

RBHS PTO Meeting

Held on February 5, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by our president, Mary Ellen Meindl.

OPENING CEREMONIES: We started with the Pledge of Allegiance.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Kristin reported on standardized testing for Juniors. The official ACT test will be on February 27. After that they will begin to prep for the SAT. This is the last year that RB will be offering and paying for both. SAT is the required state test. On March 6 there will be a practice SAT. The official SAT test will be on April 10. Local scholarships for Seniors is available on the website. Most applications are due March 9, but students should check due dates. Spring sports start February 26. Boys volleyball starts March 5. Go to 8 to 18 to register. Little Shop of Horrors is the spring play. It runs March 1 - 4. Kristin shared that the Board of Education presented information on attendance and suspension. Attendance was at 95% the first semester. Suspensions were up a little. Mostly due to social media issues.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

The minutes from the January meeting were presented. A motion by Michelle Marconi was made to approve the minutes. Second by Paula Fritsch. Motion passes, minutes approved

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Paula presented the financial reports for January. Matia Marcucci made a motion to approve January's financial report. Second by Sondra Krumm-Carlson. Motion passes, financial report is approved.

NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Staff Grants
The PTO received a request from the spring musical for \$500.00 for the choreographer. A motion was made by Matia Marcucci to approve the request for \$500.00 for the spring musical. Second by Paula Fritsch. Motion passes and is approved.
- B. Nominating Committee update:
The committee is working on a list of people that are interested. A slate will be presented in March.
- C. Student Summer Opportunities:
Kristin has this information. She suggested putting this information on our website for parents. A discussion was had about giving it as a presentation at a meeting.
- D. Executive Board responsibilities:
We are deciding to change the RB Boutique event to be under the responsibility of the Secretary and the Senior Awards event will be under the VP of Philanthropy.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- A. The staff luncheon is tomorrow, February 6. People volunteered to bring desserts, appetizers and drinks.
- B. Mary Ellen Meindl provided an update on Day of Service for Lisa Gaynor. Project sites are Confirmed. Everything is moving along nicely.
- C. There is a "Freshman Q & A" on our website. It needs some work, but it is up and running. It is A work in progress.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

A discussion was had about putting the directory online, instead of printing it. This may need to be a discussion the executive board has at the summer meeting.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

*Staff appreciation luncheon is on February 6, 2018

*Next PTO meeting is March 5, 2018

*Day of Service is on April 28, 2018

A motion was made by Matia Marcucci to adjourn the meeting. Second by Sondra Krumm-Carlson .
Motion passed, meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Submitted by,
Heather Elwart - Secretary