

**Holland Township PTO  
Minutes of Monthly Meeting  
May 15, 2019**

**CALL TO ORDER:** Alyssa Kries, President, called the meeting to order at 7:02pm.

**OFFICERS REPORTS**

**President's Report:** Alyssa Kries thanked everyone for coming. Alyssa Kries then thanked the HTEA for recognizing all of the volunteers and providing delicious desserts and generous raffle prizes.

**Secretary's Report:** Alyssa Kries opened the floor for discussion of the April 2019 minutes. No discussion. A motion to accept the April 2019 minutes was made. A seconded motion was made, and it was unanimously approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** Alyssa Kries opened the floor for discussion of the April 2019 Financial Activity and Performance to Budget Reports. No discussion. A motion to accept the April 2019 Financial Activity and Performance to Budget Reports was made. The motion was seconded, and it was unanimously approved.

**8th Grade Dance Committee** - Alyssa Kries reported that the Committee has been working extremely well together and has ironed out all details. The menu has been selected and all necessary vendors have been booked. A motion was made to make the 8th Grade Dance Committee a Standing Committee. The motion was seconded, and it was unanimously approved.

**Nominating Committee** - Alyssa Kries opened the floor for any other nominations for the positions of Chair, Co-Chair, Secretary and President. No other nominations were heard. Alyssa Kries closed the floor for nominations. Michelle Young nominated Alyssa Kries for President and Tomasina McGuire for Secretary. Vote was taken by members. All in favor. Approved Alyssa Kries for President and Tomasina McGuire for Secretary. Michele Young nominated Sandy Bate for Chair of Assemblies, Krista Bentzinger for Co-Chair of Assemblies. Dawn Godown for Chair of Book Fair. Dana Stem, Katie Jenkins, Samantha Deets, Bonnie Agaccio and Melody Conn for Co-Chair of Book Fair. Misty Lapham for Chair of Bulletin Board. Heather Bukofsky for Chair of Bulletin Board. Dawn Weate for Co-Chair of Bulletin Board. Deenie Totten for Fundraising Chair. Joni Osborne for Co-Chair of Fundraising. Jennifer Randazzo-Makarick for Spiritwear. Laura Strangfeld for Chair of Staff Appreciation. Debbie Hirst for Co-Chair of Staff

Appreciation. Krista Bentzinger for Chair of 8th Grade Dance. All in favor. Approved for Chair and Co-Chair positions.

**Budget Committee** - Alyssa Kries reported that the meeting will be held on May 22nd. There are a few spots open if anyone else is interested. This committee meets once to prepare the budget for presentation at the June meeting.

Motion was made to continue our donation letter as our main fundraiser. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

Discussion ensued regarding Book Fair companies (Follet vs. Scholastic for next year). It was decided to run two Scholastic Book Fairs next school year. A motion was made to take cash for both the Fall and Spring Book Fair. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

**Scholarship Committee** - Alyssa Kries opened the Scholarship Committee. The meeting will be held on Monday May 20th at 7pm. We received 24 applications from current Del Val High School Seniors who are also Holland Township School alumni. The committee will meet and read through the applications to select one boy and one girl to win each of the \$1,250 scholarships. If anyone is interested in joining this committee please sign up.

**Field Day Committee** - Alyssa Kries displayed some of the student Field Day shirts and informed everyone that Shoprite donated all the Italian Ice for the students. In addition, BJ's and Costco gave us \$25.00 gift cards. There is still time if any parents or teachers would like to order shirts for Field Day.

**SchoolKidz Supplies** - Alyssa Kries reported that paper order forms are due by May 24th. Online orders are due by May 31st. All kits will be placed on the students' desks for the first day of school.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Assemblies Committee:** Sandy Bate reported that the next assembly is scheduled for May 20th at 12:40 for Elementary and 1:40 for Middle School. The assembly is a BMX "Go Green" anti bullying assembly that will be held rain or shine. In addition, another assembly is scheduled for June 3rd. Motivational Speaker Azuka will address students in grades 3rd through 8th at this time.

**Book Fair:** Discussed earlier in meeting.

**Bulletin Board:** Michelle Young reported that the board will be decorated by the 8th Grade Dance Committee.

**Family Events:** Michelle Young reported that the Outdoor Movie Night will be held on May 31st.

**Fundraising Committee:** Michelle Young reported that PTO's Paint Night brought in a profit of \$851.00.

**Help from Home Committee:** Christina Piluso reported that we received a check from Box Tops for \$994.00. Friday is the last day to submit Box Tops for the Spring Contest.

**Hospitality Committee:** No updates

**Membership Committee:** No updates

**Staff Appreciation Committee:** Laura Strangfeld thanked everyone for their help and contributions during Staff Appreciation Week.

**Website Committee:** All updated

**NEW BUSINESS :** None

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

\_\_\_\_\_ Robin Smith reported the Geo-Dome open house will be May 23rd and May 28th.  
You can purchase a child size or adult size seeding pot to benefit SEED.

Mrs. Deb Croasdale reported:

- Early dismissal next Wednesday.
- Kindergarten Pig Project is next Thursday.
- Middle School Concert is June 6th.
- Award Ceremony is June 17th and 18th for 8th graders.
- Thanked PTO for Staff Appreciation Week.

**ADJOURNMENT:** 7:44 pm. Next meeting will be on June 12, 2019 at 7:00 pm.