

HHS PAC MEETING MINUTES

3/13/2018

Members Present:

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

Meeting called to order at 7:48am

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Stefanie:

DPAC REPORT (Nancy):

Chuck Hughes was speaker 2/21/18

Started off meeting discussing the incident that occurred at the HS, the week prior, and the reason for the subsequent email addressing it. Administration had followed proper procedure and LCSD had cleared the incident as a non-threat. However, through out the day, social media fueled rumors, prompting Mr. Hughes to send out the email. Many parents were concerned about the vagueness of the incident. Mr. Hughes mentioned that it is purposely kept vague, to prevent subsequent copycat incidents.

He then went on to discuss the nationwide planned student walkouts, to support gun control on 3/14 and 4/20. All county schools have been in discussion on this. HCS policy on this is that the school district does not support political agendas. However, there are plans in place, if students do walk participate in the 17 minute walk out (10:00am-10:17am). Seventeen minutes is one minute for each victim of the Parkland FI. Incident. Next he discussed the non-homestead renewal vote, scheduled for May. The non-homestead renewal is a tax that effects businesses and 2nd homes. An email was sent to the PAC members, with the slide show presented.

Shortage of bus drivers, subs, and custodians. Possibly looking at bringing drivers back into HCS, offering insurance, etc.

Teachers have been filling in as subs, during their planning time, and are therefore paid extra for doing so.

ADMINISTRATION REPORT:

Chuck Hughes, Superintendent, presented the information for the Non Homestead Tax Renewal, which will be coming up for a vote in May 2018. Information on this can be found on the HCS website, this renewal will effect businesses and 2nd homes/vacation property.

Kate Gregory reported that:

- March 17, 2018 PSAT-Juniors only. These results are not reported, as it is a practice test. It is authentic as possible, based on returned tests. About 220 students are participating
- April 10, 2018 SAT for Juniors, which is mandated for graduation. Dismissal 12:30
- April 10, 2018 PSAT for Freshmen and Sophomores. Coordinated by Mrs. Aluia. Dismissal @10:30. Seniors do not report this day.
- April 11, 2018 Junior ACT/WorkKeys (trade school), morning testing in gym. ACT is part of state testing. Normal day for grades 9,10 and 12.

- April 17, 2018 Juniors take MSTEP. Online testing for science and social studies.
- Joanne Franklin will have her last day on April 3, 2018. Replacements are being interviewed.

READING OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING (Feb 13, 2018):

- Jen Thomas motioned to approve, Cindy Shaw 2nd

TREASURER REPORT:

- Kroger quarterly check for 485.29 received
- Deposit of \$270 to Eagle Express for Staff Appreciation week dinner
- Ice Cream to be bought for Junior SAT

OLD BUSINESS:

- Chocolate kisses on Valentines Day: Nancy reported it went well, though volunteers were down. Kate mentioned that there are possibly students available that would like to do this. Keep in mind for October 2018.
- 8th Grade Parent night fundraiser, cancelled due to snow storm

NEW BUSINESS:

- Ice Cream for Juniors after the SAT, approximately 12:30 for 500 students
- In memoriam gift for Judy Dumond, possible wrestling book for library
- LOC Career fair, volunteers are set, takes place 3/20/18 in media center.
- Teacher Appreciation luncheon, Nancy present the tentative sign up genius for review.
- PAC meeting date change, due to SAT testing, is April 9, 2018.

CALL TO MEMBERSHIP:

- No new business presented.

Meeting was motioned to adjourn by Nancy at 9:01am, 2nd Jen/Cindy

Next meeting is MONDAY (Date change) April 9th, 2018 at 7:45am in the High School Office.