

PTHS PTSA Meeting 11/9/17

11 people in attendance - not all signed in. Sign ins are Tracey Melograne, Laura Spernak, Erica Stracci, Kelly Trupiano, Cindy Chapman, Serena King, Tina Beinhauer, Sue Deegan, Melanie Wuchenich Hutnik

CALL TO ORDER/OPENING-PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE by President Sue Deegan 9:27am

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

PT is hosting single A football playoffs. We'll need help in the concession stand so let Cindy Chapman know if you're willing to help out. Teacher appreciation went well; thanks to Suzie Bode for organizing & to Zoup, Firehouse Subs, Starbucks who all donated provisions.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Principal Pavlik thanked all for the teacher appreciation lunch.

First Academic Integrity Meeting took place - committee comprised of teachers, admin, some students.

Discussion to remedy "problem" issues. Received student input on what is considered cheating. Next meeting is 11/16/17 & goal is to define "academic integrity". Students say there is a lot of peer pressure to share their work; teacher need help to manage cell phones in classrooms as not all teachers have same policy. An all-teacher grading committee to look at common grading practices & how to determine overall grades - does good grade = mastered content or just hard work? This presented to all faculty - 7 points of grading to form a comprehensive plan.

Play run is done & school received fabulous feedback. Auditions for coffee house are upcoming.

Three fall sports teams made it to 1st round of playoffs. Congrats to them.

Had no alcohol or drug issues at any football games this year. Rowdy Red is now an official club.

Question re:vaping - district follows tobacco policy on vaping. Vaping is not a legal issue however a student issue with tobacco could result in charges filed if student is under 18. If caught vaping there is a 3 day out of school suspension & 1 week social probation (can't participate in clubs/sports). Athletes miss 3 days of their team sport & could face additional punishment from coaches.

Mr. Lesnett reported that PT will be hosting other student leaders from area schools at the Bible Chapel.

This event is completely student led. It will be treated as a field trip. PTSA helped out with this several years ago & school would like their help again.

LIBRARY

Kaitlyn Gilroy spoke about the Barnes & Noble book fair to benefit PTHS. Take a flyer with you to the bookstore so that a percentage of your purchase goes to the library. Flyer also has code for online shopping.

COUNSELING

Mrs. Steffen spoke about Nov 1st deadline with early action & decision.

Dec 18th PT 2017 grads spoke to juniors & seniors about the transition to college during the school day.

Question was asked if there is an official form on the website to confirm to the school a visit to a college fair or a college visit. This is not available at this time but will look into getting it done.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Minutes approved as written; Laura Spernak motioned to approve, second by Tracey Melograne.

1st VICE PRESIDENT-Tina Beinhauer

Reflections - Mary Lou Bulseco looking for volunteers to help tally Wed Nov 15th at the middle school.

2nd VICE PRESIDENT- Jamie Sticha

Laura Spernak reported that picture day is set for next school year; Wed 9/12/18.

Nov 16th (next week) is the Gallery Walk for the new high school plans

QUESTIONS

Question came up regarding senior skip days. Maybe more info needs to be sent about this so kids know that it is not school sanctioned. Kids that come to school on these unofficial days see it as valuable class time. More to be discussed with students about this.

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CALL TO OPERATIONS: A STATE OF ALLIANCE

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