Walnut Hills High School (Parent) Association April 27, 2022 WHHS

Executive Board: Angela Robinson, Peg Reed

Voting Directors: Olivia Ballard, Pete Riddle, Cathy Reidy, Ro Clark, Missi Kershner, Anne

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Non-Voting Auxiliary Members: N/A

Ex Officio Members: Margo Fisher-Bellman

**Interested Others**: N/A

#### ILT:

- The bell schedule for next school year has been approved (split 4th bell, 3 lunches = old schedule)
- Open House proposal for informal event at beginning of school year
  - o This item was tabled
- The district is ending semester exams
  - Walnut will retain them
- AP Exams they discussed when/how students can leave early
- There is a freeze for positions until enrollment comes up
- May 18th last meeting of term

# LSDMC:

- The website was addressed at the last meeting
  - In collaboration with the graphic design class, design of the new website will begin (following completion of the brand)

## **Hospitality:**

- Faculty and staff appreciation luncheon coming up 04May2022
  - o Food has been ordered from Mazunte and the bill has been paid
  - o Quarter zip pullovers for all staff should be ready to distribute the same day

#### LOE:

- Approximately \$101,000 raised for the 2021/2022 school year
  - This slightly exceeds donations for the 2019/2020 and 2020/2021 school years for donations (~95K and 97K, respectively)
- Staff appreciation week donations were approximately \$2,200.
- New chair for LOE needed

### WalnutFest:

• Raised \$13,600.

- Part sign-ups continue
- Chairperson is needed for this event for next year

# Updates from each area/grade level

# 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grade:

- Twilight ball was a success
  - Going to create/circulate a satisfaction survey (to improve Boogie Bash and Twilight Ball going forward)
  - o Trying to reconcile money check is on its way from the district
- Discussion
  - Need to buy money bag(s) with locks on them
  - Suggestion to make a document on how to handle money (procedures)
  - Suggestion to purchase plastic footlockers to lock decorations
    - Ensure purchased items are used for intended purpose
    - Store in the designated closet (re: gym)
    - Suggestion to buy trees and store them securely
      - Someone will price them and get estimate

# 9<sup>th</sup> grade:

- Spring Fling Dance was a success
  - Need to find a volunteer to work on this for next year

# 10<sup>th</sup> grade:

A Taste of 10.0 was canceled; kids participated in the Spring Fling with the 9<sup>th</sup> grade

# 11<sup>th</sup> grade:

• Prom was a success with over 800 students in attendance

# 12<sup>th</sup> grade:

• Senior dinner dance in May (had to be rescheduled due to conflict)

#### Theatre:

- The teachers have received half of the schedule E stipends they are due and are expected to receive the other half in June
- Lend Me a Tenor attendance has been light
  - o Many conflicts with other performance, dances, etc
- Guys and Dolls Jr, the junior high musical is in May
- Mr. Sherman has requested funds for a sound board and training on the software
  - Theater department's soundboard is ten years out of date
- A lightboard is also needed and the Parent association may be funding, but they
  might have found funding through alumni foundation

#### WHIP:

 While the issue with schedule E compensation has been partially resolved, it is not fully corrected yet  Teachers have received partial payments, but many received incorrect amounts

## Finance:

- 2 reports went out (the budget for 2022-2023) has been completed and circulated
- \$199k in the bank
- Net positive position, but there is a \$30-35k expected expenditures for the next 5 weeks
- We will probably break even
- At least one expenditure is being paid for by alumni foundation
- Predicting a 15k surplus next year
- Not enough voting members to vote on the finance report, voting will be on the internet (something will be sent out)
- Welcome to Michele Kay who will take over the treasurer position on 30Jun2022

## Any other business:

NA