Senior Class Party meeting minutes ~ Sept. 22, 2018

The steering committee met at 6pm. Donna, Mary, Ann and Rachel were present.

The meeting began at 6:30pm and approximately 22 parents were present.

Graduation date is May 26th, 2019 @ 4pm. The party time of 9:30pm - 4:30am was discussed and not objected to.

## FUTURE MEETING DATES

Meetings will all be held on Monday nights in the library at 6:30 (except for 12/10 at 5:30) Dates are as follows : 10/15, 11/12, 12/10 (5:30pm), 1/14, 2/25, 3/11, 4/8, 5/6, 5/20

Introductions were made and Donna gave brief overview of all fundraising areas as well as went through the budget.

## FUNDRAISING

50/50 Raffle is in need of a Chair. Donna submitted the notice to the city and we will not be able to start raffles until November 1st. Discussed that we will do majority at basketball games and the possibility of Choir / Band concerts as well.

HyVee Cards - Heather Moen has agreed to Chair and will have cards available at all the senior class party meetings in increments of 50 and 100 dollars.

Howard Wood cleanup- This Friday, Sept. 28th after the football game as well as Oct 12th after the football game.

Denny Premier Center Concessions - There are spots available to fill on : Oct 5th (Friday) from 5-10pm (1 spot) Oct 6th (Sat) 11-4pm (7 spots) Oct 6th (Sat) 5-10pm (13 spots) Rachel will send out a sign up genius. This is an easy way to make great money and will need people to step up and volunteer.

Parent t-shirts - Robyn Versluys - these are usually \$15 and all the parent volunteers wear them the night of the party.

Halftime shootouts - Tom Shields / Mike Person - Denise talked to Malchow and he will give us the dates we will have halftime shootouts for after Nov. 1st.

Grand March is April 27th and is usually \$5 / adult - Leigh Risch is chair

**Business Donations - Alice Wilson** 

VFW- New fundraiser of BINGO night. The proceeds go to the organization that is the sponsor for the night. We provide kids and adults. LHS ROTC raised \$600 in one night. Rachel will get contact info and pursue. Seems like a great, quick, fun way to make a decent amount of money.

## **EVENT COMMITTEES**

Volunteer Coordinator - Rachel Person

Food - NEED CHAIR - ? Jodi Elton

Decorations / theme - Jodi Swenson / Robin Versluys \$600 budget. Tons of decorations available for use in storage shed. Heidi Freese volunteered to set up / send out a survey since she has a k12 account to the seniors with 3 or so options for party themes as well as gift ideas they'd like.

Registration/ Tickets/ Bags - Kristin Skogstad / Jill Andersen

Games / Entertainment - Mary Kennedy gave us an update on the inflatables and games. We are able to get all / any we want as her son works there and will get a great price as well. Prizes - Charity Small / Denise Shields both volunteered at meeting to chair

Community Service Project - Julie Fedders / Cathy Kellogg - discussed past years projects as well

as possibilities for this year

Low Steppers - Rachel Person - will contact Andrea Wange and see if wants to co-chair or lead Security / Medical - Jim VanBockern/Chris Andersen/Tom Shields/ Mike Person - Mike will put together general first aid kit / items for the night

Sound / Lights - Donna has filled this spot with a teacher / students

Kids' T-shirts - Robin Versluys - Discussion as to whether or not we get / have uniform party tshirts for kids. Considering future use / worth to kids vs. cost. Arguments for both sides. Mary will pursue American Ink cost for t-shirt if any cheaper than now.

## **OTHER ITEMS**

Discussed Hypnotist time from 12:30-2 (approx.) as well as possibility of illusionist / mentalist/ magician. At this point in time, cost is prohibitive, but may consider if continues to come down in price.

Charity Small will be making contact with Flyboy Donuts & Stampede for other fundraising possibilities.