

OHSPA Meeting Agenda : April 10, 2025

Location: JHHS Foundry

Start Time: 5:30 PM

End Time: 6:38 PM

Attendance:

OHLS:

Dr. Adam Fineske
Ben McMurray
Rose Gaiffe
Kathy Lathrop
Katie Cho

Membership:

James Jones
Arianna Larette
Tenley Yark
Lisa Kemper

OHSPA Board:

Gil Gonzalez
Erica Kelm
Melissa Gagacki
Julie MacMillan
Jessica Meade

Welcome & Mission Statement:

- **Gil**

March Meeting Minutes for Approval:

- First: James
- Second: Arianna
- Vote: Motion Approved; all in favor

Hot Lunch Update:

- **Julie & Erica**
- **Panda Express started this past Monday.**

- Very easy to work with, great success.
- Kids loved it
- Will revisit menu offerings and portions for next year
- Food Trucks coming back Wednesdays, for the rest of the month in April

Presentation from Lowell Shreve on the A-Frame Project Update:

- Scout for 10+ years
- Practice leadership skills, learn new skills
- Requesting materials to complete the project and improve our A-frames.
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Superintendent's Report - Dr. Fineske

- Busy with hiring, interviews, etc.
- Hired new Spanish Teacher for district buildings
- Two administrative positions open
 - Assistant Principal
 - Director of Student Services
- Kindergarten Night - next Wednesday for incoming Kindergarten parents
- Lots of legislative changes incoming
 - Monitoring and keeping an eye on how this impacts our District
- Coffee & Convo with Superintendent and Treasurer - 8:30 AM tomorrow morning (April 11th)
 - State Testing and Curriculum
 - State Funding Update

JHHS Principal's Report: Ben McMurray

- 4th Quarter - Strong Finish
 - Spring Testing
 - AP Testing
 - Final Exams
 - Graduation and Last Day is FRIDAY, May 30th
 - Audition process for graduation speakers (2-3 students)
- Scheduling for next year is underway and nearly complete
- April 22nd: Big Futures Event in the Foundry
 - Entrepreneurship Feature
- smART Show: Thursday, April 23rd
 - Art Themed, different project-based learning projects on display
 - Lego building contest
- Open Positions and Hiring
- Move to the SBC from the TAAC

- Includes some of the former TAAC members that left
- Better alignment with sports we offer

ES Principals' Report: Rose Gaiffe

- Testing going well at ES
- Panda Express is awesome
- 3rd, 4th, 5th grade won chess competition
- Boy Scouts collecting food for food drive
- Art Museum Trips will be complete soon
- 6th Grade Graduation - in planning

Board of Education Report: Kathy Lathrop

- Move to SBC is a great thing, excited for it
- Staying close to State budget, Adam and Tom continue to advocate for our District
- Next Board Meeting: Wednesday, April 16th at 4PM

Questions:

President's Report:

We've done a great job raising funds, our mission is to support the schools and community, and we've done a great job of that allowing us to fund the Wish List items.

Wishlist Amount: \$26,648.65

Wishlist Overage: \$1,316.65 (5% over approved plus board approved shipping

Total Amount approved last school year: \$23k

Past Events and Ongoing Training

- Bingo: Fall
- Recipe Book - big success
- Volunteer Appreciation
- Celebrity Wait Night & Silent Auction

Vice President's Report:

- Hot Lunch Update
- Return of Hot Lunch

Treasurer's Report:

- Spring Carnival
 - Over \$7k received in sponsorships so far
 - Additional \$2k promised, but not yet received
 - \$350 in food truck revenue

- \$635 in wristband sales, \$300+ in t-shirts
- **Celebrity Wait Night**
 - Partnering with Boosters, split between us and OH Boosters
 - Presold Celebrity Waiter tables - \$19k
 - Ticket Sales: \$1800
 - Auction Bids to Date: \$4k+ so far
- **AFrames A Rebuilding Year**
 - Revenue for the Year: \$240 - this is typical
 - Expenses (not typical)
 - Purchase of used projector \$123.91
 - Canvas \$475.16
 - Rebuilding \$460
- **Staff Appreciation**
 - Budgeting Line Item \$500
 - Income: \$1265
 - Expenses: \$1431
- **Cash Balance Available: \$67,950.03**

Disbursements:

- **Board Approved:**
 - Lowell Shreve A-Frame Eagle Scout Project
- **Membership Vote**
 - [WISHLIST APPROVAL](#)
 - Motion: Tenley
 - Second: James
 - All voted in favor
 - **Wishlist Overage: 5% overage of Wishlisht Total - Please see attached Wishlist in above line item.**
 - Motion: James
 - Second: Tenley
 - All voted in favor
 - [Teacher Appreciation Week](#): \$1250.00
 - Tenley Yark leading, came up with a format and theme “ Thank you for helping us bloom.” Each day will feature prompts. Colleen Seigar leading HS effort
 - Motion: Arianna
 - Second: Lisa
 - Motion Approved - All voted in favor

Volunteer Recognition:

Tenley and Lisa

- Both have done such a great job leading large events (Teacher Appreciation and Spring Carnival) and are always willing to lend a helping hand.

Events:

- **Celebrity Wait Night**
 - Collab with Boosters, tables of committed celeb waiters and guests
 - First really big fundraising event post-COVID
 - Experiences, gift baskets, etc. as silent auction items
- **Carnival**
 - Roaming performers
 - Carnival food
 - Inflatables Staffing - inflatable company and HS volunteers
- **Bingo (Fall TBD)**
- **School Supply Drive**

Adjournment: 6:38 PM

- First: Arianna
- Second: James
- Vote: All approved