

# 11/13/18 PTSO Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Jennifer Cramer, Theresa Prebish, Lori Steger, Emily Rittenhouse, Craig Steger, Sandra Lawyer, Jeanne Murck, Mike Marden, Tim Flynn, Robin Knowles, Shakira O'Neil, Laurie Guzman, Mary Reiley, Jeanette Fehr, Robin Knowles

## Hospitality/Fundraising Report: Sandra Lawyer

- Bazaar on November 17 from 10 am to 2 pm
  - Sold 40 slots, had 49 vendors but some did not pay so approximately \$2350
  - Set up Friday night after football game and put numbers on the tables
  - 13 shirts left (will sell during Bazaar)
  - Advertised on Eventbrite, will send through Peachjar and ConnectEd (Jen will work with Tim on this), will announce at football game, meeting attendees volunteered to distribute flyers to the following shopping centers: Goose Creek, Ashburn Village, Ashburn Farm, Ashburn Plaza
  - o Banner for the event will arrive on 11/14
  - Crew team will be selling Subway
  - o 8 people are buying Chick-fil-A nuggets during the Bazaar
- Cinnabon sale November 17, 10am-2pm
  - \$1000 in payment and 60 people ordered
  - Pickup time is on the order form
- December holiday cookie party for teachers
  - Need to create signup genius for cookies
  - Had the jazz choir and string group perform at the party last year
  - Recommended that we also ask for gift cards in \$10 denominations and raffle them off during the party - will talk more about suggestion

## **VP Programs Report:** Lori Steger

- Huntington Test Prep Class cancelled, not enough interest, next Huntington practice Test January 19, 2019 (9am-12pm in the SB library)
- Turbo Tutoring now offering private tutoring class for \$400 with 10% back to the PTSO, next ACT group session is Feb.6 at Briar Woods and SAT is Feb.23 at Westfield, both \$199 with 10% back to the PTSO

#### <u>Treasurer Report:</u> Craig Steger - 5 minutes

- Review of treasurer's report
- Continue to collect payments for the bazaar and Cinnabon fundraisers
- \$250 given to the Sources of Strength breakfast for students
- There was a handful of memberships (teachers and parents) and donations this month

# <u>President Report:</u> Jen Cramer - 10 minutes

No December PTSO meeting

- Introduction of the Sunday graduation petition do not hold graduation on a Sunday
- Donations: Used \$150 in donations to fund the teacher workday snacks (Dulles Wegmans, Harris Teeter Goose Creek and Lansdowne, Leesburg Costco, Giant Ashburn Farm and Village, Schmitz Sunoco) and \$26.50 came out of the PTSO budget
- Harris Teeter Together in Education Code **5930**
- Giant 03795

# **VP Membership/Webmaster Report:** Dan/Emily Rittenhouse - 3 minutes

- 190 members
- 62 teachers

#### ANGP Report: Jen Cramer/Mike Marden

- Finalized games
- Ornament Sale 50 ornaments left, 50 sold at nail salon in Ashburn Farm, 120 sold at Potomac Green

#### Administration Report and Q&A: SBHS Administration - 15 minutes

- Working on streamlining calendars and communication with the goal to eliminate confusion
- PTSO links can be placed in the December newsletter
- Feedback from parent athletics announcements on homepage (left side) has some sports and not others
- Admin team is all new
- Focusing on curriculum
  - Teams of teachers meet monthly with Tim
  - Identify children struggling and help immediately
- More teacher/administration 1:1 meetings
- 1:1 initiatives
- Administration is more visible with the students and connecting with students
- Half of Monroe is dual enrolled for college (17% are special education) all have access and opportunities
- Please be sure to complete the parent survey
- Accreditation is going well
- Football playoff was won so Friday game if they win then game will be held the Friday after Thanksgiving @ noon
- Choir fundraiser
- Radium Girls performance this weekend

#### Scholarship Report: Leena Nathan

no new report

**SEAC Report:** Jeanne Murck

• Annual report for the board should be done at the end of the month, restraint and seclusion rules being reviewed, 17% of Special Education in Monroe

# MSAAC Report: Shakira O'Neil

- Dr. Deborah March (Multicultural Studies Curriculum Resource Teacher in the Office of Curriculum and Instruction) spoke at the October meeting and posed the following questions for the group:
  - 1. Whose voices are not being heard?
  - 2. Who am I willing to show up for?
  - 3. How will I respond when I realize I am part of the problem?
- 2 scholarships available one for an adult and one for a student
- Focus groups for minority groups and families (Jan. 7 at 6 pm LGBTQ, Jan. 16 at 6 pm Latino/Hispanic, Feb. 6 at 6PM African American, Feb. 20 at 6PM Religious minority)
- Next meeting 11/14/18

#### <u>Fund Request / Presentations):</u> Presenters

None

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PTSO Meetings - every 2nd Tuesday of the Month in the Library @ 6:30!