

HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL PTO MEETING MINUTES

May 5, 2020

Hastings Middle School PTO met on 5/5/20 at 10 am via Zoom

MEMBERS PRESENT: Meghan Harder, Everett Bradley, Kim Ayars, Mike Robertson, Kelley Swiney, Andra Gillum, Ana Ly, Kim Petersen, Heather Petzinger

Welcome & Introductions

President Meghan Harder called the meeting to order at 10:00 am

Principal's Report – Mike Robertson

Preparing and planning for closing the school building. Last work due May 15th, then 2 weeks to catch up. Grades final by May 28. Planning for 8th grade recognition and pick up of non-essential items in paper bags. Students will keep iPads over summer as planned

Secretary's Report – Andra Gillum

Minutes from April 2020 meeting submitted and approved

Treasurer's Report – Everett Bradley

Reviewed budget through April 30. Spent \$1600 on Teacher Appreciation. Budget approved. Temporary summer budget 2020 was shared and discussed. Income is likely to decline considerably given Covid and event cancellations. Approved expected income of \$12,600 (down from 66k in 2019) from No Fundraiser, membership and Yellowbird. Hopefully budget will change. Temp. budget (placeholder until we meet in July) approved.

President's Report – Meghan Harder

Teacher Appreciation = Gave all staff option of 4 \$20 gift cards from Café Davinci, Target, Starbucks and Amazon. 80 of 119 staff members signed up and were mailed gifts. Envelopes and postage were donated.

School supply sale is on hold.

PTO will sponsor 8th grade celebration with UACA bear and banners at the school. Students and families can take photos (following social distancing guidelines) End of May but dates not yet set.

Family Connect program will begin at HMS. Host families will “adopt” new families to mentor. Looking for host families now. Eve will add a “Family Connect” tab on the HMS PTO website.

My School Anywhere is now called Membership Toolkit. HMS will have a free trial of all the software

and functions of the app including membership directory, accounting, website hosting, etc.

Special thanks to Eve Peratopoulos for her many years hosting our HMS website and to Everett Bradley for being our PTO Treasurer for multiple years. Both parents are moving on to UAHS.

Approved next year's PTO Board: Ana Ly (President), Kelley Swiney (President-Elect), Arlene Swanson and Heather Petzinger (co-Treasurers), Andra Gillum (Secretary) and Meghan Harder (Past President)

Meeting Adjourned at 11:30 AM

Minutes prepared and filed by: Andra Gillum, Board Secretary. This draft is pending approval