

**UNION MIDDLE SCHOOL  
HOME & SCHOOL CLUB  
MEETING MINUTES  
1/11/2018**

**Meeting Called to Order 6:30**

**Question:** New Years Resolution?

Rama Nemani	Karla Carlen	James Sawaya
Maureen Currie	Jacqui Miles	Mr. Feinberg
Mrs. Mantell	Angie Liu	Erica Osman
Doug Evans	Christie Killen	

**Minute Approval Meeting**

- Doug Evans motion, Mr. Feinberg second; Approved
- Abstentions: James, Maureen

**Treasurer's Report**

- Please see posted "Treasurer's Report"
- Alec absent; Rama Read the numbers

**Four Leaf Membership Directory**

- Four Leaf Directory is up and running; all parents are in the system
- Next year won't collect yellow forms but we will be promoting online registration

**PLC Report**

- District auditor attended meeting
- Discussed was how much cash you should be carrying on your books at any one time; suggested amount is 10% of your planned revenue so we are a bit over
- Question was raised if we could lose 501 Status; doesn't happen very often but it DOES happen
- We are not close to that point yet but we should continue to have conversations on how to spend down our surplus

**Nominating Committee**

- We need volunteers for the committee
- Please update your job descriptions so we have current information

- Karla would like folks who currently hold positions to update their job duties; jobs are listed on the HSC Website and can be downloaded and updated
- Please inform Karla over the next couple of weeks if you will be continuing on at your position or if you are moving on

### **Sports Boosters**

- Dodge Ball Tournament Fundraiser to be organized by Maureen, Jennifer Fosco & Kris Suzuki
- Tentatively scheduled for Thursday March 3/29

### **Graduation Dance**

- Committee will be asking families for voluntary monetary donations smaller than past years
- HSC will be contributing to the Grad dance budget with some of our outstanding surplus of funds and leftover graduation income from past years
- Committee meetings are taking place over January; hope to get forms out in February

### **mPower**

- Meeting taking place on 1/29 & 1/30
- 6<sup>th</sup> grade discusses bullying
- 7<sup>th</sup> grade will discuss sexual harassment
- 8<sup>th</sup> will discuss bullying in dating relationships

### **Art Vista**

- No Art Vista Report this month

### **Drama**

- Over 100 kids signed up; 26 boys!
- Christie's observations so far is that the program is very positive, low key, fun, and organized

### **Music Boosters**

- Concert was successful but VERY crowded
- Mr. K is at 70% of goal for collections
- Boosters is good with funds; hoping to build another shed due to growing number of band members
- Mr. Feinberg and Mr. Kay are discussing different options to reduce the crowd numbers and concerts in the future
- Ideas include concerts over several nights, by grade level, etc.
- Hoping to plan a couple of more Chef's Nights Out. 3/14 (not on calendar) Chipotle 5/16 (on calendar)

### **Special Projects**

- Rama has offered to buy all the snacks for this year's dances, so HSC will buy 40-50 Pizzas for the next school dance

### **Field Day Lunch**

- No report this month

### **Principal's Report**

- Graduation – Thursday 6/7 at 7:00 – 8:15; Graduation dance will start immediately after
- Child Abuse Prevention Speaker – all schools will be participating
- Going Digital with our report cards – parents will be emailed a link and access number to download their report cards; this quarter will be the first roll out
- Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> grade class is about 390 students; we're doing some planning on how to accommodate the larger group
- Mrs. Malatesta is back from maternity leave
- Leigh Parent Night – 1/16; reminder went out this evening
- Book Night 1/19 in the gym 6-8 PM
- Looking for some support in tech dept. while Mrs. Adams is on leave
- Construction
  - End of January for Basketball courts should be done
  - Mid March (hopefully) for track; praying it will be done for track season
  - Seating for the track; we will be using some bleachers purchased a few years ago; may purchase more

**Next Meeting Thursday Feb 8<sup>th</sup> 8:30 AM – possible speakers are from the ELA staff**

**Meeting Adjourned 8:00**