

Washington High School PPA
Meeting Minutes
April 1, 2010

President Lisa Thirbeck called the meeting to order at 7pm, in the choir room and welcomed everyone. Eleven members were in attendance.

Program

Megan Witte – Dance Team Head Coach, presented the program. Megan reviewed the Dance Teams winning season and shared their successes. She shared information about their upcoming try-outs and recruiting opportunities of freshman in the next school year. It is Megan's hope to have more Performance Opportunities to show off the Dance Teams Talents.

Dance Team Record
Prairie – 3rd Poms
State – 1st Poms / 6th Jazz
CR US Cellular – 1st Poms / 2nd Jazz

Executive Committee Reports

Secretary – The March 8, 2010 minutes were approved.

Treasurer - The Treasurer's Report presented by Danielle Rings was approved.

Committee Reports

MOSHOW – Nancy Hart thanked everyone for there help in producing a successful Show Competition this year. Although the numbers for participants were down she believed that they were looking at a Revenue Profit in the \$30,000.00 range. At the time of her report, not all the receipts had been turned in.

There was also feedback that more groups plan on participating next year so we should anticipate for that.

Hall Of Fame – Mr. Shanley, Band Director, recommended that Robert Nassif be considered for the Hall of Fame. He summarized briefly about his many career achievements and contributions to WHS. Shellie Bell moved that Robert Nassif be Inducted into the Hall of Fame. It was seconded by Len Struttman. The motion was passed by unanimous vote. The Induction Ceremony will be held at the last Vocal Concert in May.

Administration Report

Dr. Plagman presented an excerpt of the upcoming school newsletter. He asked for the group to review for accuracy and comment. The section focused on the fundraising arms PPA, Athletic Boosters, Blue Ribbon, and Friends of Debate. It went into great detail to explain how funds are raised and how the funds are distributed with specific dollar amounts. At the urging of the PPA, this information was requested to be communicated in the Newsletter to reach a broader range of Performing Arts Families.

Frankfurter Fest – Suzanne Coleman commented as Molly Williams was not available. Things were underway. This year there would be an emphasis on cash donations for food in lieu of actual food items. They would still request baked goods.

New Business – There was group discussion regarding how to leave the Operating Account for next year. Discussion included balance required, moving monies into a CD, or leaving balance alone depending on interest rates. The item was tabled so that Danielle could look into policy.

The next PPA meeting will be Tuesday, May 11th at the home of Lisa & Greg Thirnbeck. Rather than a Program, there will be a combined meeting and social gathering.

The Meeting was adjourned at 8PM

Karen Matthews on behalf of Diana Neppi, Secretary