**BBH Middle School PSO Minutes 04/14/2016**

**Call to Order**: Meeting was called to order at 9:26 AM with 16 members present.

**Executive Board Reports:**

**Principal-** Mr. Todd Rings announced that 8th grade canteen was a success with about 150 students attending. Great job to Mrs. Nelson & Mrs. Sbrocco for all their hardwork coordinating this wonderful event.

Next year, the BBHMS will be participating in ”One book One school” which is a program that allows the whole school to read the same book. It will kick off on the first day of school & culminate in a school-wide celebration the 3rd Friday of the new year.

The school would like to request support for the one book one school project from the PSO gifts & goals

There will also be a focus on a school-wide community service project.

Summer reading will include one assigned reading, one book that is picked by the student & a writing assignment to support the reading.

Report cards are available on-line through the Progress Book. Next year the hope is to be totally paperless with regards to the report cards.

Staff appreciation will be the week of May2-6th with a PSO sponsored luncheon on May 5th.

The PSO Volunteeer appreciation luncheon will be held at the next meeting Wednesday, March 18th right after the PSO meeting. Please plan on attending.

The Power of the Pen team will be competing May 22nd.

The Science Olympiad team qualified for state meet but were unable to make it due to inclement weather but students will be recognized in a special manner. Great job!!

Kick It Kick-off will start Friday with a dress down day. Mrs. Schneider will be coordinating the weeks long event. Look at website for more information.

Testing: All testing will be completed by May 10th with the 8th grade starting off the testing. All testing will be in the morning in 2 hour blocks.

All grades take Math & Language Arts & 6th grade takes social studies & 8th grade takes science. These are the American Institute of Research (A.I.R.) tests mandated by the state.

8th graders will be in Washington DC May 10-13th.

BBHMS 7th & 8th grade Band concert May 18th

BBHMS 6thgrade Band concert on May 24th

**President’s Report:** Julie Guardado & Jen Dzina

A big-thank you to Sue Sbrocco & Tina Nelson for a great job on the 8th grade social. Kids loved the chipotle, the minute-to-win it games & the gift card raffles/prizes. Some thoughts to increase the pre-sale: charge moor at the door, send post-party wrap up survey, hold it later in the year.

Staff appreciation luncheon is on May 5th. Kathy Drinko will be sending out a sign-up genius.

The 2016-2017 Executive Board slate was handed out to all attendees. It is as follows:

Co-Presidents Julie Guardado & Jen Dzina

1st VP Khara Mack

2nd VP (fundraising) Jocelyn Butler, May Campo

Recording Secretary Angel Marshall

Communications Secretary Julie Zukauckas

Treasurer Dawn Papadatos

Council Delegates Kelly Petros, Kelly Policarpo

**Treasurer report:**

Cash on hand $34,559,96

With receipts of $5182.99 ticket sales from the play & expenses from 8th grade social of $565.63

The expenses for the play & the receipts for the 8th grade social are still outstanding.

**Council Delegate Report:**

BBH High school production of Legally Blonde will be held on April 22-23rd

CAPA prescription drug take back will be held on April 30th from 10 am to 1 PM

There will be drop-off bins at the preschool & elementary schools for book donations from 4/11 through 4/22.

Monday, August 5th is the back to school breakfast for staff.

August 17th is the first day of school.