

## **Clarkston High School PTO Meeting Minutes 2/8/2021**

Attendance: Jamisen Sivak, Andrea Rozman, Theresa Fabrizio, Katy Sutcliffe, Kim Hardtke.

Meeting called to order at 7.05mp

Minutes from January meeting were approved.

### ***Principals Report***

Gary was unable to attend. On his behalf Andrea stated that the drama club were currently working on a zoom production.

### ***Treasurers Report.***

Current checking account balance \$12469-99.

There is one outstanding check to be cashed for \$150.

Currently \$3245-99 in ways and means budget.

### ***Presidents report***

Andrea and Kim are continuing to try and clarify the future role for PTO within the organization/running of career day. Will update board as more information becomes available.

### ***Health and Wellness***

No updates

### ***Ways and Means***

There are 5 ways and means requests.

- 1) Counselling office have requested \$180 to support the attendance of a student at an annual conference due to be held in May/June. It was suggested that this could be funded from a different line item in the budget rather than coming from the ways and means budget. Motion to approve \$180 was proposed by Kim, seconded by Katy. All were agreed.
- 2) Rachel Vickers ELA/Leadership has requested \$269.60 to purchase 40 computer risers to prevent back/neck strain in students. This will impact around 150 students. Theresa motioned to approve up to \$270. Andrea seconded. All were agreed.
- 3) Wolves will positive behavior recognition program has requested \$200 to purchase gift cards for use in the program. Katy asked if there was a way to include virtual students in this program moving forward? Kim will ask teachers. Katy motioned to approve \$200. Theresa seconded. All were agreed.

4) Debbie Brock from the math department has asked for \$900 for plastic privacy folders to be used during test taking. 1500 students would be impacted.

It was suggested that maybe we should buy a smaller number at first to pilot them? It was asked if we could approve half of the amount asked for? There were questions regarding the material the folders were made of and how durable they would be. Kim will speak further with Mrs. Brock to answer these questions and to find the best product for the department. Will vote via email when further information/research has been concluded.

5) Brian Pierce has requested \$150 for prizes for his stock market club budget challenge. Will be used to purchase gift cards from local businesses. 25+ students will be impacted. Katy motioned to approve. Theresa seconded. All agreed.

### ***Membership***

No new updates.

### ***Communications***

No new updates.

### ***Advocacy***

No PSAT meetings to date.

There will be no sparkle awards this year.

### ***Volunteer coordinator***

Theresa has sent the google form for PTO scholarships to the counsellors who will distribute to seniors. It was suggested that an eblast could be sent to the senior class.

Meeting closed at 8.30pm