# Holland Township PTO Minutes of Monthly Meeting Sept 13, 2018

**CALL TO ORDER:** Alyssa Kries, President, called the meeting to order at 7:03 pm.

# **OFFICERS REPORTS**

**President's Report:** Alyssa Kries reported that the positive quotes campaign to decorate every student bathroom with inspirational messages, which took place over the summer, was a great success. She thanked all those who volunteered their time and made various donations and contributions. Alyssa also reported that the SchoolKidz program was well received and over 100 kits were ordered by HTS families.

**Secretary's Report:** Alyssa Kries opened the floor for discussion of the June 2018 minutes. No discussion. A motion to accept the June 2018 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 June, July, August 2018 Treasurer and Budget Reports. A motion to accept the June, July and August 2018 Treasurer and Budget Reports was made. The motion was seconded, and it was unanimously approved. Alyssa Kries also reported that the position of Treasurer was open and anyone interested in learning more or volunteering for the position should contact an officer or email the HTS PTO. The election for Treasurer will take place at October's meeting.

**Budget Committee:** Alyssa Kries dissolved the Budget Committee, no objections heard.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Assemblies Committee:** Sandy Bate reported that a meeting was scheduled with Dr. Yard for the following week to plan assemblies.

**Book Fair:** Dawn Godown reported that the new company Follet is currently completely booked and unavailable for the Spring Book Fair. She also explained that in order to hold our spot with Follet for the next two Fall Book Fairs we must act now. Discussion followed. Motion to book Scholastic for the Spring Book Fair and Follet for the next two Fall Book Fairs was made and seconded and then unanimously approved.

Alyssa Kries then reported that the position of Book Fair Co-Chair is currently open and all interested parties should contact the PTO board.

**Bulletin Board:** Michelle Young reported that the bulletin board has been updated to track our Membership Drive. Alyssa Kries then reported that the position of Bulletin Board Chair is currently open and all interested parties should contact the PTO board.

**Family Events:** Heather Bukofsky reported that the Family Events Committee is planning to host an event in October and will meet next week to begin planning.

Fundraising Committee: Michelle Young reported that the

- a. School store is currently open and will close on September 24th.
- b. Kid Stuff books will be going home on Friday and include a free app with every purchase this year.
- c. Gift cards fundraiser will be held November 5th 21st.

**Help from Home Committee:** Christina Piluso reported that the Summer BoxTops contest will be ending October 5th. She then gave a brief overview of what the Help From Home Committee entails.

**Hospitality Committee:** Jodi Schluter thanked those who donated food items for the Rivalry Day Concession Stand and both Back to School Nights.

**Membership Committee:** Michelle Young reported that the Alternate Fundraiser is currently underway and thanked everyone for their generous donations.

**Staff Appreciation Committee:** Laura Strangfeld reported that the Back to School Staff Breakfast was a success and very much appreciated by the teachers.

**Website Committee:** Alyssa Kries reported that the website is up to date and pictures of the positive quotes campaign can be found there.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- 1. Haunted Hayride is scheduled for Saturday, October 27th. Volunteers needed. Sign up sheet on the table.
- 2. Alan Schedlbauer submitted a request for new soccer uniforms. Discussion followed. No motion made. Item was tabled until later in the year.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT**

- 1. Mrs. Deb Croasdale thanked PTO for both the Back to School Breakfast as well as the Positive Quotes Campaign.
- 2. Mrs. Deb Croasdale reported that the Week of Respect will take place October 1st-5th
- 3. Mrs. Deb Croasdale reported that Picture Day is October 9th.

**ADJOURNMENT:** 7:56 pm. Next meeting will be on October 17, 2018 at 7:00 pm.