724.

III. Enrichment Committee Report: (6:10 - 6:14)

A. Athletics Enrichment - update provided by Allie Tafoya, shared by Andi Bonner: Fall sports: **MS Girls basketball** played a great season and learned a lot. We hosted the first two rounds of the SFL playoffs at the Roseville campus and were able to generate some extra money (Approx \$150) towards the athletic program. They will have an end of season event soon. Thank you to Coaches Patterson and Dumm. Shout out to Andi Bonner and Chyanne Bartlett for rocking the snack bar and to Mark, Fitz and Cris for working the score table. **MS Boys Flag Football** had a tough season with injury and grades, however played strong and never gave up! They have their end of season party on 10/29. Huge thank you to Coach Crousson and Coach Broeker and all the parents who helped drive the boys to games. **MS Cross Country** had an amazing season, won a league championship and had several runners break their personal record. They hosted an end of season party this week, and had a great time. Thank you to coach Patrice and Coach Lipscomb and to all the parent volunteers who keep the trail safe, and support the athletes. **HS boys soccer** finished strong in league, struggled with injuries, but battled back at the end of the season to take out a top team and earn a playoff spot. Unfortunately they fell short in their playoff match against WSCA but showed amazing sportsmanship and grit. We will host an end of season fall banquet to give all league patches and certificates, and to have fellowship with the other HS fall sports teams. A huge thank you to Coach Sabin and Crow, and Daniel Welz who filmed, livestreamed and set up our HUDL camera at every home and away match. **HS girls volleyball** had a great season, finishing in a good place in league and in the top 15 in our division. They received a 13 seed in the playoffs and battled hard against Colfax HS on 10/28. We will host an end of season fall banquet to give all league patches and certificates and to have fellowship with the other HS fall sports teams. A huge thank you to Coach Bre, Coach Fruits and Coach Zoey for their dedication and mentorship throughout the season. They are truly shining examples of servant leaders. Thank you to all the parents who stepped up and worked snack bar and the table, especially Hidie Jones and Karl Fowler. Our **HS Cross Country** runners have had an amazing season. Coach Molly was recognized by BROOKS for being an inspiring coach. She was nominated by one of her runners and received 17K in merch and 1K in

cash for the program. We purchased her a motorized wagon to carry her heavy pop up tent and upgraded her soccer balls for soccer season. Our Cross Country team is doing well, they're participating in the sub section meet next weekend, runners are anticipated to advance to the section meet the following weekend and we hope to have a few in the state race in November. We will host an end of season fall banquet to give all league patches and certificates and to have fellowship with the other HS fall sports teams. **Winter sports** start next week. **MS boys Volleyball:** Coached by Stacey Syphus and Zach Stokes (JAA Alum 2025). **MS girls soccer:** Coached by Molly Grant and Senior Scholar helper Sarah Baker. **HS boys basketball:** Coached by Roger Moore, Cameron Bassett, Matt Ball and Jordan Norris. **HS Girls basketball:** Coached by Brelynn Shirey, Sean Patterson and Tim Sprinkles. JAA received recognition for the Fall 2025-2026 Sac-Joaquin Section Academic Team Champions Awards including 2nd place for Cross Country Boys, 1st place for Cross Country Girls, 1st place for Soccer D7 boys and Ava Eryomenko ran in the state cross country race and played 39th in the state!

- B. Arts Enrichment - update provided by Nickole McEndree, shared by Andi Bonner: Drama and band have both had their performances. Choir had a great nativity and is getting ready for the Holiday Art show this Friday and Saturday. Virtus is gearing up for their annual caroling fundraiser from December 18th through the 23rd, The arts appreciates the support from our staff and JA families. We thank you!

IV. PSO Committee Updates (6:15 - 6:46)

- A. Annual PSO Fundraiser (Josh Edlow): Update provided by Andi Bonner & Committee Chair Jeanette Strong. We will be looking into utilizing a new platform to receive donations. Jeanette would like to see a mix of more mature games offered this year. Bigger push for coin challenge in Elementary. More volunteers are needed. Andi to provide Jeanette with a volunteer interest list to start recruiting those with availability. Jeanette would like to start gathering donations 2 months earlier and give merchants 90-120 days turnaround.

- B. Elementary Events (Janelle Edwards/Josh Edlow): Father Daughter dance coming up on January 16, 2026, Night on the Red Carpet. Mother Son event, game night planning to start after 1/16/2026.

- C. Secondary Events Committee (Cris Mois/Josh Edlow): Andrea Esparza is heading up this committee. The High School Masquerade dance was on 11/22/2025 and was planned by Dean, Ava and Mrs. Litherland. Middle School Social is coming up and will include cookie decorating and a movie.

- D. Staff Appreciation Committee (Emily Liakos): Dutch Brothers gift cards and birthday cards have been gifted. The staff lounges have been stocked with drinks. In November, Halloween candy was donated and placed in the staff lounges. Courtney has helped by restocking cookies. 175 teachers and staff were fed during the luncheon in November. Thank you to Nickole McEndree, the event wouldn't have happened without her. Teacher Appreciation Week is in March. Next SAC meeting will be on 2/13. Info to be shared on ParentSquare. PSO President Josh Edlow arranged for Mendocino Farms lunch delivery to help support JAA staff while navigating grief counseling.

- E. Uniform Swap Committee (Cris Mois): More signage is needed. Maybe a "thank you for keeping the uniform swap area clean" sign. PSO President Josh Edlow will connect with Mrs. Heibert regarding the lost and found items being donated to uniform swap.

- F. Parent Connection Committee (Andi Bonner): We had a successful Walk & Talk on November 14th. The next Muffins & Mingle will be January 23, 2026 and the 2nd Annual Bingo Night is Friday, 2/6/2026. This will be in conjunction with Mr. B.'s Virtus Fundraiser which will provide child care for parents as they play Bingo.

G. Room Parent Committee (Emily Liakos): Per Linnzi Huckabee, 50% of Elementary classrooms have successfully gained a room parent. Harvest Fest was wonderful and celebrated with all classes of the same grade. Holiday celebrations were held in classrooms separately. The RPC will begin to include Secondary in the Spring and serve teachers of the same subjects as opposed to teachers separately. Linnzi has plans to take an idea to the board about starting a Field Trip Parent Committee.

V. Action Items (6:47)

VI. Board Initiated Business: (6:47 - 6:49)

A. Raffle - John's Incredible Pizza Gift Certificate Prize awarded to Jessica.

Adjournment: 6:50pm

**Next General PSO Meeting:
Tuesday, February 10, 2026
6:00 PM
Liberty Hall**