



Mount Hebron High School PTSA

Tuesday 1/14/2020 – General Meeting of the PTSA inc. the CAPS Committee, KASPO Committee, IASP Committee, Latin America Council Committee, PAAS and IASPA
7:00 PM Media Center

MINUTES

6:30pm Guest Speakers: HoCo Department of Community Resources and Services

Valerie Harvey, School & Partnership Engagement Specialist, Local Children's Board

Candace M. Ball, Local Care Team Coordinator, Local Children's Board

Andrea Nunez, Manager, Office of Human Trafficking Prevention

- 410-313-CARE (to ask about resources)
- A "decision tree" is being developed to help navigate available resources

7:00pm General Assembly Meeting Agenda

- Principals Report: Dr. Joelle Miller
 - AP elective fair 1/13, go to Synergy to see course recommendations and sign up for classes (PORTAL)
 - Met personally with all students eligible for redistricting (42 students to Cent. HS, 165 could have left, 85 had option to stay), now fighting to keep staff
 - Math NHS inductions 1/15
 - Bright Minds (HoCo charity for private grants) - 12 Chromebooks
 - Greg Murach - keynote speaker @ HoCo Bright Minds celebration
 - Project Lead the Way teachers (Lucania, Gorleski, Champney) awarded MD Engineering Teachers of the Year!
- SGA Reps: Omar Kmir and Kevin Aguilera
 - Canned food drive - \$40,000 (cans + \$), 165 families (incl. 65 MTH families) received donations
 - 3/13 - Blood Drive for students (16+ w/parent permission)
 - 4/15(?) - Pre-prom assembly for juniors and seniors (surprise) w/real "crash site" w/drama students enacting an accident. "Trial" in fall next year before Homecoming (it's a pilot for high schools in HoCo)
- President's Report: Caroline Bodziak
 - After Prom logo winners: Anna Romenskaya, Pablo Perotti
 - Student directories distributed (herd copies to PTSA members), info available online through CONNECT
 - 3/7 Science Olympiad @MTH, PTSA sponsoring, Viking Backers - concessions
 - Need 3 people for bi-law committee (bi-laws need reviewing/updating every 3 years)

- Anna Nunez - Mental Health Liaison
 - Activities for Pi Week (3/9 - 3/14) for staff/students/parents to promote mental health (received Horizon Grant). If you want to help, let Anna know.
 - Have parent fill out positive notes (anonymous) and place on poster board for Valentine's Day (2/14)

Motion to create Mental Health Committee and PTSA budget line item made by John Booth, 2nd by Julie Kim.

Discussion: none

Vote: Motion Passed Unanimously

- Committees and Liaisons: see separate committee report

7:45pm PTSA Business Meeting

MOTION to approve November meeting minutes made by Laura Munns, second by Keefe Hogan.

Vote: Unanimous approval

Treasurer's Report - Sue Zhang

- Parent donations are up
- 2nd part of scholarships have been paid

Other Business

- Vacancies in Leadership: President, Treasurer, Corresponding Secretary
- Bi-Laws Committee - need at least 3 people. Can keep bi-laws the same or recommend changes, but they must be reviewed. Volunteers: Kelly Mason, Cherrie Webb, Keefe Hogan.

New Business

- Next meeting 2/11/2020
- Concern from Jason Bashura: should other parent groups stay for regular meetings? Caroline explained the break-outs and their evolution.

Meeting Adjourned 8:15pm

**Respectfully Submitted,
Eileen Nolan for Pamela Rochlin**