

Holmdel High School PTSO
November 8, 2010 Meeting Notes
ROUGH DRAFT

Mary Lou Moramarco called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m. The PTSO meeting took place in the HS auditorium. Mary Lou pointed out the fire exits and asked everyone to stand for the pledge of allegiance. Karin Swan made a motion to accept the September minutes. Roseanna Searles 2nd. All approved.

Presidents Report

- The BOE and the HTEA have entered into a memorandum of agreement. Each side must have their membership ratify the contract and hopefully it will be brought to the public at the November 17 BOE meeting.
- The Indian Hill School Craft Fair will be held on November 13 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. No charge for admission.
- W.R. Satz School will be running a clothing drive. Looking to collect unwanted clothing, shoes, bags and belts.
- Sign up for E-Alerts at www.holmdelschools.org; have pertinent information emailed directly to you.
- How to Demystify the College Process presentation will take place after our regular meeting tonight.
- TGI Fridays fundraiser to benefit the PTSO will be held on Wednesday, November 17 from 5 to 9 p.m. 20% of your food bill will be donated to the PTSO. Contact Teri Perez or Roseanne Wreidt for more information. We are not allowed to send out flyers via “Kid Mail” due to third party profit making entity.
- Powder Puff Football Game/Bonfire November 23 at 6p.m.
- SKYLR at HHS Dec 1 at 7 p.m. High School students ONLY.
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Officer’s Reports

VP Membership -Victoria Entwistle – 319 members with 35% participation from HHS families. Teacher membership is 100%.

VP’s Fundraising – Roseanne Wriedt and Teri Perez –Annual Fundraising Campaign collected \$7,700 to date. Second request for fundraiser will go out in January. PTSO is now registered with the Stop and Shop A+ Program. Sign up on line using your Stop and Shop Courtesy Card and proceeds from your purchases will be automatically donated to the PTSO. TGI Fridays Proceeds Night is Wednesday November 17 from 5p.m. to 9 p.m.

Treasurer’s Report – Karin Swan- Karin read the November report.

Income (membership dues and main fundraiser).....7766.28

Expense (Hospitality, membership and postage).....\$321.13

Bank Balance as of 10/31/2010.....\$13,209.

Teri Perez made a motion to accept the September Treasurer's Report. Evey Stanziale 2nd. All approved.

Corresponding Secretary – Cindy Spalliero - No report.

Principal's Report - No Report

Teacher Representative Report – Jill McCracken – No Report

Committee Reports

BOE – Barbara Daly- BOE and HTEA have entered into a memorandum.

Bake Sales – Debbie Bohny- First bake sale raised \$70.15. Next bake sale is Tuesday November 9. We need more bakers for future sales. Contact Debbie if you can help.

Booster Liason – Karen Mansuri –Meetings 1st Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the HS Library. Prom theme fashion show scheduled for March 25th. Senior athletes will be modeling.

9th Grade Class Liason – Lucia Van Name – Freshman class held a Halloween Bake Sale on Thursday October 28. Mr. Gurney is working with the students planning additional fundraisers.

11th Grade Class Liason – Pam Lynch – Yankee Candle fundraiser is wrapping up on November 10. Junior class will receive half of the profit from the Powder Puff ticket sales on November 23. They will also receive profits from the sale of Jerseys. Parents are encouraged to attend. Coffee House has been tentatively rescheduled for December 10.

Holmdel Alliance – Need liason and members - Next meeting is November 16 at 1p.m in the HS library.

Holmdel Creative Arts Association (HCAA) – Laurie Fontana - Meetings will be held the first Monday of the month at 9 a.m. Thank you extended for over \$5500 raised with ad journal. The HS play “Virgil’s Wedding” will be presented on November 18 at 7:30 p.m. and November 19 and 20 at 8 p.m.

HFEE – Christine Hazel. – Annual Giving Campaign is about to begin; biggest fundraiser this year. HFEE is enrolled in the SCRIP program. It allows you to purchase gift cards on-line with HFEE receiving back a percentage of every purchase made. Choose from over 600 of your favorite retailers. Visit hfee.org and click on

the Scrip Program for more information. All orders must be placed by November 15 for delivery by November 24.

Hospitality – Chris Hazel and Emma Butler – Beautiful harvest theme hospitality table set up for the evening meeting and presentation.

Newcomers – Dominique Vitello – Welcomes new families into the district.

Operation Get out the Vote - Need a liason.

Project Graduation – Need liason – Next Meeting is Monday November 15 at 7 p.m. in the HS Library. Great opportunity for a working parent who can't make morning meetings to get involved. You can send your committee report to Mary Lou or Francine Campis and they will be sure to report it at our meetings.

Special Projects – Kim Fleak- No Report

Student Directory – Theresa Slade – Directories are in and will be distributed in the next few weeks.

Sunshine – Laurie Fontana- No report.

Website – Tammy Boyle- Still working on setting this up.

New Business –

- We will consider and discuss the criteria for the PTSO scholarships at our next meeting.
- HHS parent has proposed having a “Project Prom” similar to our “Project Graduation”. Mary Lou will gage interest in heading up this project.
- Heroes and Cool Kids program is requesting a \$500 donation from the PTSO this year and to make it a budgeted item going forward. Mary Lou proposed that we consider and vote on this at our next meeting. She pointed out that it is a great learning experience for the high school students involved.

Teri Perez made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Vicki Entwistle 2nd. All approved and the meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

The next PTSO meeting will be December 13 at 9:30 a.m. in the high school auditorium.