

Location: SMHS Conference Room 128
Date/Time: Wednesday, January 14, 2026 | 4:30 pm

In Attendance: Rachel Nafrada (President), Christine Gonzales (Vice President), Jennifer Larochelle (Volunteers and Membership), Melissa Jensen (Treasurer), Michele Bewley (Secretary)

Advisors: Bonnie Bagheri (ASB/Link Crew)

Guests: Allison Stanton

Absent: Michele Isaac (VP Communications), Dr. Wilde (Principal)
Whitney McCoy (Co-Chair Volunteers and Membership)

Meeting Called to Order: 4:32 PM

ASB Report (Bonnie Bagheri)

- Events:
 - Currently in our Winter Sports Season: Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling, Girls Water Polo
 - Blood Drive 1/23/26
 - Senior Events on January 21:
 - Senior Class Picture
 - Disney Sweatshirt distribution by PTO, will use Minga for communication about Disney details
 - Disney bus signups that evening
 - Week of Jan 26:
 - Elective AP
 - Club Rush
 - Juniors will be selecting courses
 - Winter assembly on Jan 30
 - Disneyland Seniors Jan 31
 - Basketball games:
 - 5 home games, 3 on Wednesday nights and 2 on Friday nights
 - Upcoming home game against Mission Hills on January 23
 - Last regular season game on Feb 13
 - ASB February Grams
 - Upcoming Link Crew and ASB applications due in February

- Senior Quotes and Senior Superlatives due
- Change in district policy on streaming services and music
- Winter Formal: Feb 21 at the Escondido Center for the Performing Arts
- Prom: May 30

Principal Report (Dr. Wilde): Absent

President Report (Rachel Nafrada)

- ByLaw voted on electronically, 8 yeas and 0 nays and passed, unanimously 1/13/2026. Adoption of new revised ByLaws on January 13, 2026 and signed by PTO Secretary.
- Michele B. nominates Alison Stanton for VP of Events. Jenn motions to approve, Rachel seconds motion. 5 yeas 0 nays. Motion passes, unanimously.
- Minutes for Dec 2025: Motion to approve: Christine, second Melissa, 5 yeas 0 nays. Motion passes unanimously approve 5 yeas 0 nays.
- Next Wednesday, Jan 21 Distribution of Disney sweatshirts for Seniors: Arrive at 11 am -11:15 am arrive to help distribute, volunteers include Rachel, Christine, Alison, Sonja, Michele B.
- Update on PAC meeting that happened before winter break.
 - Woodland Park Middle renovation will result in reduced capacity, incoming 6th graders (26-27) will attend San Marcos Middle
 - San Marcos has been identified as a potential Blue Zone (area of longevity), currently in assessment phase.
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Treasurer Report (Melissa Jensen): All Disney tickets have been purchased. Refunded money to those that purchased FSKs. Board members received an updated budget via email.

Vice President (Christine Gonzalez): PTO Scholarships are being finalized almost ready to go live, revising the prompt questions and updating applications.

VP of Fundraising Report (Sonja Olson): Absent. Rachel's update on Sonja's behalf: To date we have raised over \$16,000 for the donor wall and will likely end the campaign Feb or March and install in April.

VP Communication Report (Michele Isaac): Absent. Rachel's update on Michele's behalf: Sonja is continuing to help with communications. Asked if anyone else would be willing to help, Alison and Michele B. volunteered to help with communications and social media.

VP Volunteer Report - (Jennifer Larochelle): Nothing New to report

SMHS PTO BOARD MEETING

Secretary (Michele Bewley): ByLaws were revised and voted on electronically 1/13/2026 as mentioned by Rachel. Michele B. signed the ByLaws and the newly revised ByLaws are in place.

Meeting adjourned: 5:40 PM