Skyline High School PTSA Board Meeting  
August 23, 2022  
Meeting Minutes

Present: Shannon Fischio, Becky Benson, Amy Johnson, Megan Peterson, Meghan Castleton, Amy Garff, Maggie Garff, Lorraine Larson, Katie Goates, Mitch Nerden, Scott Nix, Elyse Hunter

Called to Order: 10:00 a.m.  
Adjourned: 10:50 a.m.

1. Welcome, Pledge and Introductions
   • Shannon Fischio welcomed everyone to the meeting. The group offered the Pledge of Allegiance. Introductions around the table were made.

2. Secretaries Report
   • Approval of May, 2022 Minutes
   • Amy Johnson moved to approve the May minutes as presented. Megan Peterson seconded the motion.

3. Treasurer’s Report
   • Amy Johnson gave a financial update. The AFR found Skyline PSTS in good standing. The beginning adjusted balance is $13,299.22. The current bank balances $14,068.41
   • It was discussed that Hospitality is a monthly cost, and teacher appreciation is spread out April–June and is funded by community donations in the Spring.
   • Vote taken on the motion to approve the budget as proposed. The motion to approve the proposed budget passed with the required majority of the vote.
   • Motion to approve made by Amy Johnson, Lorraine Larson to second.

4. President’s Report
   • We are in need of a Legislative VP
   • Please record volunteer hours, this includes everything you are doing for the PTA
   • The opening teacher social was successful. Teachers loved swimming and the BBQ with their families.
• Back to School Stomp went well. Thank you to Sarah and Sam who oversaw the event.

5. SBO Report

• The stomp was a success.

• The Hello Day assembly focused on highlighting the students. The SBOs would like to focus on including the freshmen because of the large gap in grades.

• Homecoming focus on Eagle Fest and the dance. Planning will start today.

• Are freshman encouraged to come to dances? It was discussed that all are welcome, but freshman don’t usually come. Discussed the possibility of creating a Freshman/Sophomore dinner dance. How can we encourage students to dance in alternate ways other than just a mosh pit? It was discussed how students could benefit from learning social skills of asking someone to dance, and slow dancing. Country dancing was one idea.

• A Hunger Games theme has been discussed for homecoming week.

6. Teacher Liaison Report

7. Administrative Report

• Principal Nerdin discussed that there will be an open house and ribbon cutting for the new gym on September 20. He would love help promoting the open house.

• Construction Update: The fields are all finished, grass will be placed soon. Please spread the word to keep off the fields. The fields are done a year ahead of schedule, which is why parking is so bad. Parking will stay challenging for the next two years. Teachers will move to the west lot. The next phase will finish in two years, which will include classrooms, library, office, counseling center, etc. The gym will come down in October, and the auditorium will stay open.

8. Membership Report

• Incentives for teachers and kids to join the PTA were discussed...perhaps if they reach 500 they could earn a stomp or pizza.

• Megan would like more education for parents.

• Starting this year, representation is based on PTA numbers, so there is a consequence when our numbers are lower.

9. Leadership Report

• Michelle Loosli will be heading the awards

10. Legislative Report
11. RISE Lunches Report
   - Katie Goates is over these lunches. Our first speaker for September is Syd Lott. Corresponding with Brooke Romney for a future lunch.
   - We need as many people that can volunteer to help with the pizza.
   - RISE lunches will take place the third Thursday of the month during lunch.

   - Becky Bowen has reserved Classic Fun center.

14. Website Report
   - Scott Nix reported that the website is cleaned up from last year.
   - RISE lunches need to be included.
   - If there are errors, please let him know.

Next meeting: September 27th at 10:00