

**Gibbsboro HSA  
2/26/15  
Minutes**

**I. Call of Order**

In Attendance: Officers - Ginna Ebersole, Kathy Alexander, Denise Prosser, Leyanna Benfield. Not in Attendance: Barb Gerace, Diane Johns

General Members: Nicole Sengdetka, Caryn Polin, Lisa Davies, Rachel Hagan, Jennifer Rothberg, Holly Basmajian, Carri White, Emily Maggioncalda, Debbie Simone, Erin Lee

Guest: Mary Anne Hojnowski.

**II. Approval of Minutes**

January 2015 Minutes – 1<sup>st</sup> approved by Lisa Davies, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Leyanna Benfield.

**III. Treasurer's Report**

Bingo Account – Balance \$15,963.92

General Account – Balance \$7,325.64, includes library money.

a. Request from Mrs. Grimm for printer ink

Mrs. Grimm has requested color ink for the large printer in the library. This printer is used by faculty and students. She received a color cartridge from the Rotary Club last year but it is running out of ink. We will look into prices and how often the ink needs to be replaced.

b. Request from Ms. Slocum

Every year Mrs. Patterson had a wooden wall plaque made with the name of each graduating student painted on it. She asked that this commemoration retire with her. Thus, Ms. Slocum has asked for approximately \$90.00 to make shadow boxes to commemorate the graduating class.

c. Gift Cards for Maintenance Staff

We are going to give \$50.00 bank cards to each of 6 maintenance staff members as a thank you for all they do. Vote passes None Opposed.

#### **IV. Chat with Mr. Thorp**

Mr. Thorp was not in attendance.

#### **V. Bunny Dinner**

Mary Anne Hojnowski will organize this event. We would like to hold the Bunny Dinner on Saturday, March 21 from 3:00 to 6:00. We will serve pizza and chips and have an egg hunt and games. We will ask everyone to bring a dessert. We will look into the price for pizza.

#### **VI. Past Events**

- a. Coach Bingo – This event was a huge success. Thank you to everyone on the committee.

#### **VII. Ongoing Fundraisers**

- a. Boxtops for Education – Boxtops are due February 26 for the school year. Next year we would like to have a visual aid in the school showing how each class is doing. We can also have it announced on Spartan News.
- b. Target Take Charge of Education – We received a check for \$413.00. Please sign up, it's easy.
- c. Campbell's Labels for Education – Please send your labels in to school.

#### **VIII. Speedy Spartans**

Speedy Spartans would like to buy 500 more charms at a cost of \$80 to \$100. Right now they are reusing feet from previous years. Carri White donated \$100 of Mary Kay money for Speedy Spartans. Vote passes to give this \$100 to Speedy Spartans. None Opposed.

#### **IX. Teacher and Staff Survey Results**

Several teachers requested Ellis Machine letters. These are die cut letters and shapes used for Bulletin Boards. We have the machine, they are asking for the die cut forms. Senora Axman asked for money for a trip or takeout meal from a Spanish restaurant or other cultural event. Mrs. Scott requested recess supplies. We would rather buy

smaller items than one large item. We want to push for suggestions and get this done, however we do want to wait until after Night Under the Stars. The teachers should fill out a Request for Funds form and come to a meeting to present their requests.

**X. Upcoming Events**

- a. Dinner Out at Frankie D's - Thursday, March 26. Next month we want to do Chipotle. When you attend a dinner out you should check your receipt. It should say "fundraiser" on it.
- b. Bake Sale – we need people to help at the bake sale as it goes much smoother. Next year things may change pursuant to state law and it is possible the bake sale may not start until 3:45.

**XI. Night Under the Stars**

May 1 from 6:00 to 11:00. We want to have dancing and a photo booth. We will send out a "Save the Date" flyer emphasizing that we are back in Gibbsboro. We will look into placing a notice in the Town Crier. We have a choice of 1 –BYOB, 2- a bartender provided by Lakeside Manor free of charge where we would provide the alcohol and sell tickets. We would then return the unused alcohol, or 3-charging \$40 per ticket and providing an open bar. We will check with an attorney regarding BYOB language on the ticket. Our cost is \$25 per head. The next Night Under the Stars meeting is Wednesday, March 4.

**XII. Elections**

Nominations are next month. We will need an election committee.

**XIII. Sunshine**

A card was sent to the Kassekert family.

**XIV. New Business**

We discussed a Family Fun Night Skating Party. We will discuss this further next month.

**XV. Dunkin Donuts Gift Card Winner – Mary Anne Hojnowski**

**XVI. Adjournment – 7:55 pm**