



October 9, 2021
USAFA Parents' Club of MN

Mission: Our group exists to promote the well-being of the Minnesota (and western Wisconsin) cadets at the US Air Force Academy (USAFA) and their families.

We are a member supported group open to parents of cadets at both the Academy and the Prep School.

The meeting of the USAFA Parent's Club of MN (the "Club") was called to order starting at 9:30am by Matt Norman, who led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Matt shared the mission of the Club, introduction of key representatives and that the Club needs new volunteers for the next cycle to fill positions that will be vacated by parents of graduating Cadets. Others shared the benefit that they have received from being part of the Club.

Treasurer's Report: Lynn Jackman provided the Treasurer's report Key highlights were:

- Checking account balance over \$16k
- MN Night balance of ~\$3,800
- Motion was made to approve the Treasurer's report by John Uribe. Mat Norman seconded the motion. Treasurer's report was approved.

Events/Other:

Parent's Night Out (PNO): The Club discussed the history and evolution of PNO. Historically, it would take place at a restaurant but COVID caused the shift to having Club members host at their homes.

Cookie Packing: Lisa Meyer shared that Cookie Packing is normally the first Saturday of December. This year the Club is having difficulty finding a space to pack and this will be a key topic for the November meeting.

Minnesota Night: Denise Metzler provided an update from Parent's Weekend where the Academy suggested to Parent's Clubs that Academy is stressing more centralized morale funding versus individual state initiatives. More clarity is still needed as the Club attempts to plan for MN Night.

Cadet sharing occurred.

Meeting adjourned at 10:45am.

Next meetings are scheduled for November 13th.

Respectfully submitted,

John Uribe,
Club Secretary

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