

**Washington High School PTA
Meeting Minutes
November 14, 2017**

President Becky Lindwall called the meeting to order at 10:05 A.M. and shared that over 60 people attend last night's "State of WHS" special evening PTA meeting!

Principal Report – Mr. Cline

Principal Cline presented his report. See addendum pdf.

Counseling Report – Mr. Dean Blanchard

Mr. Dean Blanchard presented the Counseling Report. See addendum pdf.

Executive Committee Report:

Secretary – Jen Boettger submitted the October 2017 minutes for approval. Teresa Wake made a motion to approve, seconded by Jane Hutchins. Minutes were approved as written.

Treasurer – Katherine Brokaw submitted Treasurer's report.

Committee Reports:

Audit/Bylaws Committee – Ann Freeman No report.

ONE*FUND – Kate Hogg

Donations have continued to trickle in! We've had good buy-in from staff and have reached out via postcards and online – trying different ways to reach out to people. Regardless of the gift size it all contributes and makes a difference. With gifts, employer matches and challenge matches we are at 18,200! GOAL!

Membership – Kate Hogg

111 Members!

Volunteer Coordinator – Kate Hogg

Kate is excited to say that Lesley Fleming has agreed to be the volunteer coordinator for 18-19 so we'll have lots of great cross triangler this year.

Grounds – Gina Kleman/Sashi Solomon

"Fall Earth Day 2017" was a success. The students trimmed, raked and prepped most beds for the fall, and spread 2 truckloads of wood chips on the corner garden, in the arcade and the Performing Arts wing alongside 2nd Ave.

Thanks to the students, adult volunteers and work of Erika Derrick and JP Graham and their classes. Thanks also to the city for donating the wood chips. Hopefully, in the spring, we can also spread wood chips on the east wall of the Performing Arts wing.

Hospitality – Charu Chawla/Julia Weston

Teach meals went well thx to all who brought food. Had 50 some teach each night. Pls consider donate 2 doz cookies for teach cookie boxes sign up genius is out

Reflections – Teresa Wake Shared that January 24th everything needs to be in as it is due to the state Jan 29th.

Display Cases – Julia Weston/Becky Lindwall No report.

Legislative – Denny Goettel No report.

Post Prom – Kara Heying/Dina Dusek Letters for seniors have gone out. All families will get a letter in January. If anyone has any in kind ideas or contributions, let Dina know.

College Connection – Brooke DeWolf Sign-Up Genius will be coming out for help. The event is Dec 20 in the band room.

Warrior Closet – Lesley Fleming After the request for donations of larger sizes they got a family that donated about \$400 of plus-size clothing and gift cards. Goodwill voucher program has asked if we'd like to partner with them so Lesley is in communication with them to see if that is something that we want to do. Hoping to help Brother 2 Brother with suits and dress clothes. Had lots of recent donations from Mr. Ballard. Men's Warehouse have been great community partners.

Warrior Pantry – Jenny Woods Super excited to report Farm Credit Services of America contributed \$2,000. Last month cost per box was \$6.26 each but Jenny was able to reduce that to just over \$2 per box because of additional donations like Mac & Cheese and granola.

Social Media/Website – Jen Boettger Asked if anyone knew who might enjoy the opportunity to produce a quick thank you video to wrap up and celebrate ONE*FUND reaching goal. Ms. Tinkham and Parks McBride were both recommended. Jen will follow up with them.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Meeting adjourned at 10:20 am

Jen Boettger, PTA Secretary