

Beaverton High School Volunteer Committee January 9, 2009 Meeting Minutes

Lisa Rank called the meeting to order at 9:10 am. Self-introductions were made.

Newsletter: Kimberlee Killian said that, per Mr. Curl's request, there will be no January newsletter due to time issues. Next month's newsletter will mail on Feb. 11th ---volunteers will begin at 10am in the Committee Room.

Scholarships: Christy reported that the scholarships keep coming in and are up to 13 pages now! Local scholarships should start coming in anytime from now and into the spring.

Student Activities: Debbie Stewart reported that upcoming dances are the Sadie Hawkins dance scheduled for Feb. 21st and later, the Senior Prom. A post-Winter Formal meeting was held regarding dance policies (see Mr. Nieslanik's report, below).

Staff Appreciation: Mary Kay Rodman reported that the Staff Luncheon held Dec.9th was a huge success! The Booster Club was enlisted and collected \$1100 for the event --- \$300 more than was needed! Volunteers and food were both plentiful and the staff enjoyed the Italian theme. The second luncheon, held the first week in May, traditionally has a Mexican theme.

Website: Randy Dietrich is just waiting for things to post! The annual website hosting bill of \$100 will be split with the Drama Club as they both share the site.

Grad Night Fundraisers:

1. Bunco - Saturday, Jan. 10th, 6:30 @ West Hills Unitarian Church (off Oleson Rd.) Cost: \$20.
 2. Dine Out - @ "5 Guys & Burgers" (Cedar Hills & Walker), Tuesday, Jan. 13th.
 3. Texas Hold'em – Saturday, Feb. 7th @ West Hills Unitarian Church. Cost: \$75 couple, \$40 single, includes food & wine/beer. Preregistration is required.
- (Last year's Grad Night ran \$40,000-\$45,000. This year's budget is anticipated to be much smaller. The expensive door prizes and the party planner will be eliminated.)

CCC: Lisa Rank noted that Saturday, January 24th is "College Goal Oregon" - no-cost assistance for students applying for college monies. It is being held at 27 area sites (inc. PCC & CCC) from 9:00am to 2:00pm and can be found online @ collegegoaloregon.com.

ASPIRE: Lisa Rank reported that the background checks have been completed and volunteers will be contacted next week. The first priority will be working with students on scholarships. After a general meeting, there will be one-on-one mentoring beginning the 2nd semester. Both Lewis and Clark and Linfield Colleges will be here the first week of February.

Student Activities/David Nieslanik: Mr. Nieslanik reported on the new dance protocol that resulted from a discussion between staff, parents and student council. New dance contracts (one for BHS students, one for guests) which outline policies and expectations must be signed by a parent or guest parent before a ticket can be purchased. The contract allows for dance removal as well as suspension and provides much-needed consistencies of language and expectations between students, parents and the Metro League.

Administrator's Report: Vice-Principal Brian Curl addressed the meeting.

- The BHS Football team had a successful season, making it to the semi-finals!
- The Water Polo team made it all the way to playoffs too!
- Winter Sports are off to a good start.
- No decision has been made yet regarding making up the time missed during the snow days. The District determines time lost by hours, which provides greater flexibility in rescheduling.
- Jan 9th - Girls @ home vs Jesuit; Boys away vs Jesuit.
- Jan 11th - MLK Day – no school.
- Jan 14th - 2nd bus evacuation drill for bus riders only.
- Jan. 15th - 7:30 Winter Choir Concert (rescheduled from snow week).
- Finals Week: Tues., Jan. 20th – Fri., Jan. 23rd. Finals are over by noon, buses leave at 12:35.

Lunch is available from 12:00-12:30.

- Jan 26th – grading day, no school.
- Jan. 27th - beginning of second trimester.
- Feb. 4th – Winter Band Concert
- Feb. 5th – 8th grade forecasting parents meeting @ 7:00pm. Students welcome too.
- Feb. 20th - Sadie Hawkins Assembly.
- Feb. 21st – Sadie Hawkins Dance @ the Tiffany Center.
- Forecasting for next year: Juniors on 2/06, Sophomores on 2/13, and Freshmen on 2/27, all during advisory classes. Materials are due 1 week after scheduling and must be signed by parents.

- The meeting adjourned at 10:30am.
- Submitted by Cheryl Jarvis, Secretary