# BBHMS PSO Meeting, 3/21/24, 9:30 A.M.

(Petra Laszlo, Joanie MacRaild, Linda Crouch, Mary Green, Lisa Galek, Rachel Haslow, Todd Rings, Jane Ciuni, Maria Schneider, Michele Abraham, Amy Forsythe, Brad Chase, Elizabeth McMillin)

# Call to Order (9:33 A.M.) /Pledge of Allegiance

**Greeting Co-Presidents** 

#### Staff Liason Report

- In French class, students are participating in the Manie Musicale 2024 !! They enjoy listening to new francophone songs and learning about francophone artists.



8th grade students in Innovation & Design class are designing stickers to be printed on our vinyl cutter/sticker maker! They are also creating designs to be produced on our laser engraver!

#### 7th grade students in STEM (7 specials)

1st & 5th period students built VEX IQ clawbots & are practicing controlling them and will start competing in tournaments soon!
8th period students are exploring the engineering design process and will

be using it to solve a unique problem and build a creative solution!

6th grade science students have started their March Mammal Madness tournament!



6th grade science students made working models of the human lungs.



8 Red Stuednts have started their Book Madness project. Lots of good books are being presented as the book every 8th grader should read. Before we leave for Spring Break we

will be down to our "Sweet 16" in each class.



The MS Music Department celebrated "Music In The Schools" Month in March. The Music Students presented a Choir Concert, Band Concert AND Orchestra Concerts this past week. The auditorium held a full house all 3 nights as the students sang and played their hearts out! We have some pretty amazing music students here at BBHMS!











# **Volleyball Championships & Pizza**













# Principal's Report

- Switching to Power School and Dazzle next year
- Concerts went well, full house
- German visitors today (5<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> period) in German class with Herr Moore
- There are quotes for gifts & goals (painting and carpeting)
- Stanley cups: please keep them at home. They are found all over the place and are expensive if "lost." Lots of time and effort spent on investigation.
- Snapchat event has been addressed.
- Event last night (3/20) at HS has been investigated and addressed.

- Question: period product update at board meeting, policy passed. We need to provide products in bathrooms. Answer: we will always have them in the clinic (privacy) and start providing in three bathrooms.
- DC is coming up
- Large track sports group, please pay fees before spring break
- Spring break starts tomorrow (kids are ready)
- Report cards available when we return
- Thank you to the PSO for the goodies that staff appreciation provided before break
- Congratulations to our Robotics Teams! Team 2011Z won the champion title and the excellence award. Team 2011W were finalists and both are going to worlds later this April.
- Model UN Teams: one team was a finalist, their resolution was accepted which has not happened to BBHMS in a long time. Congratulations!
- Several field trips. 7<sup>th</sup> grade to zoo and watershed. Permission slips going home soon.
- Board approved ongoing auditorium project (screens), hopefully ready for achievement night
- Teachers taking advantage of retirement incentive: Matt Auble, Mindy Boyne, Joe Butler

## Counseling Report

- 3rd quarter ending today (longest ever!)
- Rising 8<sup>th</sup> grader concluded elective scheduling, followed up with stragglers.
- Master schedule is being built, will work out conflicts (second preferences) sometime in May
- Rising 7<sup>th</sup> graders will schedule after spring break (music or no music)
- Working on Power School

# School Foundations Report

 Fundraising event went well, raised about \$19k for classroom grants

#### Capa Report

- Kelly Lazar is up at the HS for wellness fair (open to community members)
- Prevention Week here at the MS (stay away from drugs to prevent usage), also spirit week

## **Executive Board Reports**

#### -Co-Presidents

.Executive Board Slate 24-25:

Co-President	Petra Laszlo
Co-President	Stacy Lynch
1st VP - Programs	Sara Blayne
2nd VP - Fundraising, co-chair	Megan Haynes
2nd VP - Fundraising, co-chair	Nicole Kern
Recording Secretary	Courtney Riddles
Communications Secretary (website)	Jessica Gdovicak
Treasurer	Amy Forsythe
Council Delegate	Jason Kurlycheck
Council Delegate	Katie Batcheller

- Looking for sustainability chair, a co-chair for book fair and eighth grade social chair for next school year!
- ·Will vote on executive positions in April and install in May
- We received a thank you card from science teachers for classroom purchases
- -Vice President
- -Treasurer's Report
  - ·Will scan
- -Fundraising Report
- -Council Delegate report

(see PSO Council website for minutes: BBH PSO Council - Home)

#### **Committee Reports**

- -Spring musical
- April 13-14, two shows Saturday, one Sunday
- -Book Fair
  - .April 9-12
- -Staff appreciation
- -Socials
- One remains, 8<sup>th</sup> grade on May 31<sup>st</sup>
- -Spirit wear
  - New sales every month
- -Membership
- -Newsletter submissions
  - ·All committees should be sending Julie Hess newsletter submissions juleshess8@gmail.com

#### **New Business**

Meeting Adjourned at 10:12 A.M.