

Prospect High School PTSA Meeting

Tuesday, September 9, 2014, 7pm

- Welcome and Introductions
 - Meeting was called to order by our new President, Lubna Sheet.
 - Twelve were present.
- Treasurer's Report
 - PTSA has a pretty healthy balance going into this year. We have a \$19,331.26 reserve.
 - Most items are the same. We are proposing adding a line item for Parent Education of \$500 and increasing mini-grants to \$3,500 from \$3000.
 - We are hoping to host two events this year for Parent Education. Danielle is in contact with the district for CHP meetings and will bring more information to meetings.
 - Stephanie and Michelle from Leigh High School spoke about Parent Education. They are hoping to have meetings for parents starting with something that will be well attended and would like to other schools to attend.
 - We are also wanting to add a line item for the make-a-wish rally of \$2,640.54.
 - We will need to pay Naviance \$7,000.
 - Thomas, our Treasurer, motioned to approve the budget and Susan Seran seconded it.
- Principal's Report/School Site Council
 - School Site Council is in need of getting re-organized.
 - Thomas Swindler and Meena are interested in being part of School Site Council.
 - We are getting started and had Back to School Night last week.
 - The school needs to hire an ELA teacher. Besides that, the opening of school has gone smoothly.
 - Construction is still going on. There has been a problem with the air conditioning in some rooms.
- Student Council's Report
 - Back to School Week was Sept 1-6. There were dress up days, a rally, back to school night, a football game, and a dance.
 - Tomorrow there will be a smoothie house because it's a Collaborative Day.

- Nick Silva found a website, fundme.com, that will take donations and most of the ASB's funds come from dances. The back to school dance sold 218 tickets.
- Portable Sound System is in need of replacement, especially the speakers.
- Breast Cancer Awareness Week will be Oct. 6-10 or Oct. 3-17. There will be pins, a guest speaker, and pink day.
- October 25th is Homecoming Week.
- Armed Forces Week is Nov. 10-14th. There will be a guest speaker, Veteran's Day, and Spirit Day all to add awareness.
- Nov. 12th is District Leadership Conference for Student Council. All schools attend.
- Anti Bullying Week starts the week of Nov. 17th. There will be t-shirt, pins, Spirit Days and guest speakers to bring awareness.
- Teacher's and District Representative Reports
 - There was no teacher or district rep present.
- 8th Annual Open House
 - We need to pick a date.
 - We need an Open House Coordinator. Liesbeth will help if there is not anyone else.
- Teacher Mini Grants
 - They must be submitted by Oct. 3rd. The following Tuesday is the next PTSA meeting to make a decision.
 - Last year there were 10 submissions. One was funded by the district and we funded the rest of them.
 - We approved the language for the flyer to be sent to teachers.
- Volunteer Coordinator
 - Ralene Wasiliewski is our volunteer coordinator.
 - We added 40 more email addresses at Back to School Night to contact parents.
 - Next big event for volunteers is Open House.
- Grad Night
 - Kathy Scoles and Shirley Reese are the coordinators for Grad Night.
 - Already planning for it. Fundraising is already taking place.
- Next Meeting October 14th at 7:00 pm.