

PFSO Meeting Minutes - April 26, 2021

- 1) Call to Order at 7:02pm. Zoom meeting online during Covid 19 Pandemic. List of attendees recorded by Secretaries. Catheryn welcomed everyone.
- 2) Administration Report - Lenni Velez
 - a) Happy to be back on campus. Over 800 hybrid students requested to be back on campus, however we are down to approx 600 students.
 - b) Gearing up for graduation.
 - c) Dedication of Science and Engineering building took place last week.
- 3) President's Report - Catheryn Grier
 - a) Welcomed everyone.
 - b) Appreciates efforts from all Class Parent Reps.
 - c) Science and Engineering had their official opening of the new building.
 - d) So good to see things opening up and students back in sports and on campus. Wishing everyone a happy spring.
- 4) Vice-President's Report - Shazia Nomani
 - a) Welcome everyone to the April meeting.
 - b) Superintendent's meeting update: All schools doing well with reopening. All schools are planning on full time opening in the fall. A virtual option for those who need it will be offered.
 - c) In memory of DUSD Trustee Catherine Kuo, Amador and Fallon schools are dedicating something in her honor. As a group, would DHS PFSO like to do shome to honour her memory? Perhaps a senior scholarship. This year, since we don't have a lot of time, we will dedicate the top PFSO scholarship awardee a scholarship dedicated to the memory of Catherine Kuo. Going forward, we will ask her family to be involved in the details for the scholarship.
 - d) PFSO scholarships update: We received 34 applications for 10 \$500 scholarships. It was a very difficult decision. All amazing students. There are three students that scored the same number of points for the 10th spot. A three-way tie. Shazia recommends the scholarship is split between the three students giving them \$250 each. However, we will be short \$250.00. **M042621-01** - Approval to increase the PFSO Scholarship total to \$5,250.00.
 - e) Thank you to everyone for your support and hard work during this difficult year. It was a very bumpy road at times, but we all got through it together. We have been sticking to the bi-laws, had many updates, changes to

protect ourselves. We created policies and procedures. Made over \$80k in donations at registration which has allowed us to support so many wonderful things this year. Shout out to Lenni Velez, Michael D'Ambrosio, Ellen & Christy. Thank you to all of the Class Parent Reps. Bravo to the Class of 2021 Parent Reps who have been so creative and supportive of the Seniors during this difficult year. Excited for RYC for next year and thank you to the chairs, Kristy, Diana, & Leslie. Thank you to Lindy for coordinating our Zoom meetings and to Lindy and Barna for all of the amazing communications and Google support. Thank you to Swati coordinating Teacher's Appreciation. Thank you to Ellen for the fireworks booth. Thank you to Coach Suravarjjala for the Robotics Club. Thank you to the wonderful Scholarship team. Thank you so much to Catheryn for being our great leader and her dedication. Thank you to Irene and Leslie for their service. Shazia surprised Catheryn, Irene with flowers delivered to their homes. Leslie is out of town.

5) Secretary's Report - Irene Padnos & Leslie Portugal

- a) **M042621-02** - Approval of March's minutes with correction.
- b) PFSO 2021-2022 Board Elections: Will vote in and approve all Nomination forms received. If a form was not received, when received, member will be voted in during the May meeting. Nomination forms received for board approval are:

President – Shazia Nomani

Vice President – Juanita Dion-Chiang

Co-Secretaries – Samriti Singh & Ellen Ladouceur

Co-Treasurers – Christy Li & Linda Lu

Class of 2022 Parent Representatives –

Wendy DeMello

Ruth Cunniffe

Kimberly Mehr

Class of 2023 Parent Representatives-

Diana Hernandez

Kristy Lijesen

Class of 2024 Parent Representatives-

Anyee Chen

Renee Wheeler

Ursala Richardson

Class of 2025 Parent Representatives –

Rachael Guinther

Maria Gomez

Felicia Leopold

Kimberly Mehr

M042621-03 - Approval of the above nominated representatives for the 2021-2022 Dublin High School PFSO Board

- 6) Treasurer's Report/Financial Update - Ellen Ladouceur & Christy Li
 - a) Emailed monthly financials.
 - b) Supporting Lei sales fundraiser.
 - c) Signed up for Zelle thru our bank, Bank of America. Using now to receive donations for the Teacher's Appreciation Luncheon.
 - d) Budget increase requested for Teacher Appreciation Luncheon at a cost of \$3,000.00. Not able to have any home made items, must purchase all food. Current budget is \$1,200, hoping to have enough in donations to cover the cost of luncheon, however not sure. **M042621-04** - Approval to increase Teacher's Appreciation budget from \$1,200.00 to \$2,000.00.
 - e) **M042621-05** - Approval to increase the volunteer appreciation budget from \$200.00 to \$400.00.

- 7) Leadership ASB Report - Michael D'Ambrosio & ASB Officers
 - a) Mr. D'Ambrosio: Homecoming for next school year Oct 18-22nd. Dance on Saturday the 23rd. Probably the school rally and dance will be outside. Football game will be against Foothill.
 - b) Met with parents from Class of 2022 and 2023, there will be a combined Junior Prom and Senior Ball. Working with an outside vendor, Toby. No fee to use him. Prom/ball are an ASB event, and have to be planned by students and teacher advisors. Should not be planned by parents. DHS has been planning on combining Junior and Senior prom/ball for the last few years. Possible name Spring Formal.
 - c) In fall, going to meet with student class officers, teacher advisors, and parent reps to discuss everyone's role going forward. Creating a document of everyone's job as well.
 - d) Gael Cup will go forward next year. A year long class competition starting next year. All students can participate. Earn points for all events, spirit, etc.
 - e) Megan Nguyen: Senior donuts event is tomorrow.
 - f) DHS film festival is coming up.
 - g) Katie Chang held a student forum to talk to school board members and DUSD admin.
 - h) All school Jamba Juice event was a huge success.
 - i) Planning a Senior sunrise event

- 8) Funding Requests - None

9) Club & Class Reports -

- a) **Robotics Club** - Coach Shalini Suravarjjala will continue to coach next year. All competitions are virtual to be safe. Elections happened and next year's officers are in place. Getting reimbursement from ASB and hoping they can get company matches. Planning fundraisers for next year. Information to join for next school year will be out in August.
- b) **Class of 2021** - Very exciting things going on. Senior DriveIn event was last week and a huge success. Great to see the kids in person and the students were very happy to be together. Boba was a hit! Slide show was a success and will be shown again at Enchanted Evening and will be posted on line for the families to watch. Enchanted Evening tickets sales on now, sold 200 tickets already. Class of 2023 donating three baskets and other classes can also donate. Senior donut day is tomorrow. Senior cap and gown pick up is May 5, 12:30-3:30.
- c) **Class of 2022** - Thank you to PFSO board members that are leaving. Class of 2022 officers planned a donut day. Searching for venues for Senior Banquet and Baccalaureate. Choosing a theme for tshirts and sweatshirts. Theme is "We Rise". When kids work together in person, they bond with their classmates. Senior graduation lei sales fundraiser is going on now.
- d) **Class of 2023** - Thank you to PFSO board members that are leaving. Have two fundraisers. Asking for \$23 on the 23rd of every month and selling movie tickets. Selling them at a big discount from Theatre price, selling two for \$23. Regal Hacienda movie theatre is open for business. Met with officers, discussed upcoming events and fundraisers.
- e) **Class of 2024** - Thank you to the Board for support this year. Farm Fresh fundraiser and \$24 donation request still going on. Officers have some fundraisers of their own.

10) DHS Boosters - Athletics/Band/Drama

- a) **Athletics** - None
- b) **Band** - Ending year on a sweet and exciting note. Winter Guard scored very high. Swept all categories. Posted on Facebook. Looking ahead at 10th annual field show on Oct 9. New theme is Sensational Synergy.
- c) **Drama** - None

11) Old Business -

- a) RYC - Save the date, January 29, 2022. Diana and Kristy chairing the event and looking for a co-chairperson.
- b) Teacher & Staff Appreciation Luncheon is on May 6. Please share the donation link with parents thru class communications.
- c) Fireworks booth update, no lottery this year. So we will get a booth.

12) New Business

- a) Class of 2020 Updates: Kids decided to host 14 \$1,000 ASB scholarships for this year's seniors. Money is coming from ASB funds. Canyon View has agreed to return the \$26,000.00 they owe us. Santa Cruz booked for students from Class of 2020, all expenses paid. Requesting another extension for final PFSO Class of 2020 funds distribution until end of Sept. **M042621-06** - Approval of extension to Class of 2020 for final distribution of PFSO funds until end of September 2021.

13) Open to Floor -

- a) Maria Gomez asked how the Class of 2025 Parent Reps can be put together and directed on what to do. Diana will contact Maria and Irene will send them all everyone's contact information.

Meeting adjourned at 8:37, next Zoom meeting Monday, May 24, at 7pm.