

PTA General Meeting Minutes
September 14, 2016 7:00 pm
HES Cafeteria

- HES PTA President Marquisha Powell began the meeting and gave a greeting and credited past PTA officers with doing a great job.
- PTA officer introductions
 - Chad Copeland, 1st Vice President
 - Kevin Blackerby, 2nd Vice President
 - Sarah Eisen, Secretary
 - Rommel Sandino, Treasurer
- PTA objectives - Marquisha outlined our PTA objectives.
- Become a member of your PTA. - Chad spoke to the numerous reasons for joining the PTA.
- 2016 – 2017 Event Schedule - Marquisha went over special events scheduled for this year. See the [2016-2017 PTA Calendar](http://hyattsvillees-pta.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/09/2016-17SchoolYearCalendar_PTA.pdf) (http://hyattsvillees-pta.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/09/2016-17SchoolYearCalendar_PTA.pdf) for details.
- Volunteer opportunities - Marquisha spoke of the many opportunities to volunteer. A volunteer sign-up sheet was available. Marquisha thanked Christine Blackerby for doing such a great job with posting volunteer opportunities for specific dates and times.
- Approved budget - we had a PTA meeting on the first day of school where we discussed the categorical budget and voted and approved this budget. See the [categorical budget posted on the hyattsville es PTA website](http://hyattsvillees-pta.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/07/Categorical-budget-for-2016-2017-HES-PTA.pdf) (<http://hyattsvillees-pta.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/07/Categorical-budget-for-2016-2017-HES-PTA.pdf>) for details.
- Zombie Run/5K - Kevin Blackerby spoke about the event and all the volunteer opportunities available to help out with the event.
- Closing remarks - Marquisha spoke of her excitement about being the PTA president. Mrs. Bey thanked us for all of our support for the school
- Q&A - there were no questions