AHS PTSA Meeting May 15th 2019

Meeting start: 7:04 pm

<u>Attendees:</u> Lesley Harrison, Jessica Gomez, Sylvia Mazzelli, Jane Zaibek, Briar McNutt, Christine Longwell, Paula Morro Wrafter, Hilary Roberto, Beth Donohue, Brain Hogaboom, Kelly Williams Note: a quorum was present

President's Report -

- A motion to purchase Money Minder Software for \$159, from the contingency line of the budget, was made by Paula Morro Wrafter, seconded by Briar McNutt and passed by all present
- The slate of officers for the 2019/20 school year was presented
 - o President Beth Donohue
 - o Treasurer Jane Zaibek
 - o Secretary Briar McNutt
 - o Vice President still open
- A motion to accept the proposed slate of officers as AHS PTSA officers for the 2019/20 school year was made by Paula Wrafter, seconded by Christine Longwell and passed by all present.
- The Arlington PTSA Council dinner is on June 4th, Kelly invited all present to attend.

<u>Secretary's Report</u> – Motion to accept the minutes from the April 10th meeting, as corrected, was made by Beth Donohue, seconded by Brian Hogaboom, and passed by all present.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u> – Happy birthday Sylvia!

- A question from the last meeting was answered, but errors were spotted on the class of 2019 and 2020 lines, due to formatting errors when going between different versions of excel.
- Questions about the Spiritwear figures were also raised
- No motion was made to accept the report was made due to the errors. The problems caused by formatting errors should be resolved with the new software.

House of 2022 – Mr Hogaboom for Mr Richard

- Mental health awareness presentations were made to all 9th and 10th grade PE classes last week
- French, Italian and Spanish Honor Society Inductions were held on May 3rd
- FACS Regional Awards dinner was on April 25, and several students were recognized.
- Ice Cream Social is on May 31st, open to all 9th grade students, with a Hawaiian Luau theme.
- Spring Outstanding Admirals will be presented next week
- Spring Newsletter should be published in the next two weeks

House of 2021 - Mr Hogaboom

- .May 2nd, in conjunction with the Student Government, held a volleyball tournament
- May 9th was the movie afternoon with popcorn and pizza. Showed Ferris Bueller's Day Off
- PE classes are participating in the End the Silence program for the last 2 weeks.
- Many Sophomores have taken their first AP exams and are preparing for next month's Regents exams

House of 2020 – Ms Roberto

- May 9th Jonathan Mueller (past ahs graduate) spoke about his experience being a victim of a drunk driving accident
- May 10th was junior prom, with over 500 students attending, plus mid marking period
- Recognizing Outstanding Admirals before the end of the year
- June 6th will be an Ice Cream Social
- May 17th is the Arlington Health and Wellness Expo at AHS
- May 22nd Chris Herren will be returning to speak about addiction and recovery, plus it is also Jazz Cabaret

House of 2019 - Ms Roberto for Ms LeFevre

• Will be recognizing the last Outstanding Admirals at the end of the month

- May 31st is the Senior Trip to Hershey Park
- June 7th Arlington Education Foundation will be honoring several seniors with scholarship awards
- College t-shirt day is also June 7th
- June 11th Caps and gowns arrive for students to pick up during lunch periods
- June 14th is the Senior BBQ afterschool on the football field
- June 27th is the Prom at Anthony's Pier 9
- June 29th is graduation.

PTSA Council Report

- Budget vote reminder postcards were mailed out this week
- Still looking for a Vice President for the upcoming year
- Board of Education has 3 open seats and 5 candidates standing
- The next school year's calendar has been approved
- The Arlington Teachers Association will be holding a movie afternoon again next year, rather than mini golf

Staff Appreciation

Approved: 9/18/19

- Held a luncheon for the first time in many years
- Thanks to Sylvia for organizing the food, from Madison's Pizza Café and to Lesley for baking some desserts
- The staff really enjoyed it!

Next Meeting: September. Have a great summer!
7:57 pm meeting adjourned
Respectfully submitted,
Lesley Harrison, Secretary

with/without corrections