



Hillcrest Academy Home & School Association (HAHSA)

Tuesday, January 11, 2022
7:00 pm
Via Zoom

HAHSA meeting

Attendees: Renee Neratzas, Maria Guglielmino, Karen Palassian, Jennifer Charbonneau, Cathy Carbone, Katerina Stavriadis, Theodora Zikos, Dora Tavares, Jefferey Drake, Maria Almedia, Sylva Yapoudjian, Tania Creswell, Patrick Cristofaro, Danielle LeBlanc, Lola Moyle, Kia Cunningham, Andrea Chotintomadis, Izabella Truschnigg, Naushine Bakali, Jennifer Maselli

Guest: Jennifer Butler, Sotoria Kamperogiannis

Absent: Maria Dimopoulos, Hiba Aziz, Maria Patstis, Vanessa Mastrgiorgio, Mimi Sara, Lucy Makris, Jenny Georgiopoulos, Angie Lazanis, Athena Kuimanis, Veronica Morgentaler, Sheyda Senoglu, Catherine Kapogiannatos, Despina Psilios, Shannon Capstick, Tanya Rembacz, Frangiska Xenopoulos

Minutes

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

- The agenda is approved by Cathy C. and seconded by Karen P.

Agenda item: 2. *Approval of Minutes – November 16, 2021* **Presenter:** Renee Neratzas

- The November 16, 2021 minutes are approved by Renee and seconded by Maria G.

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

Discussion:

3.1 Teacher Appreciation Week

J. Maselli created a group of 5 people to help hospitality group.

Monday – coffee & croissants

Tuesday – Teacher survival kit

Wednesday – Cupcake cart

Thursday – Personalized pens or utensils & lunch

Friday – Boxed brunch/lunch

Budget of \$1500 however will ask parents for donations.

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

- Discussion:**
- We were able to meet everyone's expectations for computers & tablets when school closed.
 - Tip of the hat for the teachers for being on the ball with adapting quickly.

Agenda item: 4.2 *President's Report* **Presenter:** Renee Neratzas

- Discussion:**
- Book fair was a great success and shout out to Karen and the other volunteers for all of their help.
 - Holiday decorations: Thanks hospitality & Sheyda + committee for decorating the school.



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- Punch a tree couldn't be done due to early school closure. Would like to do it when students come back.
- Brunch will be postponed to a later date. TBD with school/teacher council meeting.

Agenda item: *4.3 Vice President's Report* **Presenter:** Sheyda Senoglu (abs)

Discussion:

- Nothing to report

Agenda item: *4.4 Treasurer's Report* **Presenter:** Maria Guglielmino

Discussion:

- Maria screen shared the updated budget. Will need info regarding rebate cheque with Top Marks & Editions Vaudreuil.
- Will have budget copy annexed to minutes, where the afterschool budget will be as well.
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Agenda item: *4.5 Governing Board Representative's Report* **Presenter:** Theodora Zikos

Discussion:

- Nothing to report

Agenda item: *4.6 Charity Director's Report* **Presenter:** Cathy Carbone

Discussion:

- Nothing to report

Agenda item: *4.7 Fundraising Director's Report* **Presenter:** Karen Palassian

Discussion:

- Asks to vote with Governing Board regarding Fundsript to be used all year.
- Kathy S. asks about grad fundraisers. J. Butler mentions that as it's with the school, the teachers will be more "on hands". Will probably do the same thing as last year.

Agenda item: *4.8 QFHSA Representative's Report* **Presenter:** Naushine Bakali

Discussion:

- Nothing to report.

Agenda item: *4.9 Uniform Representative's Report* **Presenter:** Angie Lazanis

Discussion:

- Nothing to report.

Agenda item: *4.10 Photo Representative's Report* **Presenter:** Dora Tavares
Tania Creswell

Discussion:

- Options for photographers next year as Lifetouch has terrible customer service with no replies to emails. There's also the 1 pose vs. 2 pose situation we had last September.



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Evote results done after meeting:

FUNDSCIP has been approved.

Data	Response	%
YES	22	84.62%
NO	3	11.54%
ABSTAIN	1	3.85%

ENFANTSCLIK! has been chosen as the first choice

Data	Response	%
Enfantsclik!	17	70.83%
MELANIE WAND PHOTOGRAPHY	5	20.83%
FOTOPLUS	2	8.33%

School wide treats for Spirit week has been approved

Data	Response	%
YES	25	96.15%
NO	1	3.85%
ABSTAIN	0	0.00%

TAW budget of 1500\$ has been approved

Data	Response	%
YES	24	92.31%
NO	1	3.85%
ABSTAIN	1	3.85%

EDITIONS VAUDREUIL:

Data	Response	%
YES	22	100.00%
NO	0	0.00%
ABSTAIN	0	0.00%