Haverford Middle School PTO Meeting

Tuesday November 14, 2017

Called to order 7pm

**Attendees:** Principal Dan Horan, 6th grade teacher Jon Swerecky, President Brie Irwin, Vice President Sarah Maxwell, Treasurer Carol Buehler, Recording Secretary Jennifer McNicholas, Corresponding Secretary Michele Moresco, Jean Sweeny, Leidy Cawling, Sandy Olsavsky, Peggy Herman, Betsy McElreavey, Vaishali Vora, and Stacy Collins.

October 2017 PTO meeting minutes approved by Sarah Maxwell and Betsy McElreavey.

**Treasurer’s Report**-by Carol Buehler

Review of actual money spent and received to date including dues, spirit wear, 6th grade Halloween party, etc.

**President’s Report**-by Brie Irwin

Thank you for having the parent pre-view for the Wellness Initiative (by Officer Flynn).

**Teacher’s Report**-by Jon Swerecky

See sheet. Including sports update, CHOP toy drive, food drive, activities night, 6th grade Halloween dance, weekly newsletters, and Flyers Game Night.

**Upcoming/Current Events**

Book Fair, winter spirit wear sale, Activities Night Friday December 8 at 7pm.

**Old Business**

-Continue to send in Box Tops to your homeroom teacher. As of now, Peregrine Falcons (7th grade team) is leading with the most BoxTops!

-Giant A+ Rewards-so far to date, HMS has received >$500 since October 6 from Giant. Register your Giant card for more rewards.

**New Business**

**IDC Report** by Betsy McElreavey and Vaishali Vora-Review of transportation in regards to buses. Buses have GPS in them, so they can be tracked at all times. An average of 5 buses are changed out a year. There are 97 bus drivers and 72 buses in the Haverford School District. Buses with 3 point harness restraints are being phased in. Any issues, please contact George Ramplin.

**School Report** by Stacy Collins-Gender Expansive and Transgender students’ policy-ensuring equity and nondiscrimination, revision of Middle School LA curriculum, and review of calendar for 2018-2019.

**Principal’s Report** by Dan Horan

-See sheet.

-Several new school board members elected.

-1st Marking period report card will be emailed; parent-teacher conferences are being held November 21-23. You may have conferences at any time in the school year-just contact your child’s teacher.

-School performance Profile-Haverford Middle School outranks several neighboring middle schools.

-There will be 7th and 8th grade musical Annie in February 22-24th. 6th Grade Musical will be May 17-19th.

Meeting concluded 8:50pm.