

Beaverton High School Volunteer Committee April 3, 2009 Meeting Minutes

Lisa Rank called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

- Lisa announced that the May 1st meeting was a social, good-bye-to-seniors meeting and would have no agenda. There is no June meeting.
- Julie Liggins will chair the Volunteer Committee for the 2009-10 school year. An email will be going out to committee chairs regarding their plans for next year. Openings will then be listed on the website.
- Cookie donations were/are still being solicited for the mock interviews scheduled for April 14th & 15th. Donations can be homemade or purchased and need to be dropped off at the CCC by 11:00am on the 14th.

Staff Appreciation: Lisa circulated a donations sign-up sheet for the staff appreciation luncheon scheduled for May 5th. Mary Kay is waiting for a confirmation from Baja Fresh for the luncheon entrees.

Scholarships: Christy Miller reported that she and Carolyn Corcoran will be co-chairing the scholarship committee again next year. Scholarships are still being added to the web site, including ones now coming in for next year.

Grad Night: The celebration begins right after commencement on June 10th. Lisa reported that underclass parents are still needed to help on-site at the Chile's Center as well as to pick up food earlier during the day.

CCC:

- Kevinne Moran said there are still volunteers needed to fill interviewer slots during mock interviews on April 14-15th. Interviewers will be scheduled for an 8:15-11:00 or an 11:45-2:15 slot during which time they will meet with approximately 8 students. To-date, about 350 student applications have been submitted.
- May 1st is "Star Day"--- the day students let colleges know of their decisions. This may be combined with an end-of-year survey which will be required before students can receive their grad tickets.

Administrator's Budget Report: Principal Janice Adams updated the group.

The Beaverton School District is facing a shortfall of up to \$50 million for the 2009-10 school year. Low (\$26 mil), Mid (\$36 mil) and High (\$50 mil) projections are being revised continually as additional data comes in. (Projections are available on the district website.) A balanced budget must be submitted to the state by June 30th as required by law. District revenue is down markedly due to declining enrollment and property tax revenues as well as state and federal budget cuts. With over 85% of the district's budget paying for personnel, there's sure to be staff reductions, including Brian Curl's v.p. position at BHS. This will result in larger class sizes as well as some classes being cut. No programs are immune---everything is being looked at.

Administrator's Report: Vice-Principal Brian Curl reported:

- Last month's Spring musical, "How to Succeed in Business" had a very successful run.
 - Registration was held last month for the Jr. Act exam to be given April 22nd.
 - April 9th--- School Board Candidate Forum, hosted by BHS, 7:00-9:00pm.
 - April 10th --- no school, grading day for teachers.
 - April 14-15th --- Junior's mock interviews.
 - April 10-17th --- Social Awareness Week, run by students, will showcase a variety of opportunities to contribute.
 - April 16th --- African Dinner, beginning 6:00pm, will feature a speaker.
 - April 20th --- beginning of Prom Week which will include court introductions and lunch activities.
 - April 24th --- Prom Assembly.
 - April 25th --- Senior Prom to be held at the World Trade Center.
 - April 29th --- The Spring Drama, "One Acts" opens
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- The meeting adjourned at 10:50am.
 - Submitted by Cheryl Jarvis, Secretary