

Holmdel High School PTSO
Sept 9, 2013

Mary Lou Moramarco called the meeting to order at 9:45 a.m. The PTSO meeting took place in the auditorium. Mary Lou pointed out the fire exits and asked everyone to stand for the pledge of allegiance and a moment of silence in honor of 9-11. Donna Disko made a motion to accept the June minutes. Kristin Echavaria 2nd. All approved.

Presidents Report

- Welcome back.
- So happy to have Karen as my co-president.
- We are looking for volunteers to fill several board positions. Please volunteer if you can.
- Project Graduation is in desperate need of volunteers to help distribute KIDSTUFF books. They will be meeting Sept 10 at 9 a.m. at the Indian Hill School and Sept 11 at 9 a.m. at the Village School. They are also in need of shopping bags to put the books in. Please contact Debbie Lynch if you can help out.
- The Executive Board was introduced:
Co-Presidents: Mary Lou Moramarco and Karen Strickland
1st VP Membership: Alyssa Coffaro
2nd VP Fundraising: Teri Perez
2nd VP Fundraising: Roseanne Wriedt
Treasurer: Robin Grossman
Corresponding Secretary: Dani Page
Recording Secretary: Michele Shields
- Back to School packets were sent out via U.S. mail this year. We expect a much better response this year. I would like to try and get the packet on the PTSO website as well
- Teacher's Tea is Sept 18 at 2p.m. Food donations and volunteers are needed. Please lend your cooking and serving talents. Contact Emma Butler if you can help out.
- IMPORTANT DATES: All PTSO meetings are on Monday morning at 9:30 a.m. unless otherwise noted.
Sept 9 PTSO meeting –HS auditorium
Sept 18 Teachers Tea – 2 p.m. HS Auditorium
Oct 14 PTSO meeting –HS auditorium
Nov 11 7 p.m. PTSO NIGHT meeting- HS auditorium; immediately followed by "Parents' College Night" at 8 p.m.
Dec 9 PTSO meeting –HS auditorium
Jan 13 PTSO meeting –HS auditorium
Feb 10 PTSO meeting – HS auditorium
Mar 10 PTSO meeting – HS auditorium
April 9 PTSO meeting (WED) HS auditorium

- April 26 PTSO Comedy Night
- May 12 PTSO meeting – HS auditorium
- May 7 Teacher’s Luncheon – HS Commons
- Jun 9 PTSO Breakfast Meeting: 9:30 a.m.

Principals Report: - Mr. Loughran - Please see the attached PowerPoint Presentation

Faculty Representative Report:

This year Anna Ranieri and Sherryl McBride will be sharing the responsibilities of Faculty Representative for PTSO. We will switch off attending these meetings. Please feel free to contact either of us.

From the Italian Dept:

Students from Italian classes have been invited to see Il Volo at the PNC Arts Center on Sept. 15, 7:00 pm. Il Volo is a singing trio of 3 young (under 20) Italian young men who won an Italian "American Idol" type competition and they perform in Italian, English and Spanish

Also, the Italian Honor Society will be participating again this year in the Strides breast cancer walk on Oct. 20, in Point Pleasant. A page will be set up under the name "Holmdel High School Squad Ranieri" on the Strides site, for anyone wanting to walk with us or make a donation

Officer’s Reports:

VP Membership –Allyssa Coffaro – Membership envelopes are coming in.

VP Fundraising –Teri Perez, Roseanne Wriedt – Write-A-Check donations are coming in. We will go back to a Comedy Night format for the Spring Fundraiser.

Treasurer’s Report – Robin Grossman- Robin read the July Report

Income (Senior Balloons, Annual Fundraiser, Pathmark Scrip Rebate, Membership Dues).....	\$636.96
Expenses (PTSO Finals Snacks).....	\$292.04
July 31 Ending Balance	\$2248.15

Phyllis Ameduri made a motion to accept the July Treasurer’s Report and the Proposed Fiscal Budget for 2014. Teri Perez 2nd. All approved.

**HOLMDEL HIGH SCHOOL PTSO
Proposed FISCAL BUDGET
FOR YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 2014**

<u>INCOME CATEGORY</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
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Membership Dues	\$3,500.00
Bake Sales	\$300.00
Fundraising - Main	\$10,000.00
Fundraising - Specialized*	\$1,000.00
Fundraising - Event	\$8,000.00
Library Photocopier**	\$100.00
<u>TOTAL INCOME</u>	\$22,900.00

EXPENSE CATEGORY

Membership***	\$100.00
Executive Board Fund	\$300.00
Fundraising Event Cost	\$6,000.00
Hospitality	\$2,000.00
Sunshine	\$300.00
Project Graduation	\$1,000.00
Junior Prom	\$1,000.00
General Gift to Freshman Class	\$300.00
General Gift to Sophomore Class	\$300.00
General Gift to Junior Class	\$300.00
General Gift to Senior Class	\$300.00
Yearbook Ad	\$300.00
Scholarship Service& Unsung Hero Awards	\$4,000.00
<u>TOTAL EXPENSES</u>	\$16,200.00

Corresponding Secretary – Dani Page – No report

Committee Reports

ARISE Liaison – Darlene Kiss- ARISE stands for Advocating Rights In Special Education. Parent’s are encouraged to join.

Bake Sales – Deidre Kane and Jennifer Yan – Next bake sale Sept 15. Teri Perez made a motion to raise the price of cupcakes from 25 to 50 cents. Lisa Lograno 2nd. All approved.

BOE – Barbara Daly – No report

Booster Liaison – Roseanne Wreidt –Please join. The Booster club supports **all** school sports.

9th Grade Class Liaison – Lisa Cronin – No Report

10th Grade Class Liaison – Mary Lou Moramarco – No report
11th Grade Class Liaison – Donna Disko– No Report
12th Grade Class Liaison – Lucia Van Name – No Report

HCAA – Sheika Dombek – No Report

HDAA – Kristin Echavaria – Next meeting is Sept 10 at 1 p.m in the HS library.

HFEE – Need A Representative – No Report

Hospitality – Emma Butler – Serving 90 plus at the Teacher’s Tea on Sept 18.
Donations and volunteers are needed. Please contact Emma if you can help.

Newcomers – Colleen Fischer – Welcoming 36 new students

OneCause Fundraising – Robin Grossman –Need a new rep for this position

Photocopier – Vicky Mazzei – No report

Programs – Darlene Kiss, Darlene Field and Lisa Lograno – Setting up College Night.

Project Graduation – Debbie Lynch – We need an underclass mom to take over this very important event. Debbie is done after this year.

Publicity – Joanne Colella – Anytime you want to take some photos you can send them to Joanne with an article explaining what the PTSO does.

Special Projects –Emma Butler- No Report

Student Directory –Teresa Slade – If you would like to be included in the directory go to www.holmdelstudentdirectory.co.nr or www.holmdelparents.org and go to the student directory link. Please do so by Sept 30. Directories will cost \$5 this year.

Sunshine – Laurie Fontana – No report

Website – Jennifer Yan, Donna Bruno, Kim Jeanos and Thiru Ilang are the new committee. They will be working on updating the site. Please send any information you need posted to Jennifer Yan.

Provisional Business –

New Business –

*Laurie Tascione and Melissa Mohr were appointed the 2013 Audit Committee and will begin reviewing the treasurer’s books.

* We need to find an underclass parent to start attending **Project Graduation** meetings and take over for next year. This is a wonderful program that benefits all HHS seniors. Graduation night after commencement ceremonies etc... students are bused to NY Sports club where they are locked in for the night, and spend it participating in sports, being entertained by hypnotists DJ's etc.. It is a great alternative to the graduation party scene. If we do not find parent's to take over, this event may be lost.

* We will work on changing the PTSO mission statement at the next meeting. It needs some revising and updating.

Allysa Cofarro made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Teri Perez 2nd. All approved and the meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

The next PTSO meeting will take place on October 14 at 9:30 a.m. in the Holmdel High School Auditorium. All PTSO members are welcome.

