

Truman Patriots Club Unit Meeting

Minutes from Monday, January 13, 2020 Meeting • THS Library

Names in bold is the person who gave report

Meeting was called to order by (President Christy Burton) at 6:34 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes from November 2019 passed and approved

There were 14 members in attendance

Inspirational thought: **Lisa Patrick**, "Find something you are passionate about and keep tremendously interested in it." Julia Child

Treasurer Reports: Robin Crick

Checking Acct.: \$66,399.73 Restricted Funds: \$60,398.35

Robin reported that as of 12/31/19 French Club has a negative balance and the recent concession went to French Exchange. Will speak to Madam about this to confirm French Club or French Exchange. The profit and loss has been updated as of the end of December and currently shows at a loss of \$2,142.91. It includes the income but not expenses. There are several other expenses including \$1,000 for project prom and \$750 for senior class which will also go for prom.

Principal Report: Ronda Scott reported that will have Red Friday this week and additional weeks as the Chiefs continue to win. There is no school Monday the 20th for Martin Luther King Jr. The Jamboree is scheduled for the 23rd and 8th graders will be coming for a visit. There won't be evening hours at the Jamboree due to low attendance in the past. The week will be a modified schedule due to the Jamboree. The senior meeting has been scheduled earlier this year to give information more in advance of when they are happening. There is a big emphasis on obligations as the senior class account for a large amount of outstanding payments. At the end of 1st semester there was around \$9,000 outstanding balances for lunch accounts. Extreme test day is scheduled for 2/25, the freshman will go on a field trip, sophomores (that paid the fee and signed up) will take the ACT. If students plan to enroll in dual credit courses they must have a qualifying score on the ACT. Seniors are encouraged to go on a college visit or schedule a job shadow and to do so they must have 90% attendance. Tardies are down from the same time last year, and the number of F's are down. Late arrivals were up 1st semester and they think this is due to the new start time of 7:15.

Activities Director Report: Daniel Bieser report by that Cheer won state for the 2nd year in a row. Girls basketball is off to a good start. The Hall of Fame Game is scheduled for 1/17/20 and the 1980 volleyball team will be inducted along with 3 other individuals including Eric Holm. The courtwarming game is scheduled for 2/14/20 and the dance will be 2/15/20. The play begins 2/19.

REPORTS OF EXECUTIVE BOARD

President: Christy Burton the closet is in good shape and has been organized. Still need a key to the closet to be left in the safe for concession restocking. We were able to get rid of the old freezer and popcorn machine. There is still a grill that we need to get rid of but need to clarify which one isn't good. Thanks to Lisa Patrick for facilitating the disposal. Relay for Life has

requested to use the popcorn machine to make popcorn to sell as a fundraiser for the event for the 4 Fridays leading up to the event.

Fundraising: Hillary Brown reported that the Holiday Mart took in less income than the auction has in the past however anticipate it will be better next year. The date for next year will be Saturday, November 14, 2020 and will be from 10 - 2.

Programs: Aimee Bolt by Christy Burton reported that KC Wolf will be the speaker on 2/25.

Membership: Michele Clemons plans to have a treat for the staff with memberships on 2/14.

Concessions: Christy Burton requested to please notify Laura Black and Carrie Allen know when stock is low.

Apparel: Sara Ruch reported that looking for additional opportunities to sell apparel. Consider selling at the Hall of Fame game.

Project Prom: Tammy Wheeler reported that the deposit has been made to Main Event and must pay for a minimum of 150 kids regardless of how many attend. They will be served pizza at Main Event. Osceola would like to see about being at Main Event at the same time and they only have 75 students.

Prom: Laura Black by Christy Burton; requesting pictures from seniors to be used in the table decorations

NEW BUSINESS: Dan Harper asked about a booster club vs. Patriots Club for funding additional tournaments. Discussion was opened to Daniel Beiser and outlined how the Patriots Club will be split at the end of the school year and a separate booster club will be formed. Additional plans for the structure to come.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Hillary Brown won the drawing for donation to basketball.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:28p.m.

IMPORTANT DATES

January

13 - Patriots Club Meeting
20 - No School - Martin Luther King Jr
23 - Academy Jamboree

February

8-9 - Relay for Life
10 - Patriots Club Meeting
15 - Courtwarming Dance
17 - No School
19 - 22 Winter Play
25 - Extreme Test Day

March

3 - Orchestra Concert

4 - Band Concert

5 - Choir Concert

6 - No School

16 - 17 - Parent Teacher Conferences

20 - No School

23 - 27 Spring Break