



General Member Meeting Minutes – October 20, 2020
@District 249

Call to Order: 6:47 pm

President – Amy Mounger

Amy reminded the group of the mission and purpose of the TMHS Senior Parent Organization.

The list of general meeting dates is as follows:

- November 16 (Location – District 249)
- December 14 (2nd Monday) (Location – District 249) – We will likely cancel this meeting.
- January 18
- February 15
- March 8 (2nd Monday)
- April 19
- May 17

Last meeting, Amy presented the idea of having “Senior Nights” this semester where we organize a meeting place for a social event for the Seniors (i.e. District 249 to play sand volleyball, rent out movie theater, bowling, drive-in movie) and encourage those that are available to attend. **We are still looking for a Chair to head this up and committee members to help!** Project Prom will be held on May 15th at Main Event in Katy. Ronni Mudd has volunteered to be our Chair. **We will also need committee members to help plan this event.**

Vice President – Melissa Wilson

Melissa oversees all non-fundraising event chairs. All events (i.e. Senior Picnic) have been moved to the Spring semester. The Senior parking spot painting day was a TMHS sponsored event. It was fun for the Seniors and parents that were able to attend! If you haven’t had a chance to check out the spots, please do! We had drone footage taken of both parking lots. The SPO Board personally donated snacks and drinks for the event.

Treasurer – Leah Stephens

Leah gave an update on financials. Currently we have \$20,967.33 on hand. Most income has been generated from membership and spirit wear. We have received \$27,833.60 total income with expenses of \$11,106.67 coming from decals, spirit wear, bank/PayPal fees and a \$2,000 deposit for the Project Prom location.

Secretary – Kelly Jackson

Kelly will be posting minutes from every general meeting on the SPO website. If you miss a meeting, you can get caught up on what was discussed. Monica Remington made a motion to approve the minutes from the September meeting and Adina Walker provided a second.

VP of Fundraising – Adina Walker

Adina oversees all fundraising events and items. Our first big fundraiser will be **Denim and Diamonds Casino Night (November 14, 2020 at Houston Distributing Company 6:00-10:00)**. Ashley Harris is chairing this event. All proceeds go to Project Prom! There will be prizes, raffles, silent auction, food, drinks, music, photobooth, a wine and jewelry pull, a 50/50 cash pot and casino tables! Buy your tickets now from the SPO website <http://www.tmhs-spo.com/> and encourage your friends to come! You do NOT need to have a TMHS Senior to attend this event! 21 and older only. **We need table sponsors! We also need donations for auction items and the raffle and sodas/waters.** We will need to collect these donations items the week prior to the event. We will be posting auction items on FB before the event but you must be present to win! **We need volunteers to set up, help us manage the event especially during the 2nd shift and clean up.** We only have 1 hour to clean up after the event so all hands on deck! Sign up on the SPO website! You will still need to purchase a ticket if you are volunteering at the event, but your Senior will get additional raffle tickets at Project Prom when you volunteer! Your Senior will also be rewarded with 5 raffle tickets for every \$100 sold in their name or 1 ticket for every \$25 sold. A BIG thank you to the Collins family who donated the food for the event!

Our goal is to raise \$85,000 for the year. Denim and Diamonds is our BIGGEST fundraiser so please help us make this a successful evening! Please share the D&D event on your personal social media and post it on your student's band/cheer/drill team/sports pages! Encourage your Senior parent friends to attend and also to join the SPO!

A question was asked about trash bag sales. This fundraiser is through TMHS and helps pay for prom. The SPO raises money for the party AFTER prom.

We still have spirit wear for sale! If you need to pick up an ordered shirt, please make arrangements with Adina Walker. We will have Spirit Nights throughout the year to raise additional funds. We have 3 more Spirit Night currently on the table.

- Captain Brad's – November 17th ALL DAY. Food AND alcohol sales included in 20% given back to SPO!
- Adelyn's – "Galentines" sip and shop on February 11th 6:00-9:00
- Raising Canes – TBD in spring

VP of Membership – Dawna Webber

We currently have 171 members but we have more than 550 Seniors! Please help us by sharing our SPO website with your circles and encouraging them to join and be an active participant. In 2021, dues will increase by \$15! Join through the SPO website.

VP of Communications – Karen Endsley

Karen gave an update on our social media presence and communication. We have FB, Instagram, Twitter, Remind, email and our SPO website to keep you informed! Please join whatever platform you use and share with other Senior parents!

- FB private group – TMHS SPO Class of 2021
- Instagram – [tmhsspo2021](#)
- Twitter - [@TMHSSPO2021](#)
- Remind - [@tmhssp](#)
- Email – tomballmemorialspo@gmail.com
- SPO website – www.tmhs-spo.com

If you use Amazon, please take the time to go to www.smile.amazon.com to make your Amazon purchases and select TMHS Senior Parent Organization! We will get a small percentage of everything you purchase!

VP of Volunteers – Avie Ditch/Donna Dorsey

A sign-up genius will be sent out before every event with volunteer and donation needs. Sign up to help with Denim & Diamonds! We need volunteers, especially with the 2nd shift. You do not need to wear your SPO shirt when volunteering at this event!

Events for year:

- Senior Picnic – POSTPONED (Chair - Avie Ditch/Ashley Harris)
- Denim and Diamonds – November 14, 2020 (Chair – Ashley Harris)
- Father/Daughter – (Chair – Kimberly Martin with Janet Stackhouse TMHS)
- Powder Puff – (Chair – Pam Sanchez)
- Project Prom – May 15, 2021 (Chair – Ronni Mudd; Committee – NEEDED)
- Senior Breakfast – (Chair – Jennifer Oyen)
- Baccalaureate Service – (Chair – Barbara Lujan)
- Senior Sunset – Last Friday of school year (May 21, 2021)

Meeting Adjourned: 7:14 pm