

RHSA PARTS MARCH 2017 MEETING MINUTES

Date: March 14, 2017

Location: Renaissance High School for the Arts, School Library

In Attendance: Board Members: 4, Faculty: 3, Students: 3, Other Members: 4.

Elaine Del Bello, Mary Barber, Lianne Rugeroni, Teresa Bohman, Brian Barber, Amanda Wells, Jackie Hahn, Sofia Del Bello, Kim Holland, Christine Whipp, Michael Bohman, Maeve Bohman, Casey Hahn, Sinnamon Hauser. A quorum was present.

Called to Order at: 6:30 pm by Elaine Del Bello

Sign In, Welcome, and Introduction of Members: Members went around the room and introduced themselves, stating their name and student or school position and what their biggest hope for Renaissance is.

Principal's Report: Ms. Holland mentioned Inspired Your Heart with Art event with linked learning, two hearts program to help build a positive atmosphere. She also talked about the on time drawing and mentioned there is an upcoming district walk through. Current end of the year planning includes the graduation, college stoles for teachers, and prom. A Parent Education Day lead by staff will be on March 18th, from 8:30-12. Rotation stations will be covering a variety of topics. Lunch and babysitting will be provided. 35 RSVPs so far.

Member Ratification: The Minutes from the January PARTS meeting were approved as posted online. The treasurer's report was presented for January and February. The report showed current funds available of \$5625.96 and after future obligations the total funds available of \$4539.24. The report was approved. The Physics day field trip was \$1.50 more than what it was originally approved for. It was voted on and approved to increase the funding to \$351.50.

Nominations for 2017-18 Board: The nominees were introduced and their motivation for serving. They were presented as a slate of candidates as follows: President: Elaine Del Bello, First Vice President: Mary Barber, Second Vice President: Amanda Wells, Treasury: Sandi Jenkins, Second Treasurer/ Banker: Tom Kearney, Secretary: Lianne Rugeroni

Fundraising: There will not be a large fundraiser during the remainder of the school year due to logistics and lack of donations. There will be a raffle table/ silent auction table at Open House and a smaller ticket jar raffle at the Talent Show. Teresa has some items collected for the talent show already. A scholarship donation campaign is being started to collect funds for a one-time scholarship, along with naming the scholarship, which will be passed out at the Senior Awards ceremony with other PARTS scholarships. Requests letters are available from PARTS for anyone who might be willing to assist with the campaign.

Scholarship Committee Report: Scholarship packets are available from Mr. Byrne. They are due back from students on April 7. The essays will be passed out at the April PARTS meeting to the scholarship committee to read and score individually. Then the committee will meet around

April 26 or 27 to review and vote on their recommendations for scholarships. The recommendations will be made at the May PARTS Meeting and presented for a vote.

Talent Show Report: The Talent Show is open to all students and it has two show times, 4 PM and 7 PM, on March 31st. Tom Kearney is coordinating and there are several volunteers that have signed up to help with judging and make up. Auditions are on March 15th and 16th from 3-5PM. Rehearsals are on the 29th and 30th. Sign-ups will be on the PARTS website. Tickets pricing will be \$2 for students attending the 4PM show and \$5 for everyone at the 7PM show. The raffle will be at the 7PM show. A PARTS Scholarship tip jar will also be out on the table.

ABC's of PARTS/ PARTS Founders Day: A trivia game covered a variety of questions and "phone a friend" about PARTS history, mission, activities, media links, and website access.

Announcements: See PARTS meeting minutes and financial reports on website. Parent Education Workshops are this Saturday, March 18th from 9-12PM. Babysitting will be provided. Next PARTS meeting is on Tuesday, April 11, 2017. Board Elections will be held at that time.

Other: A Dance Liaison will coordinate with Ms. Hauser regarding an invitation from a former RHSA student, for a field trip to CSULB, or Guest Speaking, or at a dinner and show opportunity in April.

Save the Dates – Future PARTS Volunteer opportunities

Friday, March 31 • PARTS Talent Show April 24-27th • Musical Theater Extravaganza Tech Week Dinners May 1-5 • Teacher Appreciation Week/Staff Luncheon May 24 • Arts Night/Open House (Silent Auction) June 5th • Arts Awards June 12th • Senior Awards June 2 • Parent Night Out Social Night

Meeting Adjourned AT: 7:29