

Holmdel High School PTSO
June 10, 2013 Meeting Notes

Mary Lou Moramarco called the meeting to order at 9:40 a.m. The PTSO meeting took place at the Red Oak Diner. Mary Lou pointed out the fire exits and asked everyone to stand for the pledge of allegiance and a moment of silence. Darlene Kiss made a motion to accept the May minutes. Vicki Mazzei 2nd. All approved.

Presidents Report

- We are still looking for volunteers for next year's appointed positions. Please volunteer if you are able.
- We have decided to send a paper packet out in August. The collating date is June 12 at 9:30 in the lower commons. Anyone wishing to put a flyer in the packet should have 1100 copies made before June 12. We need at least one person to attend from each committee. Don't forget to have your envelopes printed.
- Thank you to our scholarship committee. We will find out who the lucky recipients are tomorrow night at Senior Awards Night.
- We will provide Grab and Go Breakfast treats for final exams again this year. Volunteers are needed to man the tables from 10:15 to 11:15. Contact Debbie Bohny if you are able to help out.

- **Principal's Report – 10 June 2013**

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- **Holmdel "Lip Dub"**

- The date for Holmdel's "Lip Dub" has been changed to **Wednesday, June 12th @ 1:15 pm**

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- **Senior Prom**

- **Friday, June 14th** – Sheraton (Eatontown) – 6:45 pm to 10:15 pm
- Students attending are dismissed from school at 11:30 am.

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- **Final Exam Schedule**

Date	1 st Exam – 8:30 am	2 nd Exam – 11:15 am
Thursday, June 20 th	Period 8	Period 7
Friday, June 21 st	Period 3	Period 6
Monday, June 24 th	Period 2	Period 5
Tuesday, June 25 th	Period 1	Period 4

- **Senior Exemptions** - full-year courses only; must have an "A" for the year (regardless of level)
- **PE/Health Exams** – none

- **Sports Roundup**
- Boys Tennis – Group 2 State Champs! NJ State Runners-Up in Tournament of Champions
- Girls Golf – #7 in NJ at Tournament of Champions.
- Girls Track – CJ 2 Sectional Champs (1st title since 1975)
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- **Upcoming Events**
- **June**
- 10 – HHS Music Dept. Awards Dinner (7:00 pm)
- 11 – HHS Senior Awards Night (6:30 pm)
- 12 – **Holmdel “Lip-Dub” (1:15 pm);** BOE Mtg. (7:00 pm) – Indian Hill
- 13 – HHS Acting Showcase (7:30 pm)
- 14 – Sudden Impact (Seniors Only); Senior Prom – Sheraton in Eatontown (6:45 pm)
- 14 – **Booster Club “Movie Night” (6:00 pm)**
- 17 – Yearbook Signing Party - Seniors (5:00 pm); **“Best Buddies” Party (6:00 pm – Satz)**
- 18 – **NAHS/HFEE “Donor Wall” Dedication Ceremony (7:00 pm – Commons)**
- 19 – Graduation Practice (2:00 pm)
- 20 – Final Exams (Pds. 8-7)
- 21 – Final Exams (Pds. 3-6)
- 24 – Final Exams (Pds. 2-5); Graduation Practice (1:30 pm)
- 25 – Final Exams (Pds. 1-4); Graduation Practice (1:30 pm); BOE Mtg. (8:00 pm)
- 26 – LAST DAY – 4 hour session for students
- 26 – GRADUATION (6:45 pm – Brookdale); Project

News for PTSO for June 10, 2012
Teacher Representative – Sherry McBride

Fieldtrip Learning

In May, Mr. Gelpke’s and Ms. McBride’s United States History 2 students participated in a guided tour of the Vietnam War Memorial and Museum & Educational Center at the PNC Center in Holmdel NJ. This tour provided an opportunity for students to learn the history of the Vietnam War, as well as have a chance to speak with Veterans who served. The juniors responded very positively to the experience, asked great questions of the veterans, and came away with a richer understanding of the era.

On May 28, 2013 Mr. Gelpke’s Advanced Placement Government and Politics students visited the Constitution Center and Independence Hall in Philadelphia. At Independence Hall they took a guided tour, led by National Park rangers. This tour began in the courtroom where lawyers from opposing sides shared tables and law books. George

Washington's "rising sun" chair dominates the Assembly Room which is arranged as it was during the Constitutional Convention. At the Constitution Center, students participated in *Freedom Rising*, an inspiring, 17-minute multimedia theatrical production as well as *The Story of We the People*, a dynamic, interactive exhibition that covers relevant issues of today, including gun control and search and seizure. We also had the opportunity to visit *Signers' Hall*, where you can sign the Constitution alongside 42 life-size, bronze statues of the Founding Fathers and engage in educational daily museum programs.

Officer's Reports

VP Membership -Victoria Entwistle – 1 new family has joined bringing membership to almost 25% o of HHS families.

VP Fundraising –Teri Perez, Roseanne Wriedt – Teri will be running the graduation balloon fundraiser. She needs volunteers to help tie balloons on mailboxes the night before or morning of graduation. Please contact her if you can help. All volunteers will meet at Party City in Hazlet at 6 p.m. to help distribute. This fundraiser benefits the Junior Class.

Treasurer's Report – Debbie Bohny- Debbie read the May report:

Income (Greek Church refund, Annual Fundraiser, Pathmark Scrip Rebate, bake sale).....	\$1119.61
Expenses (PTSO Scholarships 8@ \$500).....	\$4000.00
May 31 Ending Balance	\$4270.95

Donna Disko made a motion to accept the May Treasurer's Report. Mary Pomarico 2nd. All approved.

Corresponding Secretary – Dani Page – No report

Committee Reports

ARISE Liaison – Darlene Kiss- No report

Bake Sales – Deidre Kane and Jennifer Yan – No Report

BOE – Barbara Daly – No report

Booster Liaison – Roseanne Wreidt –No Report

9th Grade Class Liaison – Mary Lou Moramaro – No Report

10th Grade Class Liaison – Donna Disko – No report

11th Grade Class Liaison – Lucia Van Name – No Report

12th Grade Class Liaison – Debbie Bohny – Senior Prom is at the Sheraton in Eatontown on June 14.

Get Out the Vote – Open - Vote is in November

HCAA – Sheika Dombek – \$5000 in scholarships given out this year. \$7,500 donated to HFEE to be part of the Mural Project.

HDAA – Kristin Echavaria – Sudden Impact will be on June 14. Volunteers will meet at 9:45 in the Commons.

HFEE – Chris Hazel – No Report

Hospitality – Chris Hazel – No report

Newcomers – Colleen Fischer – No report

OneCause Fundraising – Robin Grossman –No Report

Photocopier – Vicky Mazzei – No report

Programs – Darlene Kiss, Darlene Field and Lisa Lograno – We may add a new dimension and have a program for the girls and boys separately on how to protect themselves in college. Ellen from 180 has a program for the boys and Courtney has one for the girls.

Project Graduation – Elaine Killough – Looking for volunteers to man this event on Graduation night June 26. They have booked the NYSC location on route 9 in Morganville for next 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- **Student Directory** –Teresa Slade –Teresa found a group of moms at Village School who will take over the Directory. They have decided not to link the directory to membership but instead are charging five dollars per copy.

Sunshine – Laurie Fontana – No report

Website – Tammy Boyle- If you need to post anything on the parent website please send to her at theresem1010@aol.com.

Provisional Business – Newly elected PTSO Board Members must pay upcoming annual dues by July 1.

New Business – Darlene Kiss made a motion to gift \$2000 to the HFEE PAC lighting project. Vicki Entwistle 2nd. All approved.

Sheika Dombek made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Teri Perez 2nd. All approved and the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

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

SCHOOL YEAR 2013-2014

September 9, 9:30 a.m. meeting – HS Auditorium

September 18, 1:50 p.m. – Teacher’s Tea – HS Auditorium

October 14, 9:30 a.m. Meeting- HS Auditorium

November 11, 7:00 p.m. Meeting- HS Auditorium/8p.m. Parents’ College Night

December 9, 9:30 a.m. Meeting- HS Auditorium

January 13, 9:30 a.m. Meeting- HS Auditorium

February 10, 9:30 a.m. Meeting- HS Auditorium

March 10, 9:30 a.m. Meeting- HS Auditorium

April 9, 9:30 a.m. Meeting- HS Auditorium

April 26 HS PTSO Casual Night Out – Comedy Night

May 7- Teacher’s Luncheon- HS Commons

May 12, 9:30 a.m. Meeting- HS Auditorium

June 9, 9:30 a.m. Breakfast Meeting