



Hilliard Davidson PTO

Meeting Minutes for

January 7, 2019

Six in attendance: Kimberly Van Gundy, Matt Anderson, Megan Kolb, Lucy West, Kim DeWeese and Beth Traxler.

President's Welcome: Kimberly Van Gundy called the meeting to order at 7:01pm with a "Happy New Year".

Principal's Report: Matt Anderson commented that transcript grades will be out January 14th and second semester/third quarter begins January 7th. Principal's Report listed several important dates; the following were highlighted:

- Junior class meeting with Tom Woodford (excellent counselor) on January 8th at Third period in the PAC.
- Thursday, January 10th "Signs of Suicide Parents meeting at 6:30pm at Weaver Middle School. This a parent workshop that will provide information about the Signs of Suicide Curriculum that 7th and 10th grade students that will be taking in health classes during the upcoming school year.

Hilliard School district will be hosting the community book talk for "Unselfie" by Michele Borba. There are several dates on the HDSO website.

Author Kate Fagen will discuss her book "What Made Maddie Run" will be at Darby HS on Feb 25th. There are more dates on the HDSO website.

Davidson will be introducing the "Hope Squad" this winter. This is the first time HDHS introduced this program; whereby students become advocates for their peers. Every grade will choose students who are leaders; these selected students are vetted by teachers and will be trained to be advocates for their classmates.

- The Winter Dance is scheduled for Saturday, January 19th from 8pm – 10pm in the PAC. The winter dance is for all grades 9 through 12. Typically, a smaller attendance – only one Shoe Check will be required. Concessions were discussed, and expectation is that PTO will provide minimal concessions (water).
- January and February there will be parental Information nights for AP and Testing. Upcoming date is January 31st at 7pm in the PAC.

Question asked: When is Parent / Teacher Conferences. Matt responded with February 13th from 3pm to 8pm. Notices for Sign-up Genius will be set up sometime end of January for parents to schedule a meeting with a teacher.

Lucy will confirm with Carrabas Italian Grill is donating the dinner. Kim offered to set up the Sign-Up Genius for volunteers and donations.

Matt thanked the PTO for the teacher's mail drop treats this month!

Secretary Report: Lucy West provided hard copies of the December 3rd meeting minutes. No changes were recommended. Motions were made to approve Minutes. December minutes were approved.

Treasurer Report: Megan Kolb provided copies of December Treasurer Report dated 12 /1/18 through 12/31/18. Megan noted that not much activity during December. The \$675.00 debit was payment to Aramark for the fall teacher conference dinner. SpiritWear now has \$931.00 in profit. Motions were made to approve Treasurer's Report and report was approved with no dissents.

Committee Reports

Spirit Wear: Volunteers are needed for basketball games. Agenda listed eleven games from Jan 8th to Feb 8th listing when a volunteer is needed to either set up or tear down the Spirit Wear table or both. Please review dates and let Lisa know if you can help.

Staff Appreciation: Kim DeWeese commented that the December Mail Drop went well. There will be a Sign-Up Genius for January 25th muffin and coffee date. Next scheduled staff appreciation events: February will be a Mail Drop and March will be a Taco Bar.

ISPTO: Beth Traxler commented there is no update. The next ISPTO is January 22th at Memorial at 6:30pm.

Community Rewards and Spirit Nights: No update.

Cookie Day: Next cookie day is March 15th. Comment made that PTO may have funds to cover cookie costs, as the upcoming Parent Teacher conference meal is fully donated.

New Business

Celebrity Wait Night at Figlio's: Beth Traxler noted key items:

- ◆ Dinner is scheduled for February 10, 2019.
- ◆ There will be one seating at 5:30pm (120 people available seating)
- ◆ Cost is \$40.00 per person (\$25.00 goes to Figlio; \$15.00 donation to PTO)
- ◆ Cash bar.
- ◆ 100% of the tips are donations to the PTO!
- ◆ Dinner will be an appetizer, salad, and a main course (choice of pizza or pasta).

Matt Anderson is recruiting administrative staff and coaches.

Motion was made to approve adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 7:55pm.

Next meeting February 4, 2019.