



***MPACT General Meeting
Mountainside High School
1/19/2022, 7:04 PM***

Zoom Meeting, 7:00 PM

Meeting was called to order by Dani Cohen at 7:04 PM; minutes recorded by Benedicte Balcher

In Attendance: Dani Cohen, Julie Blaufuss, Kelly Hansen, Paul Fracasso, Todd Corsetti, Benedicte Balcher, Lori Thune, Lisa Dennis Hwa, Kristen Yoerger, Monica Renfro, Christina Krauss, Shawna Rinaldi

President's Report - Dani Cohen

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- Snack bar for staff during opportunity week. Will send out sign up for parents
- Still need 2nd VP of marketing for this year and VP of concessions
- March 16th, next general meeting District will present information on new bond measure

- Motion to approve the minutes from the November meeting

Motion made by Dani Cohen, second by Julie Blaufuss.

Minutes approved

Principal's report - Todd Corsetti

- COVID better this week than last. 20% absenteeism from both teachers and students was the threshold for looking at remote learning. Highest from staff was 18%. Today Wednesday was 8% staff out, 18% students.
- Dance and stuff the stables events canceled. Virtual assembly instead and spirit week.
- Opportunity week coming at the end of the semester. Might not look like a regular finals week. Early release Tuesday through Thursday. No more final week. More about giving kids an opportunity to meet targets and finish acquiring skills.
- Forecasting coming up in February for incoming freshmen, March for the other grades.
- Tests are available at the school for staff and students that may need it during school hours
- ACT on April 5th for juniors. PSAT for sophomores, Community day for seniors. Still deciding for freshmen
- IB testing in May

Treasurer Report – Julie Blaufuss

- Budget: Copy of the budget is available on the MPACT website, mountainsidepact.org. Go to the events tab then calendar. Find the meeting and all relevant docs will be there.
- Fundraising has been curtailed some because of COVID.

- Bank fees are higher because everything is online so square fee is more etc...

VP report - Lori Thune

- We had planned to have indoor concessions for basketball games but that was canceled by the district. We are still moving forward so we are ready when concessions can resume. Working with team volunteer captains
- Scholarship committee: up and running but we need parents to review scholarship applications.

VP Merchandising - Christina

- Holiday shop did really well
- Some supply chain issues with the new items coming in
- Online store is open and we have a few items in youth sizes

Fundraising – Julie Blaufuss

- Dining for dollars events canceled by restaurants due to lack of staffing.
- Silent auction procurement has started. We will use an app that takes a % of sales. No need to invest in expensive software. Contact Julie for donations
- Electronics recycling event on 4/23 at Al's Home & Garden

Grad party - Paul Fracasso

- Grad night is an all night party on graduation day. Safe way to celebrate.
- Still looking at transportation option
- Fundraising with bottle drop every month.
- Hoping 300 seniors will attend
- Already 195 tickets sold
- Texas Hold'em party waiting for approval from the board

VP Marketing - Lisa Dennis Hwa

- Follow us on instagram @mountainside_mpact

Volunteer coordinators - Kristen Yoerger

- Not much going on since everything has been shut down again
- Update COVID vaccine info in better impact so ready when things open up

Meeting adjourned at 7:57pm by dani Cohen

Next general meeting March 16th with District bond presentation