

**FLHSA Meeting**  
**September 6, 2024**  
**9:30am – Fox Lane High School Library & Zoom**

**Present from FLHSA Board:**

Yalda Bahari (Co-President)  
Michelle Brooks (Co-President)  
Sean Reidy (Vice-President)  
Amy Ferguson (Secretary)  
Cary Keller (E-Notes Editor)  
Farah Hoyt (School Store)  
Kyle Kaino (School Store)

**Absent from FLHSA Board:**

Jen Kothari (Treasurer)

**Guests:**

Jennifer Amos (FLHS Principal)  
Melissa Oricchio

Michelle Brooks opened the meeting at 9:35am.

**Treasurer's Report**

The budget was presented to the FLHSA Board. A few items were modified to reflect adjustments from prior years – please see the budget for details.

Expenses for the Homecoming Dance have been reduced and the dance has been confirmed for Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> from 7pm-10pm.

FLHSA needs to increase membership and donations. We will have a table at Back to School Night, and Cary will include information in the next Enotes. The junior parking spot donation is still being discussed at the Board of Education level, but FLHSA hopes to have it available for October. Once approved, FLHSA will decide the best way to handle the fundraising – raffle, auction, etc.

**Principal/AP Report**

Dr. Amos noted that the school year has begun smoothly. The shift from 3 lunch periods to 2 lunch periods has been successful.

Back to School Night will start in the students' first period classes, and that schedule will be available on Parent Vue. Dr. Amos will make remarks once the parents and guardians are in "first period".

Possible projects and events were discussed for FLHSA support this year and going forward. The administration will consider what could have the most impact.

The possibility of livestreaming parent events (guidance nights, programs, etc.) was raised. It is unclear whether there is the appropriate equipment in the theater to be able to accommodate livestreaming, and Dr. Amos is looking into it.

### **2024/2025 Events & Membership**

Homecoming Dance:

- Amy will create a Save the Date flyer, post to Facebook, and send to Melissa for distribution.
- There will be a Dessert Bar but no additional food.
- The students will check in and receive bracelets to wear for the evening.
- Michelle is stocking up on little bottles of water for various events to streamline purchasing.

Back to School Night:

- FLHSA will have the School Store tables as well as a membership table at Back to School Night.
- Amy will create a graphic for Facebook to highlight the store, membership and the possible Junior Parking Spot raffle.

### **Class Parent Liaisons**

There will be a meeting on September 19<sup>th</sup> to work out the class parents details.

### **Mini-Grants**

The first mini-grant of the year for the annual Hillside kayak trip was approved prior to the meeting. The new mini-grant form has been approved and will need to be posted to the new website once we have access to it.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:40am.

*Respectfully submitted by FLHSA Secretary, Amy Ferguson on September 16, 2024.*