

AGENDA

Border Star Montessori General PTA Meeting

Wednesday, February 13, 6 p.m.

Time	Item	Owner
5:30 pm	Dinner	Tanesha
6:00	Call to Order	Tim
6:05	Approval of Minutes	Tim
6:10	Principal's Report	Ms. White
6:25	Committee Reports	Chairs
	Communications	Leslie
	Health & Wellness	Leslie
	Spirit Wear Committee chair, volunteers needed	Tim
	Room Parents	Comica
	Yearbook Order forms were supposed to go home in the last Wed. folder. You can still pre-order online, or send the form in, for \$15 through March, but after that they go to \$20. Submit pix through the Balfour ImageShare app. Project number is 925067 - no password. Or email yearbook.bsm@gmail.com .	Liz
	DAC	Jasmin/Jessica
	Fundraising Silent auction items needed, event volunteers needed, Carrie will be reaching out to teachers re: baskets	Kristin
	MMUN MMUN delegation is currently in New York!	Jennifer
	Uniform Exchange	Shanteé, Elizabeth
	Prairie, Garden Prairie cleanup in March, date TBA	Carrie, Molly/Clara
	Green Team	Clara, Tarik
6:40	Officer Reports	Officers

6:55	Old Business	Tim
	Dental screening program/Katie Schroeder Sound System proposal update Tether Ball project update Committee positions to fill: Membership/Volunteers, New Parents, Spirit Wear, Field/Fun Day Parent Ed night: Jan. 17, 2019 Gift card for Kalli's family BKS Farmers Market	
7:10	New Business	Tim
	Paul Dorrell, Leopold Gallery: New sculpture initiative for corner of Brookside and 63rd. Looking for parents to help coordinate kid involvement with creation. Elizabeth Austin, Asst. Superintendent: Principal search committee discussion.	
7:30	Adjourn	

Upcoming Spring 2019 Border Star Events

Feb. 14: Parent/Teacher Conferences/No School/Teacher Workday; Dragon Stars available for daycare

Feb. 15: KCPS Enrollment Deadline

Feb. 15: Deadline for Children's House Enrollment

Feb. 18: President's Day/No School

March 5: Principal's Coffee 8:30 a.m.

March 9: Family Pool Party at North Kansas City YMCA

March 16: BKS St. Patrick's Warm-up Parade

March 18-22: Spring Break

April 13: Dragon Night Trivia and Fundraiser

Questions? Contact the PTA

Website: borderstarpta.org

Email: borderstarpta@gmail.com

The Facebook page for Border Star parents is [facebook.com/groups/dragonparents](https://www.facebook.com/groups/dragonparents). This informal group is a great way to share ideas, ask questions, and get to know your community. It is a closed group, so you'll need to verify you are a parent by submitting your child's teacher's name. *Note: The group is not affiliated with the school or the district.*

Copies of tonight's Agenda and the previous meeting's Minutes will be available at the website. Most of the information in this agenda is available in our weekly Dragon News email newsletters. If you are not subscribed, head to borderstarpta.org to sign up.

Join the PTA

PTA meetings are open to the entire school body. If you would like to be a voting member, annual dues are \$5 per person. Sign up at borderstarpta.org/membership

Spirit Wear

Orders are taken bi-weekly. Items ordered by the 15th of each month will be delivered by the 1st (with one or two days variance in either direction). Items ordered by the last day of the month will arrive around the 15th. If there aren't 12 items ordered, orders will be pushed to the next cycle. Go to borderstarpta.org to order.

PTA Vision Statement

Border Star Montessori will be a first choice elementary school for Kansas City families. The PTA will support a vibrant and diverse community of students, families, and teachers by providing outstanding opportunities to foster a love of learning, practice healthy choices, and actively participate in our local and global community.

PTA Mission Statement

The mission of Border Star Montessori PTA is to:

- Make all Border Star families feel welcome and valued
- Support teachers' classroom projects, field trips, training, and other needs to ensure students have the best learning opportunities
- Foster the involvement and support of our local business and civic leaders in our students' success
- Shine a light on the benefits and opportunities available within the Kansas City Public School system