

EHHS PTSO

Meeting Minutes

Date: June 8, 2018

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: BISD Board Room

- I. Welcome: President Anita Brown-Sobeck
- II. Minutes from meeting on May 3, 2018 were voted on and approved.
- III. Treasurer Report, Lisa Barfield: There is \$5698 in the checking account. There are checks yet to be written for this year, and after known expenses (current bills) are paid (not including Sr. Celebration) there will be \$1905.
There was discussion about changes in registration—there online component to registration/check in that is on the BISD website at this time. Students will be in person on campus in late August for portraits, etc. PTSO board should talk with Trish about setting up a PTSO donation from parents through emails/registration. Ideas were discussed on how to encourage more families to donate, including donations a different name such as, “Student Enrichment Fee,” and perhaps slating certain donations to specific programs.
- IV. Vote was taken to approve check signers for 2018-2019 school year. All votes were “yes” to approve the following individuals as check signers: Lisa Barfield, Treasurer; Sarah Albee, Assistant Treasurer; and Anita Brown-Sobeck, President.
- V. Denise Corso, Teacher: Denise brought a “Thank You” photo from the EHHS students to share with PTSO. She said that PTSO effort and work for this year has been much appreciated. Commodore Options School has been/will be busy interviewing teachers for several positions, including teachers for literature. The EHHS Senior’s last day will be June 15. Seniors will have rehearsal at 10:00 that day for the BHS graduation ceremony. Teachers will be packing up during the last days of this school year as there will be construction and updates in the Commodore Building over summer break. The teachers are requesting help with packing, Anita said she re-send and earlier email that requests parents to help.
- VI. Tricia Corsetti, Dean of Students: Trish shared planning details for Senior Celebration, which will be at Grace Church on June 15 at 7:00 pm. Commodore Options School has been hiring many new teachers; K-12 along with an art teacher that will also be teaching the high school students art. Trish said that she will be available to meet with EPTSO board the week after graduation to talk about next year’s EPTSO budget.

VII. Scott Daniels, Senior Celebration: Scott reported that things are falling into place for the EHHS Senior Celebration/Graduation. 15 of the 20 Senior students have been confirmed with intent to attend, and an estimated 160 guests will attend. He pointed out that the event's program (printed for the event) and the Senior Salute (printed in a local newspaper) take time and effort as input is needed from students well ahead of time. It was suggested to ask for help from a teacher as perhaps students can provide input/information as part of an assignment.

VIII. Other Business

1. It was discussed that changes are needed to the snacks for student's effort for the 2018-2019 school year. Some ideas brought up: change the sign-up system in order to involve a larger number of family donors, Rotary grant for a vending machine that sells snacks at cost, purchasing fruit at wholesale price, setting up dry cereal dispensers.
2. Open House/Curriculum night in September: PTSO parent volunteers will be needed to help recruit and sign up parent volunteers that can help teachers.

Submitted by: Anita Brown-Sobeck