



## HIJH PTO BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Friday, August 19, 2016

9:30 am-10:45 am

HIJH Conference Room

Attendees: Becky Gerig, Paul Count, Cindi Berry, Michelle Allen, Krista Francis, Kristina Bucciarelli, Tim Mankin, Teri Schicker, Marie Farber, Denise Retzner, Lisa Gruber

### Approval of the July meeting minutes

- Motion to approve by Paul, second by Becky
- Unanimous approval

### Update from Principal, Tim Mankin

- It has been a good start to the school year, enrollment was capped at 1,214 and is now down to 1,193. Now grades 7/8 are still capped and 5/6 are open.
- Administration will be having meetings this fall to review student enrollment capacity for next year
- Buses are at capacity so nobody will be allowed to ride a different bus without special permission from Jim White
- Apple fundraiser begins 8/26 – school has a \$25K guarantee.
- Staff lunch dates have been published
- Tim is requesting \$1000 from PTO for professional development for teachers
- Tim has been challenged by the school district to come up with a new strategy for the best educational situation for grades 5-8. His team is to develop the concept, form a committee, and develop a pilot program for the nation. He needs 2 parent volunteers, 2 local business owners, etc. If anyone is interested in participating on this committee they are to contact Tim. First meeting is 10/12 9:00-3:00 at the Fishers Library

### Update from Committee Chairs

- Panther Preview – Becky
  - There were several people who signed up to volunteer
  - Spirit Wear sales were \$475
- Spirit Wear – Michelle
  - There is still a lot of old stock in small sizes
    - Sell these at the first football game and donate the leftovers
- Panther Pep Rally – Krista Francis
  - Students are paying \$3 for admission/food
    - PTO is keeping that money
    - Expenses will be around \$700
- Staff Appreciation – Kristina
  - First lunch was successful – served pizza and desserts and decorated the room
    - Expenses were \$305 under budget

- There are no October or November staff lunches needed
  - PTO will do small treats, etc. for teachers instead
- Athletic Ticket Sales/Concessions – Denise
  - Will be asking for volunteers and using the NHS students at the high school
- Panther Palooza – Tonia Lotz is chair
  - Need budget from Paul
- Treasurer Report – Paul
  - Tax returns have been distributed to the board for approval
  - All board members need to respond to email with approval

Next meeting September 2 – 9:30 am at HIJH