

Price HSC General Meeting Minutes 12/11/18

Attendees: Gretchen Stephens, Jill Brigham, Jarod Middleton, Margaret Lavin, Lindsay Mar, Alexandria Bass, Ashley Davis, Shayne Santos, Wendy Wang Niles, Katie Crick, Aer Lee, Kevin Paskett, Heather Casale, Laura Mora, Carol Presunka, Julie Johnson, Judy Cubiss, Heather Murphy.

I. Call to Order: Jill Brigham, 7:00pm.

II. Heather Murphy: Approval of 11/13/18 minutes (posted online), motion to approve by Shayne Santos, seconded by Tracie Stamp.

III. Price Updates: Margaret Lavin

7th grade has finished the benchmark testing.

The Snow Ball Dance (7th and 8th grade) will be on Friday.

The Gingerbread Race will be on December 18th in lieu of the Turkey Trot which was canceled due to air quality. Rally starts at 2pm.

7th grade science - dissecting squids.

6th grade science - making PSA presentations about conserving natural resources.

Dan Kerwin, 8th grade ELA, finished testing, now needs to grade them!

Mr Stephens' forensic science class is dissecting pickles - Ms Lavin shared photos of pickle biopsies.

Julie Johnson: AVAC has a kid triathlon fundraiser (for Cambrian SD physical education, food science, and nutrition program) coming up. Needs 25 volunteers. 400m swim, 5 mile bike (stationary), 2 mile run. February 9, 2019. Will need auction baskets from HSC.

Board Updates: Jarod Middleton

No big district updates. The next two years' has projected declining enrollment, we need revenue enhancement. The new School Board President is Carol Presunka.

IV. President's Comments: Jill Brigham

Snow Ball Dance needs volunteers and supplies. See the sign up genius.

Food Drive currently going on at Price, organized by Ms Bibo. Sign up genius on FaceBook.

By-Laws revision process has been started. Heather Casale is working on it, and will bring first revision to the next HSC meeting in February (no meeting in January).

Family Dinner Nights. None in December. January will be at Adelitas, February Blue Rock, March Jack Holders, April Chipotle.

Goodwill Drive on March 30th, so start saving donations for that.

V. Treasurer's Report: Ron Niles not present, Jill provided report

HSC is in good shape, doing well in fundraising, spending is happening slowly. Ms Gioco is buying another Chromebook Cart.

VI. Committee Reports

A. Giving Campaign: Judy Cubiss

We have reached the goal of \$50K. More matching still expected to come in. More families donated this year than last year.

B. Beautification: Katie Crick

Had a work day last Saturday, 25 students and 5 adults came. Planted 200 daffodil bulbs, still have more. Chris Lindquist has been working on a border. Trying to plan another work day between rain. We need a tool shed. We need more plants donated. Suggestion from Ms St John via Gretchen, could we request specific plants from each house to get students more interested and invested?

C. Hospitality: Aer Lee and Heather Casale

Teacher cookie party/brunch on Friday. Sign up genius for cookies on FaceBook and in the newsletter.

VII. New business

HSC purchased a poster printer in the spring. We were not planning to cover consumables, since we didn't know what would be needed, nor what our fundraising situation would be. A few teachers are trained to use the poster printer and everyone goes through them, in an effort to avoid waste. The printer is out of ink, and Jill is proposing we buy ink for \$600, we will see how long that lasts, to try to get a better idea of what is needed in the future. Maybe the printer came with a smaller "sample" cartridge. Also at the beginning of the year, teachers had a lot of posters to print. It is unclear where the money for ink would come from if HSC does not pay for it. Kevin Paskett proposed that the board spends up to \$600 for the ink, Judy Cubiss seconded. Motion passes.

Carol of the Drums, fundraiser for percussion. \$10 advance tickets, \$12 at the door. Includes dessert and drinks. 7pm on December 18th.

PNO raised \$22,270.

Price Fun Fest committee had an initial meeting, event will be on May 3rd. Look for information coming up in January/February if you want to get involved.

The next Price HSC meeting will be February 12th.

Meeting adjourned 7:25pm.