



Hillcrest Academy Home & School Association (HAHSA)

Tuesday, March 29, 2022

7:00 pm

Via Zoom

HAHSA meeting

Attendees: Renee Neratzas, Maria Guglielmino, Karen Palassian, Jennifer Charbonneau, Theodora Zikos, Dora Tavares, Jefferey Drake, Patrick Cristofaro, Lola Moyle, Naushine Bakali, Jennifer Maselli, Sheyda Senoglu, Catherine Kapogiannatos, Sotoria Kamperogiannis, Andrea Chotintomadis, Cathy Carbone, Katerina Stavriadis, Maria Almedia, Sylva Yapoudjian, Tania Creswell, Tanya Rembacz, Frangiska Xenopoulos, Izabella Truschnigg, Angie Lazanis

Guest: Jennifer Butler

Absent: Maria Dimopoulos, Lucy Makris, Jenny Georgopoulos, Athena Kuimanis, Shannon Capstick, Danielle LeBlanc, Kia Cunningham, Veronica Morgentaler

Minutes

Agenda item: *1. Approval of Agenda* **Presenter:** Renee Neratzas

- The agenda is approved by Karen P. and seconded by Maria G.

Agenda item: *2. Approval of Minutes – February 15, 2022* **Presenter:** Renee Neratzas

- The February 15, 2022, minutes are approved by Kathy S. and seconded by Maria A.

Agenda item: *3. Business Arising* **Presenter:** Renee Neratzas

Discussion:

Corrections to the February 22 minutes

Section 3.1: class by class, not gym. Section 3.2: School can contract bouncers.

3.1 Fundraising

Big Box Fundraising which has 2 different box collections: all birthday cards and all occasion cards, which are all in English. 33 cards per box at a cost of \$33 each where we get \$10 kickback. Sell dates will be April 29 to May 16. Distribution will be approx. 2-3 weeks. Renee motions to vote: 23 votes on zoom. All in favor.

3.2 Fun Day Sub Committee

We need to create a Fun Day Sub Committee for them to organize the event. Catherine K wants to help. All the members of the subcommittee must be present for the 2 days (day before to prep and day of event).

3.3 End of Year Fun Day Carnival

Will be held on June 21. We'll have ginormous bouncers and will need generators. Kathy Stav mentions she will verify for generator rental with prices. Price approx. 2.8K Renee motions: 23 votes. All in favor.

3.4 Uniform Rep

Got a huge email from Top Marks. Needs to schedule a meeting with them. Sales are down 18% from last year due to the Athletic Merch sales. We received the check from them. Jeffrey makes a note that Top Marks was closed since the pandemic, and they haven't visited the school for fittings.

Agenda item: *4.1 Principal/Vice Principal's Report* **Presenter:** Jennifer Butler

Discussion:

- April will be busy, and they're excited for the Sugar Shack trip.



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- Second floor on way to install air conditioners for June. Received a generous \$500 donation to kick off 1st floor ac fundraiser.
- Reading week is coming up.
- Parent-teacher interviews coming up.
- Raised \$907 for Ukraine. Sandy will be bringing donations and funds to the Ukrainian church.
- Grade 6 info: \$2000 of the funds were transferred for use of bussing for their camping trip in June. Also gifting a t-shirt for grads. Food trucks with dessert for June 10.

Agenda item:	4.2 President's Report	Presenter:	Renee Neratzas
Discussion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• There was a special meeting about the sugar shack trip. Thanks everyone who was able to discuss and vote. HAHSA donating \$4670 towards field trip and school matched the amount.• Cathy Carbone, Karen, Renee, and Maria have worked together to update the constitution bylaws and contacted QFHSA to update the missing info. Last update of the constitution was in 2019.• Voting online: Zoom vs. email. When done by zoom people can participate in the discussion.• BBQ/End of Year Fun Day scheduled for June.• Reptizoo scheduled for May.		
Agenda item:	4.3 Vice President's Report	Presenter:	Sheyda Senoglu
Discussion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nothing to report		
Agenda item:	4.4 Treasurer's Report	Presenter:	Maria Guglielmino
Discussion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Maria shares the monthly updates (pdf will be attached)		
Agenda item:	4.5 Governing Board Representative's Report	Presenter:	Theodora Zikos
Discussion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nothing to report		
Agenda item:	4.6 Charity Director's Report	Presenter:	Cathy Carbone
Discussion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nothing to report		
Agenda item:	4.7 Fundraising Director's Report	Presenter:	Karen Palassian
Discussion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Afterschool activities – registration is going well. Over capacity for Fusion Sports and dance. Cooking classes sold out in 3 days. Soccer is quite popular. Less registrations for Greek. Kathy Stav mentions that kids who already speak Greek at home or are too advanced aren't learning anything. She suggests a beginner's class and an advanced class for the next year.• Used uniform sale and Super Recycleur scheduled for April 30.		
Agenda item:	4.8 QFHSA Representative's Report	Presenter:	Naushine Bakali
Discussion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nothing to report.		
Agenda item:	4.9 Uniform Representative's Report	Presenter:	Angie Lazanis



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Discussion: • See 3.4 and 4.7

Agenda item: *4.10 Photo Representative's Report*

Presenter: Dora Tavares
Tania Creswell

Discussion: • Nothing to report.

Agenda item: *4.11 Head Volunteer*

Presenter: Kathy Stavriadis
Catherine
Kapogiannatos

Discussion: • Nothing to report

Agenda item: *4.12 Hospitality Directors*

Presenter: Danielle LeBlanc (abs)
Kia Cunningham (abs)
Hiba Aziz (abs)
Jennifer Maselli

Discussion: • Nothing to report

Agenda item: *4.13 Cycle Representatives*

Presenter: **Pre-K:** Sylva Yapoudjan
K: Veronica
Morgentaler (abs)
I: Debbie Psilios
Patrick Cristofaro
II: Jefferey Drake
Mimi Sara (abs)
III: Lola Moyle
Sotoria Kamperogiannis

Discussion: • Nothing to report

Agenda item: *5. Varia/Question Period*

Presenter: Renee Neratzas

Discussion: • Nothing to report

Agenda item: *6. Date of Next Meeting*

Presenter: Renee Neratzas

Discussion: • Tuesday May 3, 2022 at 7pm.

Agenda item: *7. Adjournment*

Presenter: Renee Neratzas

Discussion: • Adjournment at 7:58pm motioned by Renee and seconded by Maria G & Patrick.