PTSCO MEETING 3-27-18 MEETING MINUTES

Update on events

-Ice Cream social- volunteers for next year-Donyelle Crapsi and Maggie Harris Added games in gym this year –worked well

-Teacher Appreciation over 2017 Holidays-Thanks to Pixita Hill-Del Prado for organizing!

-Winter Bazaar

-Middle School Dances in October and February-proceeds to support current 8th grade

trip

School Updates from Administration-given by Dr. Kresse:

-School musical went well-congratulations to all involved; Say YES program should continue to run smoothly; Women and Computing Program coming up in April and will be coordinated by Mr. Hingston and Mr. Richards; National Walk Out Day on March 17th went smoothly with participation by 850 students; April 20th is Action in Education day; Spring Sports are underway; Labor Impasse between BPS and BTF-no new news at time of this meeting; CHS is looking for teachers for special education teachers for Social Studies and Middle School Math/Science-also looking for a French/Spanish Teacher; Upcoming events: Grade 10-will present IB Middle School Projects on April 17th; 8th Grade Class Pathfinders Trip May 31st-June 2nd

Wendy Mistretta-DPCC-Please see attached District Policies provided; Parent Congress with members of DPCC, Buffalo PTO and SEPAC as well as parent representation from each school is off to a good start.

Treasurer Report-Mau Tripp

-PTSCO raised \$224.70 at Winter Bazar and about 300.00 at Welcome Back Picnic -Expenses for the year include Chocolate for teachers at Holidays, Senior Scholarship and CHS Yearbook add

Upcoming events

-7th Grade to take over Middle School dances for April/June-Tracy King to organize dances/fundraising for class of 2023. Dance dates approved for 4-13 or 4-27 and 6-8-18

-Teacher Appreciation Breakfast-date will be June 19th-Pixita will be lead person for this event

-Pelion Garden News-Please see attached handout-bake goods needed for Strawberry Social on June 15th

-Yearbook committee looking for pictures from sporting and social events-please see attached handout on how to upload pictures

- Welcome Back Picnic

Annette and Polly to co-chair for 2018

Mau Tripp to look into pay-pal account for picnic

New Leader Ship for PTSCO

Discussions about redefining the purpose and tasks of PTSCO and define and update of By-laws. Donyelle Crapsi volunteered to Co-chair organization and Mau Tripp to continue as Treasurer. Another Co-chair, secretary and social media coordinator were also suggested. Donna Graham will send out email looking for volunteers for PTSCO leadership. PTSCO will meet again on **5-23-18** to discuss new leadership and establishment of bylaws.

Questions regarding SBMT came up-this group meets on Tuesday afternoons. Ms Hamilton is the administrator that oversees SBMT. Parents on this committee include: Stacy Bisker, Jerry Turcotte, Melissa Meehan, Latricia Dorsey and Hilary Rifkin. Questions regarding SBMT can be addressed by Ms. Hamilton.

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