



*** ** P. O. Box 752 *** Helotes, TX 78023 *** **

Minutes of September 6, 2011 Meeting

Meeting started at 7:00 p.m.

- Board Member Introductions

Treasurer's report – We have approximately \$14120.66 in our account. Julie passed our projected income/deficits for this coming year. Budget voted on and accepted. Treasurer will set up a spreadsheet account for each student to fundraise. This will allow the students to build up money to use towards school activities such as Thes-fest, trips, meals, shirts, Theatre Banquet, etc...

- Fundraising: Janice will provide an outline of fundraising activities for 2011-2012 at next meeting. Some ideas include:
 - Coca-Cola Products
 - After school Concessions
 - Program Ads; Break-A-Leg Ads
- Committees--Need parents to volunteer to head the following: (Donna Gustin has offered to help set up committees)
 - By-laws review committee: Jeff Bright and Robert Jimenez have volunteered.
 - Cornyval: Donna Gustin offered shredded beef or creamed corn as other ideas **if** we cannot sell paletas.
 - Fan Grams:
 - SAEF:
 - Coke Products: (Held in February - March)
 - After-school concessions dates: 9/12 Janice M, 9/26-Vicky and Julie, 10/17-Donna G. and Janice M., 10/31-Donna G., 11/7 Janice M, 12/5 Janice M.
 - Production day dinners: Donna G. volunteered a dessert.
 - T-shirt orders(pre-order from Alamo T's)"Unsinkable Molly Brown"
 - Senior Scholarships: (Held in February)
 - Ticket sales: Teachers will sell tickets throughout the day in the black box. Still want parents to sell at lunches.
 - Panther Pride picnic: will need volunteers to help at beginning of the year.
 - Donna Gustin has volunteered photography for any events.

Parent offered "SignupGenius.com" as a way for parents to volunteer
- Dates for productions can be found can be found on Ms. Parker's CMS page: Cheri.Parker@nisd.net
- Julie Busse has volunteered to create a webpage or Facebook page for ODMP
- **Old Business:**
 - Theatre Banquet was held on stage last year; might do this again.
 - Storage unit at Storage Mart. Unit has been paid for by ODMP and will be used by Drama department as well.
 - Lock box is in the teacher's office. Used for students to make payments for activities.
- **New Business:**
 - Background check: everyone must do this in order to volunteer on campus or to work with students. Please do this online.
 - Thespian Induction, Troupe 5872: September 16, 2011 at 6:00 p.m. in the black box. We have 23 new inductees.
 - Season Tickets: students will also earn money in an account held by Ms. Parker for tickets sold. Please buy tickets!
- **Department News:**
 - Senior Directed Shows: Have 1 show scheduled for October 20, 2011 @ 7:00, "Frankenstein". We will have 2 shows scheduled in January.
 - "Harvey" is scheduled for November 4-5. We will give more details at next meeting.
 - Thespian Festival will be December 1- 3, 2011. Fees are \$375.00 per person. ODMP will provide snacks and breakfast items. We will need a male chaperon. Please volunteer.
 - Musical will be "The Unsinkable Molly Brown" held on February 2-4.
 - No trip scheduled for this year, but will start planning this spring break for next year.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.