

Oakmont Regional High School Council Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, March 1, 2017

4:00 pm– 5:30 pm

**Oakmont Regional High School
NIMS LIBRARY**

4:05 Call to Order-Nims Library

Attendance: Kris Bogosh, Paula Stefanakos, Sarah Lashua, Maura Leblanc, Laurynn Bedard, Emily , Liam Cole, Patrick Marchand, Christine Kerravala, Ina Carey, Jakki Therrien, Christine Eddy

Approval of Minutes: February 2017

Updates/Activities

Student-

Freshmen- Liam~ Finished t-shirt sign ups, 35-40 sales so far
Buffalo Wild Wings fundraiser March 22nd

Sophomore- Emily

Prom Venue booked~ Wachusett Mt. Still looking at DJs
Kringle candle fundraiser coming

Junior- Patrick Marchand~ Prom Committee meeting for Friday,
working on details

Fundraiser coming~ Discount tickets

Senior- Lauren Bedard

-Great turnout for class trip sign ups. 135 have signed up and given a deposit!!
Trip is a day in Boston: Codzilla, shopping, tour of Fenway Park, Blue Man Group, and dinner at the Chateaux outside of the city

-Working with Mrs. Cote on the Dodgeball Tournament Friday March 10th

-Picking class submission of t-shirt design . Cost will be covered by the class.

Student Council- Maura Leblanc ~Mr. Oakmont is tonight at 7.

March MASC conference next week down the Cape. Mostly sophomores and juniors attending. Will be fundraising for Special Olympics bucket

Teacher

Mrs. Therrien~ French Club making crepes for Mr. Oakmont
Intermission, French NHS induction was Feb. 2nd. 17 inducted. Each committed to tutoring. Will also be educating student body about French

Bri Richard~ President

Stella Ikuzwe~ Vice President

Olivia Young~ Treasurer

Others

Mrs. Bogosh

Harmony Week~ April 10-14

Foundation Grant to have speaker John Morello for the
Wednesday

President's Council working on other events,

Student council doing sticky, supportive comments
Other events are in the works

All of Me movie being shown Thursday the 2nd regarding Eating disorders. Students encouraged to attend, even to recognize signs in others

Information

- Budget Update (Outline from SC presentation)
 - Presented last night to school committee
 - Same issues and numbers as mentioned last month
 - Presented what each requested positions mean to us
 - Also provided a comparison to the enrollment and teacher ratio to other local districts. We have the highest. Discussed the restrictions the cuts have continued to place on providing enough sections. Led to discussions about math
 - **Changes being made to math. Lots of work and a consultant helping with this work**
 - Q/A about effect of new ideas on seniors

Looked at number of sections by department

Discussed the re-designed directed study and how it's working

Discussion/Action:

- Schedule Survey Results-Actions
 - 4: 36 Christine K. highlighted negative responses. Asked questions about training for teachers for the block.
 - Students addressed some of the issues brought up.
 - Liked the breaks some teachers give. Varies from teacher to teacher.
 - Lecture would be boring the whole time even if we had a shorter block. Balancing hands on activities and lecture helps. Breaks within class helpful
 - Some things being put into place already. Maybe we can look into it and incorporate with Improvement Plan
 - Discussed things that have been done and what individuals are doing.
 - Mrs. Therrien mentioned ½ hour webinar she's been using Simple K12. Looking into how it can be available to faculty. She sent it to Mrs. Cohen on the PD committee.
 - Transfers coming in or going out have a hard time
 - Positives from alumni survey is that college students feel prepared for work load and time in class
- 5:05 School Improvement Plan Development
 - Connection to District Strategic Plan

-Took a look at present School Improvement Plan and the “3 rocks” of the District plan

-Need to come up with three school goals that align with the district “rocks”

- Handbook Review Process

-Look over handbook and bring any ideas for changes and revisions

HW: Please do the following for the next meeting so our time can be productive.

1. Read over present 5 school goals. Think about which should be changed or deleted.
2. Choose one of the District’s “Three Rocks.” Write a goal for the school that coincides with your “rock”
3. Read over the handbook. Bring in any ideas of what should be changed, revised, etc.

Adjourn

Next meeting: Wednesday, April 5, 2017 6:00 pm- 7:30 pm