

### PHHS PTSA Minutes- November 18, 2021

*Interim* President, Cindy Stavrou – Present  
Vice President, Laura Sostak - Present  
Recording Secretary, Yohanny Nguyen - Present  
Treasurer, Mary Ellen Iradi - Present  
Scholarship Coordinator, Hilary Ververs - Absent  
Membership Chair: Akta Patel – Absent

**Meeting Began:** 7:01 p.m.

#### **President's Report:**

- Meeting minutes are posted on PTSA website
- Looking for volunteers for Teacher Appreciation Committee
- 294 memberships -72 more since last meeting
- Fall Drama- will set up table with membership information
- Amazon Smile – continue advertising for holiday shopping
- Daily Bulletin on school website. We will keep updating it.
- **Volunteer for PTSA president needed. Senior parent can help for one year-Cindy will work with you. Legally she can't sign anymore checks. They can freeze our money.**

#### **Student Council/Senior Report-** Adomas, Jalen and Amogh

- Enjoyed Homecoming. They had a DJ, snacks, water, photo booth. Earned a lot of money.
- Upcoming Toy Drive 11/17 through 12/4. Mrs. Mejia to provide adult wish list.
- Key Club animal shelter collection ended- 11/1 through 11/15
- Volunteers United collecting pet supplies until 11/22
- Gertrude Hawk fundraiser online -funds go to class. Very successful
- Merchandise orders -students submitted t-shirts designs
- Planning Dine to Donate fundraiser at Wendy's -TBD

#### **Principal's Report**

- Glad to be back in the building
- Fall Drama December 2, 3, and 4
- Winter concert December 16
- Homecoming was a success – thank you Student Council
- Need a volunteer to step up for PTSA President. Very appreciative to Cindy for all amazing things she's done for the school.

**Financial Report:** see attached.

#### **Project Graduation -** Branchburg Sports Complex on 6/24/2022

- Need Committee
- Project Graduation Clothing and Shoe Drive on December 4 from 9am-2pm at PHHS. Student run event. Will send school messenger with Sign up genius link. Special mailing to senior class-volunteer and clean up closets. Counts towards volunteer hours -Mrs. Mejia will give us senior reps emails
- Parents can also make monetary donations

#### **Fundraisers**

- Keep emphasizing Amazon Smile -many people do holiday shopping on Amazon
- Lawn signs -received 28 more orders
- Chand Palace fundraiser 12/19. They will donate 15% to PTSA
- Expecting a \$500 corporate donation
- Want to bring back Flamingo flocking fundraiser – looking for flamingos
- Always looking for NEW fundraisers

**Meeting ended at:** 7:35 p.m. Next meeting December 22 at 7:00pm -email Laura Sostak at [lgsostak@yahoo.com](mailto:lgsostak@yahoo.com) prior to the meeting to request the Zoom link.