



February 9, 2023

Call to Order - President Kim Choleva called the meeting to order. 5 members in attendance.

Approval of November Minutes - Motion to approve made by Betsy Painting. Second by Kelly Smiechowski. Motion passed.

Officer's Reports:

President Report: Kim Choleva

- *CAVS Night February 26, 2023* - Have sold around 150 tickets (less than expected). Choir still working with CAVS to determine if they will be performing.
- *United Money* - WHS PTO has received \$585 from United.

Treasurer Report: Betsy Painting

- We have brought in \$1340 this year (does not include the United amount) and have spent \$585.
- Planned expense coming up for insurance.

Secretary Report: Cathy Loveless

- Nothing to report.

Principal Report: Dr. Vincent Suber

- Freshman Unity Day was a success. Have received great feedback from students. This day was specifically for Freshman to celebrate their progress into High School. Studies show that freshmen specifically have attendance and behavior issues as they adjust to HS. We were hoping to help build confidence and provide a positive experience for them. Peer leaders helped that day (Juniors and Seniors who help Freshman with "what to expect" at various HS activities/around campus.)
- This weekend is the State Wrestling meet.
- Grizzlies Abroad will be leaving for Europe over Spring Break.
- Winter Formal is coming up on March 4. There will be a pep rally on March 3.
- April brings testing!

Committee Reports:

- *After Prom Committee* – Tina Vukovich/Nikki Madachik - The Name That Tune night was a great success. Raised \$2200 that night. NOTES FOR NEXT YEAR: consider increasing the amounts for 50/50 and the Necklace game. Corporate

donations are coming in! We sold all of the SuperBowl Squares. More fundraising events to come.

After Prom is also responsible for the Senior Breakfast before commencement practice.

- *Grab N Go- Beth Beal / Kim Choleva* - Signup has been sent out to restock the Grab N Go. Donations have already started coming in.
- *Teacher/Staff Appreciation – Cathy Loveless* - In December we distributed packages filled with goodies for each Staff Lounge (coffee, hot cocoa, cookies, candies, pop tarts, granola, etc). And Kim Choleva made cookies for EVERYONE! January's treat was a packet of Propel. February will be M&Ms. The staff have expressed gratitude for this effort. PTO is so happy to show our staff how much we appreciate them.
- *"Gold Star Luncheon"? Soup and Salad? March? April? - Kim Choleva/Staci Noblett* - This will be held on April 27. Possibly catered by Water Main Grill.

New Business

- *Prom yearly accounts? Starting as a Freshman...* - PTO should consider the possibility of starting After Prom fundraising for each class beginning their Freshman year. That would alleviate the pressure the After Prom Committee has to fundraise so aggressively in such a short period of time. The funds could be set aside in the PTO budget for each class. Kim Choleva will discuss with the After Prom Committee at their next meeting.
- *BloodMobile Drive?* - February 22 will be the next Bloodmobile drive. The NHS has requested that PTO provide snacks and pizza once again. Cathy Loveless will send out the signup genius. PTO funds will be used for any pizza that is not donated. Motion to approve by Kelly Smiechowski. Second by Betsy Painting. Motion passed.
- Students have started a group that will be fundraising for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS). They would like to have 50/50 raffles at sports events where there is no conflict with other groups. They will need the PTO to collect the funds and distribute to the LLS. Motion to approve by Cathy Loveless. Second by Betsy Painting. Motion passed.
- Next PTO meeting will be April 13 at 10:00 am.

Motion for meeting to adjourn by Cathy Loveless, seconded by Betsy Painting. Motion passed.
Meeting adjourned at 11:10.

Respectfully submitted by Cathy Loveless