

Welcome

Motion to approve minutes. Approved.

Homecoming Tailgate Update

- **Overview:** The combined class tailgate was a success. Attendance was higher than in previous years, and food waste was reduced.
- **Feedback:** The joint format was well-received by attendees and contributed to a stronger sense of community.
- **Next Steps:**
 - Begin planning for next year's tailgate in August.
 - Encourage increased participation from students, families, and community members.
 - Involve more volunteers in the planning process.
- **Additional Notes:** There was no separate teacher tailgate this year. Recommendation to include teachers in the class tailgate next year.

Goals

Parent Communication Update

- **Newsletter:** Information to be sent out in the school newsletter. My Payments Plus, My Schoolbucks info.
- Sign up for newsletter in the beginning of the year.
- **Parent University:** Plan to launch Parent University and highlight key topics for families throughout the year. 17 part series.
 - High school path, plan early, importance of freshman year, choosing the right path ex. AP, Dual Enrollment, etc.
 - Maybe survey exiting seniors and parents of what would have helped them prepare.
- **Rising Freshmen and Seniors:** Need to develop informational lists and resources specific to rising freshmen and seniors.
- Finances for senior year, what to expect, timeline. Add to junior advisory.

- **8th Grade Night:** Preparation needed for 8th Grade Night, including information on available high school programs to help students and families plan ahead.
- **Brochure:** A brochure for parents to be created and distributed when SJHS visits the 8th graders.

Trunk or Treat

- Approximately 40–50 trunks participated in the event. Huge success.
- Ms. Lopez served as the event lead.
- There were two food trucks present.
- A local church provided a cotton candy machine.

Work Based Learning Presentation/Creation Core Visit

- Fall products are complete and were student-made.
- Program continues to focus on entrepreneurship skills, including business start-up processes, bookkeeping, time sheets, and closing sheets.
- Students are in the process of launching a new auto detailing business called *Great White Auto Detail*.
- Graduate outcomes: Five students graduated last year; four of the five are currently employed.

Vaping Webinar

- Mr. Poston attended the webinar.
- The webinar recording has been uploaded and is available for viewing.
- Discussion on the need to educate schools about current regulations and prevention efforts.
- Noted that vape stores are not regulated by existing laws, and liquor can be sold within 500 feet of a school or church.

Riley Award

Submitted and compliant to state SIC site by state law. We will continue to work on this project for next year.

Meeting adjourned

