NCHS PTSA General Meeting March 23, 2023 at 7:00 pm via Zoom Minutes

Attendees: Lisa Crittenden, President Genny Furley, Vice President Erin Bezek, Secretary Carin Beth Hancock Carlos H Laurese Hale Baker K Judy Stephanie Doersam Andrea James

Welcome & Introductions @ 7:10pm

Minutes from February meeting reviewed and approved.

Treasurer's Report

- Treasurer's report was reviewed and approved.
- Proposed updates to After Prom Budget were reviewed and approved.

Principal's Report- Mr. Fowlkes

- Senior meeting was held 3/20. The power point from that meeting will be sent to the senior parents.
- Students with an obligation will also have a notice sent home so they can be paid prior to prom and graduation.
- Testing season is coming up.
- Mr. Fowlkes will send out a reminder about Fiesta Fundraiser and senior lawn signs.

Old Business

• Mini grant receipts need to be turned in by 5/15. Lisa will reach out to those who have not turned their receipts in.

New Business

- The business manager and principal asked us to do a fundraiser to replace the school marquee. This would be a multiyear project and they are only asking for help with the fundraising, not the entire replacement cost. There are questions about the purpose of the marquee, maintenance and upkeep, as well as exactly how much financial help they are requesting. The board will revisit this when those questions have been answered. One suggestion was to remove the marquee and put something in the school where students will see the information.
- Request for teacher retention meeting for snacks. Lisa paid for it and the board approved reimbursement from the special projects budget. Leftovers will be sold at the craft and vendor fair.
- Will need someone to take over the Facebook page and banner sales and recruit someone for the secretary position.

Committee Reports

- Banners Stephanie
 - Banner sales were over \$3,000 this year.
 - Banners will be taken down and given out when seniors receive their cap and gowns.
 - Stephanie will need someone to take over the banners next year as her student is graduating.
- Membership-
 - 135 members currently
 - Craft & Vendor Fair Beth Hancock
 - o March 25, 2023
 - 15 vendors who are donating small door prize items Tickets will be handed out as people enter.
 - PTSA will sell coffee, chips, cookies, sodas, waters, and pizzas.
- After Prom Lisa & Genny
 - Sell tickets to Fiesta Fundraiser-Deadline for tickets 3/31.
- Senior Lawn Signs
 - Going well-need to do more advertising to get the word out.
- Scholarships Lisa
 - Applications are being received.
 - Will advertise through email and social media again.
 - .Deadline is April 12, 2023
- Fundraising
 - Benevity is a portal that corporations use for fundraising. Recommendation made to look into it.

Upcoming Events

March 25 - Spring Craft & Vendor Fair 9 am - 2 pm (If you ordered a Senior Lawn Sign by last Thursday, it will be available to pick up here)

March 29 - Community Hiring Event 4-7 pm

March 29 - Unity Day -wear orange this day to rally against bullying and support kindness!

March 29-31 - 2 hour early dismissal

April 14 - Fiesta Fundraiser to support After Prom (Sign up below to donate to help offset costs)

Meeting adjourned at 8:17

Next Meeting: April 6, 2023 @ 7pm via Zoom