

PATH PTO: Parents And Teachers of HAST, Hammond Academy of Science and Technology,
Parents and Teachers Organization
Special Meeting Minutes
May 19, 2023

President.- Evie Rimkus
Vice President - Shannon Shutko
Treasurer - Vanessa Cruz
Secretary - Tatiana Miller
High School Parent Advisor - vacant
Middle School Parent Advisor - Maria Orozco
High School Teacher Advisor - vacant
Middle School Teacher Advisor - Jennifer Kleszynski (abs)
Principal - Sean Egan(abs)

Welcome; meeting opens at 3:22pm.

Special meeting has been called to order for the sole purpose of voting in new Executive Board Members for PATH PTO. Current Executive Board Members of PATH have completed their terms. The following positions need to be filled for the 23/24 school year, President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. At the PATH meeting on April 11th, attendees voted to postpone the PATH elections to the May meeting, due to lack of interested candidates. At the May 9th meeting, Tatiana Miller was unanimously voted in as the new Secretary. Attendees of the May meeting requested another email to be sent out to the HAST community about officer position openings.

On May 11th, HAST Principal, Dr. Egan added an "IMPORTANT NOTE" to the Weekly Update to the HAST community, announcing the need for new officers. Possible candidates stepped up to offer interest in joining the PATH Executive Board. Minutes for the PATH May meeting announced a special meeting scheduled after Field Day on May 19th for the sole purpose of voting on officers for PATH.

As of today, there are no candidates for the President position. Brionna Murphy has been unanimously voted in for Vice President. Ebony Cook was unanimously voted in for Treasurer. All positions of the PATH Executive Board terms are 2 years. Advisor positions are appointed by the PATH Executive Board. The old and new PATH Board members showed no objection to Maria Orozco retaining her position as Middle School Parent Advisor. Shannon Shutko, no longer the interim Vice President, was nominated as High School Advisor. Mrs. Shutko accepted. The old and new members of the PATH Board, showed no objection to her appointment. Review of PATH traditions, and responsibilities was presented. Future goals were discussed. All positions effective immediately.

Meeting closes at 4:42pm.

NEW 2023/2024 PATH PTO BOARD MEMBERS

President - vacant
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High School Parent Advisor - Shannon Shutko
Middle School Teacher Advisor - vacant
High School Teacher Advisor - vacant