

Prospect High School PTSA Minutes for November 08, 2011

Call to order: Meeting was called to order at 7:18 p.m. by President Louise Henderson.

Welcome and Introductions: Louise began with welcoming everyone and introductions of all PTSA members, students and parents along with Principal Diane Burbank.

Secretary's minutes:

Motion to approve October.11 meeting minutes was put forward. Minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Not much activity in membership. Any money coming in now will be put under donation drive. Teachers are spending grant money.

Student Council's Report: Homecoming is over. Class events like juniors' prom, black and white tie event, senior's waffle house will be in December. Winter ball is on Dec. 9th. for sophomores.

Principal's Report: Cross country competitions are at Crystal Springs in Salinas this Saturday. Today is field hockey tournament. Solar panels are coming in soon. Student lot has limited parking. Piers are done. The parking structure completion will be February 2012. In academics, 12 week grades are coming up. Teacher's grades are due this Monday and will be mailed on Tuesday. This time finals are over 3 days instead of 2.

Board Member Report:

District Representative Report: Fundraising guide lines by district representatives will come in on January 10th meeting. Please pass on this information to all fundraising groups. Yesterday was November session for district. American Association of University Women is 100 yr. old organization went to different schools to study equivalency of percentage girls vs. boys participating in sports. There is 5-6% difference in girls participating in sports. December 15th district will get the next round of cuts from Governor.

Old Business:

Open House Review: This was started 6 yrs ago by Liz James. 66 families are involved and 12 tours take place during the open house. Parent involvement shows community spirit.

New business:

Donation Drive: Rosemary Freedan is going to make a flyer for donation drive and it will be sent along with an envelope. We are trying to reach the whole population of the school.

AP Information Night: It is on Monday, Feb. 6th. 9 teachers and counselors will be hosting this event. There will be 3 teacher sessions of 15 min. each with 5 min. break in between.

Committee Reports:

Middle School Report: No Report.

Volunteer Coordinator: Liesbeth Visscher was thanked for her efforts to gather volunteers. It was a good turn out of volunteers.

Career Center: Career Center is busy with workshops for seniors.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:09 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

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