



PHS Pirate Booster Meeting FINAL Minutes

March 13, 2018

Principal's Conference Room

Attendance:

Kerri Bloom	Susan Limberg
Marla Bradley	Stacey Piper
Jean Choi	Donna Schneberger
John Helminski	Michelle Simons
Dan Jones	Krista Spaletto
TerrieAnn Jones	Gary Steiger
	Lauren Willming

Call to Order at 7:02 pm by John

Agenda Approval Donna Schneberger motioned to approve the Agenda as amended to hear Dinner and Auction report first. Kerri Bloom second the motion. Amended Agenda approved.

Dinner and Auction

Re-cap from Friday, the financials are not all together yet, but the dinner was very successful. Still some clean up to do and raffle gifts to get out. There was one wallet stolen from a car in the parking lot.

There was over 300 in attendance. Next year chairs are lined up, but Kerri and Lyn will still help out. The date for next year is set for March 1st, 2019. Trying hard not to plan other school events for the same night, but this is hard to do with limited Friday nights. There will be a committee meeting on Monday March 19th, 2018.

There was a lot of positive feedback about the DJ. This will be passed onto the new committee chairs.

Profit in cash is \$13,800.00 and it looks about a total profit of \$44,000.00

February Minute Approval Donna Schneberger motioned to approve the minutes, seconded by TerrieAnn Jones. Minutes approved.

Treasurer

Approve February Financial Report - Donna Schneberger motioned to Financial reports, seconded by Stacey Piper. Financial reports are approved.

President nothing to report

Nominating Committee

Executive committee presented the slate for 2018-19 school year

Co- Presidents - Jean Choi and TerrieAnn Jones

Vice President - Michelle Simons

Secretary - Stacey Piper

Treasurer - Dan Jones

This will be posted for the next 30 days and then voted on at the next meeting.

Concessions, Co-chair for membership and Post prom chairs are still open. Some names were discussed and hope to have these filled soon.

Scholarships

63 Application were received. They are now being reviewed. Expect to have the "winners" to the High School committee by Thursday March 22nd, 2018.

Ways and means

151 Graduation signs have been sold. There will be one more e-mail going out and will also be included in the graduation package.

Principal – Gary Steiger

Thank you for support last copy of weeks.

National walk out letter went out. A group of students couple weeks ago came to Gary Steiger and talked about the walk out and wanted to put together an assembly for that day. This will be held in the Gym and will be more like a civics lesson. It will not be one sided. One of the Teacher assistants will talk about her experience at the Boston Marathon bombing.

The students will be reporting to their homeroom and then will have a choice to attend the assembly or go to the walk out. Additional police will be in the area here and at all schools that day.

The Primaries are coming up and Palatine high school is host to 4 precincts. Extra police will again be present that day. The try to keep them in the gym area but no way to prevent some contact with students. Gary Steiger would like to and is working on having the voting removed from the school altogether for the safety of the students and staff.

There has been 4 people arrested in regards to the issues at the school in the last few weeks. Police patrols have been increased in the area. The school officer has more recognizable now. There is ongoing discussion on what changes need or could be done for the safety of everyone. Talking about alarming the doors and other ideas. Last few years hall monitors tend to be retired police officers.

The District is learning and re-evaluating the school safety and protocol. TerrieAnn and Jean were at the district meeting. Dr. Cates is thinking about putting together the possible student committee to help with the communication to the students.

There was discussion also of maybe getting the Palatine police to have a social media account to help with the communication to let the community know it is safe.

New Business

Mr. Pirate is looking for a donation. Booster could donate a pair of post prom tickets to the winner. Donna Schneberger motion to donate the post prom tickets. Second by Susan Limberg. Motion approved.

Music Department will be doing its annual plant sale again this year and have added the option of purchasing gift cards for the Nursery.

Adjourn at 7:54pm John Helminski motion to adjourn. Second by Donna Schneberger.