In attendance: Jen, Joanne, Jessica, Valerie and Mags (Nitzel, David and Lisa on google meet) In the beginning of the meeting faculty/staff reps, Dr. Bartoli and Marianne Nunez were present

## Hall of Fame\Alumni Networking

Dr. Bartoli spoke about a Hall of Fame for 2021-2022 school year.

Abott Tech has a Hall of Fame to build alumni connections to students.

Some ideas are :Panel discussions, monthly events.

## Hybrid Model

Dr. Bartoli spoke about the hybrid model working well.

More school life during trade days than academic

Kids are staying home for a variety of reasons.

Being in school they are better able to get their work done.

Dr B/ Mr Gilbert to formulate a plan to invite more SPEd, 504, EL full time to school for additional support.

## Skills USA

Dr. B mentioned fund raising towards Skills USA competition in trades

Mr. Boody is Skills USA advisor.

A great resource is Ray Simson, a 96yo who wants to give back to the tech school (\$10K/year)

## **Fund Raising**

Joanne lined up Chipotle for March 6th (tentative 4-8pm) Keep Luigi's Night for March 1<sup>st</sup>? Luigi's Restaurant night going very well. \$553. They have been generously rounding up the donations in October and November.

Jen said textile bins doing well. Bins first delivered in October and then moved to front gates in December. Total raised from October through January is \$168. Dr. B said we can't move them past the gates because that is City of Stamford property. Keep promoting and sharing on social media and bring your old clothes and textiles.

Jen said discount cards doing well - \$2,121 (106 cards sold) keep promoting and sharing on social media. JMWT alumni 1980 was the printer for our discount cards.

Car show cancelled due to COVID. Lisa suggested Fall of 2021 or Spring of 2022 Discussed the idea of having the auto trade students build the trophies in advance of next year's car show

Consideration of having car show in the fall (Oct) but Mags raised the point that it requires a lot of planning and it would take up much time over the summer months.

Valerie mentioned some fundraising ideas she can follow up on: Paint Night @ Pinot's Pallette potentially for spring and trade trivia night

Treasurers Report: (Jessica & Joanne) amount in PFO Bank \$19,251.23

Valerie Mortensen voted in as Co-Secretary and will share the position with Mags.