



HIJH PTO BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Monday, April 10, 2023, 11:00 AM
HIJH Conference Room

Attendees:

Laura Clark, Star Untersee, Amanda Abebe, Rachel Dyckman, Sarah Hilbert, Beth Anderson and Mr. Rent.

Welcome & Introductions - Laura

- Welcome

School Update – Mr. Rent

- Testing season for all Indiana schools. Practice test this week and full tests next week.
- Ensure your kids are getting proper nutrition and sleep for test days.
- If PTO can help get parents to send in some snacks that would be great.
- 4th grade transition for students - going to be the first time to do this back in person. Will be done during the school day on May 18th.
- Need some handbook feedback- email Mr Iguali with any suggestions or comments.

Library Update – Mrs. Boudreau

- Thanks for the amazing book fair; snacks, decorations, etc.
- 1524 books went to readers homes
- \$3318 to spend with Scholastic
- \$1997 to spend with any vendor to help get all the books our young readers want
- Author visits in March: Jason Funk & Yuri Duncan: all students that were at school were able to attend and hear them.
- 38 students participated in a writers workshop
- Looking into authors for the 23-34 school year & to work with another school to split author travel costs

- **Treasurer Report - Sarah**

- Presented March treasurer's report.
Beth Anderson to approve, Amanda Abebe second, unanimous approval

Meeting Minutes presented

- Will review March and April both next month.
- **Dine to Donate - Beth**
 - Brusters - April 18th 4-8pm
 - Qdoba - didn't meet their threshold.
 - Kona Ice - last day of school; Avalon, Hunters Run, Turnberry, Enclave

- **Panther Rewards-** Beth
 - Amazon– will be last year they are offering this program.
 - Coke Rewards - ends in June.

- **Panther Fest-** Laura
 - successful event.
 - will leave an update in notebook for next year.

- **Staff Appreciation-** Amanda Abebe
 - teachers will get a treat in their mailbox this month
 - next month is Teacher Appreciation week and snacks or lunch will be provided daily.
 - Also final secret pal gifts will be sent in that week.

- **8th Grade Celebration-**
 - will have all kinds of fun stuff

- **Spirit Wear** - Laura
 - still have some shirts left and would like to sell before the end of the year.

- **School Planners** - Sarah
 - 5th graders will need to have a planner next year - so we need to get the preorder sales up and running.

- **School Kits-** Laura
 - School kit sales are open and runs through June.

New Business

- Slating Candidates for Positions next year – **proposed slate:**
 - President: Amanda Abebe
 - Vice President : Open
 - Treasurer: Sarah Hilbert
 - Secretary: Traci Epstein
 - Member at Large: Rachel Dyckman
- Volunteer Luncheon/Appreciation; Thurs May 4th
- Teacher Retirement Gifts: Olyer/ Gammons

- Next meeting May10th, 2023 @ 11am

Meeting adjourned