

Scranton PTO Meeting 3/4/2022

Call to order: 9:15am

Treasurer's Report: paid for Science Assembly; Kroger rewards certificates

January Minutes: Motion to approve: Christina K, second Ginger C.

Principal's Report: Dance went well. Aprox: 320 kids. Good feedback from kids. Not doing free pizza going forward...too much extra. Coming into the busy season. NWA Testing starts next week. 7-8th have all received scheduling; forms dues 3/11. Scheduling starts 3/14. Incoming 7th graders Maltby visit 8th. Come here 23-24th. March 10th 8th grade picture at 9 am. 7th grade parents March 10th in evening. Scheduling complete by end of March. March 24th -SkyDome 8th grade. PSAT testing April 13th. 7th grade come late. April 14th – Science Assembly 14th. April 27th 8th grade to High School after lunch. April-May MSTEP for both 7th-8th. Honors Night June 7th at 7 pm. 7th and 8th grade time slots. Algebra testing; March 7th-will be test-notify by end of month. Don't need to put Student to Student on scheduling-they will contact. NJHS email went out for kids that were 3.5 or higher. More than 250 kids in 8th grade. Service projects-goal to create volunteer hours at school. Student led ideas. Jessica Gus to take on teacher role. Basketball and wrestling over next week. Science Olympiad over next week but could be longer if make it to states. Track starts soon. New school resource officer; ties in Brighton SRO in Howell previously. He will be responsible for other buildings but will be in Scranton every day. Knows how to have relationships with kids. Jen/Patrick to coordinate discipline with his support. Still active police officer-has jurisdiction since he is part of Livingston County Sheriff's Department. New counselor to be hired Ms. White-coming from Livonia/South Lyon. Next year will have an additional mental health support person-trained psychologist; currently in transition-will work M-F next school year.

President's Report; Kindness Week went well. Senior Survivor-no communication-Christy to reach out.

Staff Appreciation first week in May. Taco Bar Potluck (Thursday Cinco de Mayo). Smoothie Bar signup (Tuesday). Gift Cards for Staff plinko game or baskets-Jill did in the front office. Karen to do signup genius. Potential for google form for thank you notes. Opportunity for students to extend appreciation; leadership or NJHS to push out. Patrick to get with Missy to coordinate. Christina to ask Coffee Beanery to donate coffee for Wednesday.

7th grade princess cruise: will happen this year. June 14th. 8th grade party/Field Day instead of Kensington. They have a template and will get us that so we can work on it.

Fall fundraising – potential for doing a Silent Auction, online auction for parents and in person for kids. Tin can raffle for kids with tickets – maybe 10-15 kid's baskets. Roll out for Homecoming week? Signup at Orientation? Ivory Vines table at orientation with spirit wear order forms-kickback percentage.

Fribley expense request- Battle of the Books – gift cards total of \$180 for winners. Motion to approve Deanne, Christina second.

Board positions-Christi, Ginger and Katie gone. Deanne to stay on board. Christina will be anything except treasurer.

Meeting Adjourned – 10:38