

**R.O.H.S. PTSA
MEETING MINUTES 1/28/08**

- 1. Call to Order:** 7:02 p.m.
- 2. Minutes of 11/26/07:** Motion to approve passed.
- 3. Principal's Report: Mr. Greening**
 - Outdoor spring cleanup in April, let Candy know if interested.
 - PINNACLE Internet Viewer- check your kid's grades online, will improve communication between staff and parents
 - think about changes in marking periods 6/yr now to 4/yr potentially for next year
 - district is looking at voluntary, random drug testing program, want to be proactive
 - thanked PTSA for exam snacks- big hit with students & staff
- 4. Treasurer Report: Madeleine Taylor**
 - request line item change for exam snacks to \$500 (income and expense) and change craft fair expenses to \$2500 – motion passes
 - IRS 990 to be sent in this week to maintain nonprofit status
- 5. Teacher Report: Mr. Decker**
 - Volleyball marathon Feb. 29-March 1, needs chaperones
- 6. School Board- no report**
- 7. Committee Reports**
 - Nominating Comm.-** Libby Benton reminded that we need 3-5 members- Jeannie Dolson, Cindy Murphy, Clemens Wittekind, Janet Norling, Michele Moore volunteered. Will present slate of next year's Board at next meeting.
 - S.A.N.P. Carole Mason:** about 90 tickets sold; profit of about \$4800 from raffle, another in April and asking parents of seniors to sell 5 each; will take volunteer parents from any grade; Scrip order due March 7; Noodles fundraiser successful; next mtg. Feb. 11
 - Exam Snacks: Audrey Durnion-** sold bagels, muffins, water, fruit at breaks, very successful, idea is to sell cheaply- not a fundraiser, thanked volunteer parents
 - Founders Day Banquet: Libby Benton** – sign up and pay up tonight, \$25
 - Academic Honors: Patti Andreski** – April 9th, evening program 6-9 p.m. in auditorium, snacks in cafeteria, each grade will have own time. Sticking with present requirements except grades will be by semester; needs another committee member; still doing achievement letter and 9th grade citizenship award; committee is Patti, Sam Lynch, Michael Greening, Madeleine Taylor, Angela Ashburn

Newsletter: Madeleine Taylor – mailed last one 12/6; will do one in March and one in May; still on budget; send any news for March by 2/5

Website: Madeleine Taylor – eNews- click on link on district website to sign up

Health & Welfare: Clemens Wittekind – wants to form a committee and meet to brainstorm, has done some research on bullying; from the district Health & Sex Ed Advisory Comm. – new curriculum for 9th grade Health this year, teachers positive, would like to have seen more community members at hearing; looking to add new curriculum to elementary, watch for hearings; looking for a new curriculum for Churchill

Legislative: Clemens Wittekind – Advocacy Day with state legislators in Lansing, Thursday, Feb. 7, 9-3 at the Radisson, he can't go this year but it's worthwhile if anyone else is interested.

8. President's Report: Candy Ather-Putman –

PTSA State Convention- May 2-4 in Midland, any member is welcome and encouraged to attend; thanks to all committees and volunteers

9. Unfinished Business none

10. New Business

-Royal Oak Youth Assistance, report by Bette Wendland, need parents to be on various committees and the Board, 248-546-8282 for more information

-Shirley Lake, RO Rotary, Youth Exchange Program looking for a home for one female exchange student for the remainder of the school year, see handout

-Patti Brown, R.O.H.S. Athletic Boosters, fundraiser at Mark Ridley's Thursday

-Candy Ather-Putman, do we want a speaker on law related to minors?

Overwhelming positive response, will schedule for Feb. 25 at next PTSA mtg.

-Mena Murray- 30+ years teacher/coach Jim George passed away, would like us to think of how PTSA could honor him, and decide at next month's meeting what to donate to

11. Meeting adjourned.