**HIGH SCHOOL PSO / PRINCIPAL ADVISORY MEETING**

**MARCH 9, 2023**

Start time: 8:37am

Zoom and in person

**PSO Co-Presidents, Sue Ryan and Rachelle Reusser’s, Report**

1. Approval of February meeting minutes. No amendments.
2. At PSO Presidents’ Meeting the decision was made to standardize the membership fee for all three school PSOs to $10.00.

* There will no longer be a $5.00 single membership and $10.00 family membership. All memberships will be $10.00. PSO Council President, Denise Gawlik, said that it’s been many years since the membership fees have been raised.
* A vote was taken to approve the $10.00 standardized membership fee at for the H.S. PSO Membership. Motion was brought by Denise Gawlik, seconded by Rachel Jones. Unanimously approved.

1. Sue Ryan reminded the membership that the HS PSO gives two $500 scholarships at senior awards’ night. Counselors choose award winners.
2. Rachelle Reusser said the Friend of the PSO Committee has been formed and Betsy McCafferty and Michelle Toth are chairing. Send any nominations to them. Mr. Jakub recommended Miles Rafkin for the HS Friend of the PSO.

Alisa, Vitantonio’s Treasurer’s Report

Beginning balance (2/9/23) is $16,743.92

* $35.00 in additional memberships
* $150.00 –no fuss fundraiser
* $656.04 – no fuss fundraiser monies raised
* -$1,000.00 for 2 scholarships
* -$28.00 - 2 plaques

Ending Balance (3/8/23) $16,556.96

Honey Baked Ham is still ongoing fundraiser

**Committee Reports**:

Claudia Griesmer, Swarm Board

Next two weeks the boards are open for spring sports, clubs, etc. The rest of the year pretty well filled. Having the extra board has really helped.

Gifts & Goals

Co-President, Sue Ryan, asked for an update from Mr. Jakub on the gifts and goals purchases. Mr. Jakub has been speaking with Miles Rafkin on getting the items ordered with the vendor.

After Prom

* Co-President, Sue Ryan, asked Phil Packard doing a hype video for the PSO
* A form will go out for parents to check off if their kids can leave After Prom early.
* After Prom is 11pm – 1am at Top Golf. Prom time has been changed to accommodate this new time. Prom will be held 6:30pm – 10:30pm
* If students don’t arrive by 11:30pm, parents will be contacted
* Senior yard signs on sale $20 at Star Sports (fundraiser for After Prom)
* Open positions for After Prom

Someone to make goody bags for kids

Chaperones – sign up genius (Claudia Griesmer volunteered to do this)

Student sign in

After-Prom fundraising (ideas needed and help) Janelle Henning suggested 32auctions.com for fundraising platform

Linda Crouch, PSO Council Report for March

1. Rick Smith Jr. Show was a hit. Approximately $25,000 raised to be divided between the 3 PSOs
2. Time to nominate Friends of the PSO. PSO Council determined it can be a non school employee if all other criteria met
3. Ellen Kramer discussed flat tax legislation and the negative impact on school districts. Encouraged residents to contact their representatives. Dolan/Robinson would be the ones to contact. Ms. Kramer also mentioned 3 Board of Ed. seats up for election this November
4. Joelle Magyar discussed administrative personnel changes. Chris Coad left. Josh Lopez resigned he was Maintenance Director. Brian Wycuff now Asst. Superintendent
5. March 24th ½ day professional learning day for teachers. No school for students.
6. CAPA, Kelly Lazar – HUDDLE finished prescription drug awareness for grades 6 and 8. Skit for 7th grade students (Officer Garcia participated). Universal programming for national institute of drug awareness – daily activities on different topics.

Janelle Henning, Schools Foundation Report

Thank you to everyone who came and supported and/or donated to the foundation’s fundraiser. They raised close to $20,000. Numbers still being finalized.

Ronda Strmac, Nominating Committee Report

Only a few open positions remain: PSO Co-Presidents and After Prom Committee Chairs

**Kevin Jakub, Principal’s Report**

1. Winter athletics coming to an end this weekend.

* Twelve wrestlers (including one freshman female, Anna Madi) headed to states. This is a new record for the high school.
* Basketball we lost in the District finals to St. Ignatius in overtime. Second year in a row our school has made it to the District finals. This is a very tough feat to accomplish.
* Robotics Program – sent 10 teams to state tournament. Second year in a row, BBHHS has won the state championship. Eight high school and two middle school teams headed to the world competition in Dallas, TX the end of April
* Gymnastics team – 20th year in a row state champions. Film crew followed gymnastics team so they were under a lot of pressure
* 13 students Speech & Debate state qualifiers. James Patrick and Eleana Gamboa placed
* Swimming/Diving – 2 swimmers and 1 diver qualified. Lucas Culotta – 2nd place finisher in 50 free and 100 backstroke
* We held sendoffs for:  
   -State Swimming and Diving  
   -Robotics  
   -Speech and Debate  
   -Gymnastics  
   -Wrestling
* There will be a Parade of Champions on March 16th to recognize all the teams/students who qualified for states. We will also have a van take the state winners along with the band and cheerleaders to the middle school and elementary school for a parade at each of those schools, as well

1. The school has contracted with Game One – for spirit / athletic wear. They will give a percentage of sales back to the school athletic programs. They have a lot more name brand options. They have a local warehouse so their turnaround on items is much quicker. The contract starts in the fall but they are already taking orders that they will apply toward our sales for their contributions back to the school. Mrs. Marsh has been working with this company for our spirit wear offerings.

1. Leukemia Lymphoma Society Student Visionary of the Year Competition Update  
    a. Team Arrow is now over 80% of the way to their goal  
    i. They have raised over $33,000.00 at the halfway point of the campaign  
    ii. Thank you to Mrs. Toth and our BBHES families, who have generously supported Team Arrow by allowing them to host a Bingo Night and Spelling Bee, which were lucrative and great community-building opportunities.  
    iii. To learn more about Team Arrow and their campaign, you can visit their donation page or on their official Instagram and Twitter accounts @llsteamarro
2. CVCC Job Fair and BBHHS Career Fair  
    a. Today (3/2/23), Cuyahoga Valley Career Career Center is hosting a Job Fair  
    i. Over 50 employers will be on-site to interview potential job  
    candidates  
    ii. The event will take place from 3:00-5:00 pm  
    iii. Registration is Required  
    b. BBHHS will host our own Career Fair on 3/21/23  
    i. Randi Borosh is coordinating the event from CVCC, a BBHCSD parent  
    ii. We currently have over 40 Individuals/Companies attending this event  
    iii. The purpose is to help expose and inform our students about opportunities and career path options.

iv. Event will take place during lunch but some classes will also bring their students to the event during class time

1. A New BBHHS Entrance

a. We are excited to announce that we are close to finalizing a new and improved BBHHS landscaped entrance  
 i. We are working with the Ohio Landscapers Association, Davis Nursery, TurfScape, and Kurtz Brothers to receive donated and softscape landscaping  
 ii. Students in our Environment Science and Design Team courses will work together to design the revitalized entrance  
 iii. Students will present their plans to the vendors and those companies are interested in donating the needed materials (Dream Big is the Motto of our Kids)

1. Purple Star School – Finalist

* BBHHS is a finalist to be classified as a Purple Star School. This is a designation given to a school that works with transitioning military families into the community and school district. Either they are on a new assignment or retiring into the community. Mr. Backo and Mr. Drypolcher working on this program.

1. Schedules for 23-24 school year

* Schedule verifications are going out the week of March 20th. This will be the first of 3 verifications that will go out to parents/students

1. Graduation tickets and information

* We anticipate each family to get 10 tickets to start and then possibly more.
* Communicating with students about their desire for a parade. Not as well attended last year.
* Buses will still take students down to the State Palace Theater from the high school

Next Meeting April 13th at 7pm – zoom only

Meeting adjourned at 9:36am