

**William R Satz School
PSG Meeting Minutes
February 19, 2007**

This meeting was called to order by Mary Lou at approximately 9:40

Motion to accept the minutes, 1st Michele Shields , 2nded by Carol Alphonsas.

Correction to the January Minutes: HSMA- district concert is grades 4- 12, not k-12.

President's Report: Gift Committee and Nominating Committee will be formed at the end of the meeting. School calendar is being worked on. The district concert is tonight. President's council is next week. A cordless microphone has been found and is being used. We need to rescind money allocated for library and regift this year to a total of \$3858.20. Clare McDonnell made a motion to rescind the money and Michele Shields seconded it. Approved by all. Food Service Meeting- Satz survey- 12 students over all 3 lunch periods--thing that stood out cost is too high and during the last lunch not all foods are available.

Membership: No Report

Fundraising: No Report

Corresponding Secretary: Thank you notes were received by Alex Ching and Mr. Shultise.

Treasurer's Report: Report was presented and Carol Alphonsas made a motion to accept the report and Gerine Skamarak seconded it.

Principal: Satz website- There are 2 power point presentations about the teaming pilot program. 7th grade world language will mirror the 8th grade, but students will have to keep the same language for 8th grade. They will still have a double period language, but 2nd period will be writing for 7th grade. No more zero period language. Incoming 7th grade forms due March 13th. 8th grade forms due March 6th. NJ ASK will be April 28th-May 1st, May 5th-8th will be make-ups. Getting estimates for stage lighting. PRG is coming out this week on Wed./ Thurs. to look at lighting. PRG installed HHS lighting. Also we are going to get info on HHS curtains so we can get something comparable. Busses for graduation--- Pick-up from Brookdale either before or after HHS drop-off.

Assistant Principal: Thursday February 21st is writing sample. 2nd period in both grades. IOWA Algebra test on February 27th, in 2nd and 3rd periods. WETIP.com--district is signed up with--can be

used to report concerns and incidents **CONFIDENTALLY!** Parents do not call or text your children during school. There have been thefts in the girls locker room--**GIRLS LOCK UP YOUR BAGS.** Don't bring gift cards or cash to school. There has been lots of discussion on the food service-- Cafeteria, PINS, buying lunch for other kids. Crack down on water bottles-- sometimes not water in the bottles! Only water bottles in cafeteria! Meryl Strassler leaving March 1st. Melissa Magnotti - March 23rd. Sports eligibility form for next year- same for all sports and activities. We need a FM Field sound system for next year, we have 3 infrared systems now. Lots of discussion on IOWA math test and 3 part nubrik for placement in Algebra in 8th grade and impact on High school classes.

Teacher Representative: Math contest results- 5th place overall!! (please see attachment on the list of Students) Student Council wants another dance, probably March. Possible Fundraising ideas--1. Want to do a carnival. 2. Want to do a student/faculty activity. 3. Homeroom fashion show. 4. Singing with staff.

In conjunction with Operation Get Out the Vote- will assist 8th graders who want to run for office in 9th grade how to prepare for it. Student council will be meeting Wed 2/20 and will decide on a select group of meetings for the remainder of the year including the dance date theme and vote. Discussion will take place regarding the t-shirts for the class of 2008. Deadline for ordering will be March 28th. All 8th graders going on Washington trip must purchase a t-shirt. Talent Show tryouts -- end of March, show is in May.

Guidance: No Report

Committees:

Bake Sales: No dates yet.

Book Fair: No Report.

8th Grade Dance: Meeting next week, contact Michele if you want to attend.

End of the Beginning: No Report

Historian: Ho Report.

Hospitality: Thank You again for a beautiful spread.

Arise: Last meeting was a workshop, Next meeting March 13th at IH, may possibly be changed to a morning meeting.

Gift Coordinator: Gift Committee was formed, Mary Lou Moramarco, Debbie Bohny, Serena DiMaso, Clare McDonnell, Kathy Sorice.

BOE Liaison: 1/23 meeting- A donation from Nicole Meadows for a 35inch color TV to be used a Satz was accepted. Trip to the UN an Chinatown was approved for the Chinese class on May 5th. Melissa Magnotti to position of Guidance counselor effective July 1st. Mr. Rothauser on leave thru 6/30. Mrs. Brogowski, retiring effective July 1st.

Drug and Alcohol Alliance: Meeting today.

HCAA: Willy Wonka very successful, on March 5th we will host a district art show in the pit at the HS. Pippin at the HS March 6-8. Feb 22- Talent show at IH--limited number of tickets will be sold.

HFEE: Gala April 4th.

HSMA: District concert tonight, next meeting will be March 18th in the morning. Triam music honor society forming, grades 7th and 8th will count.

Newsletter: Deadline March 20th. Lots of people didn't receive the last one. Will put diploma page online. Last newsletter will be published in early June.

Operation Get Out The Vote: District wide meeting --March 6th at 11:00am in Satz Library. Only phone calls will be made at Village.

Special Projects: No Report

Specialized Fundraising: Still submitting ACME receipts.

Student Directory: Trying to do an online registration for neat year

Sunshine: Sympathy card sent to Samantha Fiorino, will send something to Meryl Strassler.

Yankee Candle: Brochures are coming, March 12-26 will be the sale. Delivery will be in April after spring break.

Provisional Business: Clothing Drive will be March 6-13.

New Business: Nominating Committee was formed--Chair-Christine Reddington, Committee- Barbara Daly, Gerine Skamarak, Debbie Bohny, and Pam Lynch.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Carol Alphonsas at 11:30 and was seconded by Rosemary Heugle.

Respectfully Submitted,

**Christine Reddington
Recording Secretary**