Good Evening All,

It was a pleasure working with each of you today! Thank you for your engagement and for your collective shares. As a result, we walk away even more enriched & encouraged. That's great team work.

I've read the feedback and wanted to share it with each of you. This is an exercise I believe is an influential transparent practice that impacts team performance. It permits me to modify what I do based on the voice of the audience and lets you know I was listening.

**What went well?:**

kept on time; good first hand advice; well presented; fine overview; presenter was excellent & insightful; setting the tone and team building was helpful; leader hit some great highlights; she was respectful of others' time; very helpful information; resources available and politically important actions were helpful; lots of useful info shared today; personal advice was very beneficial; nice to have current president present; liked the tips shared; hearing from other PTSA Presidents was good; presenter gave great advice on setting the tone; time permitted for suggestions & comments from group was good; great agenda; very informative; great discussions & ideas; well thought out presentation; great speaker; relevant content; great discussions; presenter was energetic and encouraging

**What can we improve?**

maybe have a place for a lunch meeting to meet with other presidents to share ideas & experiences; more time needed for feedback; nothing..great session...Liz was awesome and very knowledgeable; share all emails and slides with group (done! :-) ; more time for this session and more sharing; more time; should be longer so we can build in more sharing time; perhaps separate HS from MS because conversations lead mostly to HS content; start on time - I want to go to other sessions

**What can we do for you?**

-Provide suggested speakers for meetings.

-How can we get that minority interest?

-Continue these trainings. I always learn something new!

-Specific results that PTSA has accomplished that we can use in briefings and to encourage membership & involvement.

-I'd like to see notes from other training areas I couldn't attend.

-We should have contact information of all attendees for coordinating.

**MCCPTA website:** <http://www.mccpta.org/> (Add this to your favorites)

**Note:** The powerpoint used today was based on my experiences and not generated by MCCPTA per se. I reflected upon what I would like to have known coming into this role last year and used that as my basis. Feel free to reflect on the content as you plan your Presidential & V Presidential steps. As shared in the training, the Presidents Booklet has necessary information that we can all read. The information I shared wouldn't necessarily be found in writing but is necessary & useful for your success!

Reach out to your Presidents in your consortium. Attend your Consortium meetings conducted by your AVP and Delegates.Build your cohort of leaders and access one another as useful resources. ***Together, we can!***

My Twitter handle: @Prez\_PTSA

See ya via technology and at the Presidents & Principals Dinner in May at the Marriott in Bethesda!

Blessings for a successful BTSN all!

**Liz Collins**

PBHS PTSA President

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**PS: I hope I got everyone's email accurate based on what I could read. *;-)***