

THSPA Booster Club Meeting Minutes

12 SEPTEMBER 2017 / 4:15 PM / Conference Room

Attended:

MaryAnn Oram, Ricki Chambers, Jenni Heiner, Malia Young, Kim Aloï, Brittany Andersen, Tanya Loman, Michelle Hansen, Kareen Warnick, Nicole Richins, Janet Carter, Cheryln Gibbs, Heather Riddell, Tara Eaves, John Eaves Rachel Ellis, Jennifer Crowton, Andrea Platis

Welcome - MaryAnn Oram

- Still looking for 2-3 parents for community council, meet six times a year, contact Christine France (chair) or the administration if interested
- Approval of August 2017 meeting's minutes, Kareen Warnick made motion, Kim Aloï seconded, no opposed

Studio/Committee Reports - past/upcoming events

Dance (Tanya Loman) - Shakespeare piece is under way, fall concert choreography has begun, looking for funding for master classes, possible for booster to help? Yes

Film & Animation (Trish Fleischman) - nothing to report

Music Vocal (Michelle Hansen) - Hyperion Gold had an awesome set of Master Classes with actors from Tuacahn Ampitheatre. We have been trying to enjoy as much time with them as possible. September 23rd, Saturday, we are having a small performance of a chorus from Matilda that we will be performing with TCA for their Broadway cares show. Madrigals will be having their retreat on the 28th, 29th, and 30th of September. Thank you for Booster help. Choir Concert is coming up on October 9th. Dress rehearsals on the 5th and 6th after school until 6:30pm. Let the booster club know that I am so grateful for a wonderful rep!!!! There will be more things as the school year progresses that I will ask help from you concerning. We are looking at media that will be going out via YouTube showcasing Madrigals and Hyperion Gold and of course Garlands as we progress. Garlands will be a HUGE event help will be needed when closer.

Music Instr. (Kareen Warnick) - in process of exploring way to fundraise for guitars which would be 4K for beginners and 4K for ensemble, accepting ideas. Possibly have additional parent involved in Music Instr. that has a kid in this area, solicit for interested parent

Theatre (Nicole Richins) - encouraging everyone to buy tickets online. To use card, go into computer lab and purchase. One person with cash at ticket table. Brainstorm is to pull off online stuff at a certain point and give Heather the stack of leftovers, have a parent keep an eye on computer lab. General admission. Online purchasing went live on Friday night for purchasing Blast, family pass can't be purchased after 3pm. MY says tell them to avoid long lines and buy tickets in advance. There were 6 options online advertising how to buy tickets. First time using this method and will know next time how many volunteers will need- 2 ushers, 2 sell tickets (need to be able to stay after to count money) and 1 to get late people, watch computer lab. When finished, turn money into admin. Nicole understood all plays, loved the artwork, good job combining all three areas. The next Blast will likely be a musical in February

Visual Art (Janet Carter) - appreciated how art was incorporated into Blast. Stradley working on getting a drawing booth (caricature) for Saturday market. Would be good to use before shows/events. Ideas welcome on how to generate student revenue/fundraising

Publicity (CherylN Gibbs) - happy to help, can do graphic design, website. School has own advertising so we'll use for booster events. Will check w/Andrus & Kyle see if they require help

Fundraising (Heather Riddell) - booth at Tuacahn, create sign-up for weekends to reserve

Vending (Syd Snow) - Need replacement that available during school day, Eaves volunteered!

Volunteering (Loraine Jezak) - will handle booster event sign-up genius, email blurb

Financial Report - Malia Young

- Need more members for revenue - @Parent teacher conferences, advertise

Admin Report - Brittany Andersen

- Lip Dub - turned out great
- ACT scores - went up entire point in math; gains in English, reading, writing. Science-state average. Will do ACT prep this year. February 26 ACT date - same as Washington county. Twitter question of the day relating to prepping for students. Brittany also Assessment Director
- Hired new IT - Rolando (LaGuardia PAHS - tour Oct) - passionate about the school. IT Director (does both sides). Kyle, Harrison, Drew, & some TCA people going to NY in October for tour
- Shane Hecksel - has documentary in Docutah. In the process in getting students to do one about our high school
- Blast - didn't know what to expect. Was blown away, corroboration between directors, actors, guitar, art was such a great concept. Kyle really appreciated Booster for their help
- Master classes - right now students hate socratic seminar. Teachers need to become more comfortable. They will shorten a bit so there's more time in classes and can spend time in clubs. LGBTQ+ / Pride Club first meeting last week and that was awesome
- Homecoming - Saturday night @Washington Red, tickets available online, not lunch (no booster help needed)
- Grant - teachers have forms and hopefully will start utilizing those forms
- Chris Andrus is having a girl!
- Math Teacher, Josh Kinney, went to ER, didn't show up for school. Drew went with officer to his home and took to emergency room, he's doing better and is concerned about his students
- Concessions - still in same space, can sell when in BB but not allowed to eat in Hafen

Activities & Fundraisers Ideas - Heather Riddell

- Movie Night; Ice Cream Social; Yard Sale, Hot Dog Hello (where free hot dogs and hang out) - other schools do before school begins; Drew and Lacey jam session, chili cook-off where teachers bring chili and have a walk-a-thon; Golden Corral celebrity server (2K Vista); special shirt for parents of tuacahn that is cheaper for booster members or included in membership (raise fee), have booster level up to get stuff (that is available immediately)

Shakespeare Retreat 1K for food help - Presented by Brittany Anderson

Jenni Heiner made motion, Tanya Loman seconded, no opposed, passed

Proposed Meeting Time Change from 4:15pm to 4:30pm. Unanimous keep at 4:15pm

TRAINING for Studio Reps & Committee Chairs

Sign-up genius in blurb to Heather to request volunteer help

Personal Funds/Reimbursement - must use Booster funds, never personal

Regular Member - all must become

Recorded by Jenni Heiner