

HHS PAC MEETING MINUTES

2/13/2018

Members Present:

Stefanie Furge, Jenifer Thomas, Cindy Shaw, Nancy Braford, Kate Gregory, Bernadette Moug

Meeting called to order at 7:48am

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Stefanie:

DPAC REPORT (Nancy):

Chuck Hughes was speaker.

Started off with discussing the use of snow days. Routes are checked at about 3 am. The district is broken into quadrants, routes driven. Conversation with other superintendents in the area, before decision is made. There are approximately 5-6 days padded into the schedule. However, the deciding factor is really hours. 1098 instructional hours MUST BE MET.

Early school start. 2018/2019 will be Aug. 28. 2019/2020 school will start Aug 21, 2019. First semester would be done by Christmas break. He was reasonably sure that early June would be the last day of school.

He has been visiting the schools/buildings and presenting the state of the district (he showed a power point at this time).

MiSchoolData.org website that will show you how schools in the area. Can break it down by actual school or district, via the parent dashboard.

Negotiation year. Two out of 4 contracts settled (maintenance and food service), negotiations with teachers and para/secretaries are ongoing.

Ethan Hawker was strategically placed at FIS as assistant principal to help boost Math scores on a temporary basis. New Math coach is planned for 2018/2019.

Science will be realigning curriculum in the next 2 years.

943 school of choice students in the 2017/18 year.

Class of 2018 is the first class to go K-12 with Readers/Writers workshop

ADMINISTRATION REPORT:

Kate Gregory reported that:

- Winterfest, sponsored by student council, had an extremely small turnout. Dressy casual. Card games held in the media center, gym was open, and there was a DJ in the commons area.
- Powerpuff volleyball game featured senior boys vs junior boys. About \$100 was raised to donate to the food pantry.

- Unified basketball game on 2/15 will have a special guest who was a NY Giant and former MSU football player.
- March 1st parent meeting for 8th grade/incoming freshmen.
- Scheduling process has started for students for the 2018/2019 school year.
- Thoughts and prayers were asked for the health of Mr. Riley, a teacher and DECA mentor. Complications developed after a surgical procedure.
- Freshmen registration and LINK are in the planning phases to be combined.

READING OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING (Jan, 9th, 2018):

- Cindy Shaw motioned to approve the minutes, Jen Thomas 2nd. Two issues needed to be amended amount of Kroger check rec'd and SANP donation. Nancy to amend.

TREASURER REPORT:

- Check issued to Nancy for the Valentine kisses for \$87.91
- Emily Aluia submitted a request for approximately 300 calculators, at an estimated cost of \$1047. These calculators would be used for students during the PSAT/SAT testing. Jen Thomas made a motion to approve full amount, Cindy Shaw 2nd. Kate Gregory to order.
- Shanna Dana submitted a request for chemistry/lab equipment of approximately \$300. Motion was made to approve for no more than \$400. Nancy 1st, Cindy 2nd

OLD BUSINESS:

- No old business discussed.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Kisses (chocolate ones!) on Valentines day. Eight volunteers set up to pass out kisses. Nancy has baskets.
- Teacher/Staff appreciation lunch set for May 8th, 2018. (100+ employees). Nancy/Jen to work on.
- Fundraiser set up during 8th grade parent night on March 1st. Money to be earmarked toward the Class of 2022, for possible lunch during LINK. \$20 Tony Sacco's pizza card. \$10 come back to PAC.

CALL TO MEMBERSHIP:

- No new business presented.

Meeting was motioned to adjourn by Nancy at 8:22am, 2nd Jen/Cindy

Next meeting is March 13th, 2018 at 7:45am in the High School Office.