# Central HAS General Meeting Minutes 3/13/19

## 1. Agenda Review

### 2. President McKenna's School Update

- a. Projected Central Enrollment next year: 2414
- b. Operating Budget: \$13,551,630 ('18-'19- \$13,161,315)
  - 1. Title 1: \$655,558 ('18-'19- \$654,564)
  - 2. Special Ed: \$121,900 ('18-'19- \$118,600)
  - 3. \$243,800 ('18-'19- \$237,400)
  - 4. Total: \$14,572,888 ('18-'19- \$14,053,279)
  - 5. Art Supplies: \$48,00
  - 6. Books and Supplies: \$64,000
  - 7. EC: \$77. 0,000
  - 8. Technology Support Person: \$22,500
  - 9. Teacher Staff Development: \$10,000

c. Projected Personnel vacancies: 1 Biology,1 Social Studies, 1 English, 1 Spanish, 1 Mathematics, 1 4hr climate support person,1 secretary

d. Winter Title I Meeting: parents expressed 3 things that they would like to see in the budget.

1. Money for more books in subject areas such as Biology, Geometry and English

2. Workshops for parents around the subject of communicating with adolescents and learning how the teenage brain works.

- 3. Common planning time for teachers to collaborate and ensure there is consistency in the content learned from one level to the next.
- e. Academic Achievements:
  - 1. Carver Science Fair Award Winners: 26 total winners
    - 1. Igor Avanesov 281 Microbiology
    - 2. Joey Chan -279 Botany
    - 3. Sylvia Cho 279 Zoology
    - 4. Mikolaj Ciszewski 278 Earth / Space Science
    - 5. Timani Clement 279 Medicine / Health
    - 6. Ethan Daguisan 279 Environmental Science
    - 7. Kurbanov Amir 281 Microbiology
    - 8. Lynn Larabi 279 Botany
    - 9. Helen Li 278 Biochemistry
    - 10. Michael Mei 281 Environmental Science
    - 11. Prem Modi 280 Chemistry
    - 12. Daniel Molchansky -279 -Botany
    - 13. Aum Patel 281 Zoology
    - 14. Yashi Patel 281 Earth / Space Science
    - 15. Dimple Patel 278 Medicine / Health
    - 16. Annalisa Quinn 279 Chemistry
    - 17. Brandon Sharkey 278 Computer Science
    - 18. Alexandra Smythe 278 Medicine / Health
    - 19. Vorith Tadjibaev 281 Chemistry
    - 20. Maab Taha 280 Earth / Space Science
    - 21. Doreen Valmyr 279 Mathematics
    - 22. Angel Washington-278 Behavioral / Social Science
    - 23. Joy Wong -279 Physics
    - 24. Vincent Yang 279 Computer Science
    - 25. Frances Yu 278 Team Projects
    - 26. Daria Zhadanova 278 Environmental Science
  - 2. Scholastic Awards at the National level: 2 winners
    - 1. Gold Key: Marlaina Schiman, 278, painting, "Free Spirited Constrained" Marlaina has earned a Gold Key she will be invited to Carnegie Hall in NYC to receive an award during the first week in June.
    - 2. Silver Key: Stella Jones, 11th grade, short story, "Girl Among the Stars"
  - 3. National History Day: 8 winners
    - 1. 1st place individual performance: Enoch Tariku (279)
    - 2. 3rd place group performance: Esmerelda Zere, Kimberly Danni, Jenny Dong, Jennifer Butler, Beyonce Gonzalez (all 278)

- 3. Honorable mention individual website: Mary Elizabeth Greeley (278)
- 4. 3rd place group website: Abigail Thomas, Maab Taha, Anastasia Volyunuk, Gladys Ramos (all 280)
- 5. 1st place group website: Margaux Engel, Celia Duhan (both 280)
- 6. 2nd place group exhibit: Cindy Mani, Emly Moise, Tamanaa Atrafi, Nirmine Hachemi-Bouzid, Michelle Yuen (all 278)
- 7. 3rd place group documentary: Kejsi Ruka, Yasmine Mezoury (both 278)
- 8. 2nd place group documentary: Bella Greene, Lily Cohen, Emmett Gordon (all 279)
- f. Athletics: Congratulations to the girls' swim team for winning the public league championship. 5 student athletes qualified for the state champion

# 3. Treasurer Report - Maureen Doyle Distefano

a. Home and School has offered \$1,000 to each Academic Department at Central-Two departments have submitted proposals thus far:

1. Art Department – buying special paper for student portfolio work and can be printed at Central on large printer

2. Science Department- has reintroduced Anatomy and Physiology class- now can purchase fetal pigs

3. Home and School Fund Raising effort this year will go to Counseling Department – \$10,000 toward tools and materials. This will help them create a mobile cart to take counseling services to the student

# 4.Fund Raising- Carmen Hayman

a. Caring for Central Auction

Date: May 11<sup>th</sup> 6-10pm at Penns Landing Caterers- Steel Metal Workers Union

\$65 per ticket

- 1. Home and School will sponsor teacher tickets
- 2. Volunteers can sign up via email blast
- 3. All money goes back into school
- 4. Raising money for lockers
- 5. Auction Needs:
  - i. Sponsors- Law firms, real estate agencies etc., great way to advertise your business
  - ii. Items for auction
    - 1. Asking businesses to donate items

- 2. Restaurant gift certificates
- 3. Wine grab \$15 bottles and up
- 4. Bring donations to office or home and school meeting
- 5. Looking for monetary donations
- 6. Looking for donation of tickets to plays, sports events etc.
- 7. Looking for donations of an experiences, i.e. cooking classes, tours etc.
- 8. Need DJ

### 5. Campus Environment Team- Mimi Harvey

a. 20 team members were involved in a cleaned up of the athletic fields and trash

b. Field House was cleaned out of very old items. More field house clean up and renovations needed

- d. Earth Day The Environment Team is cleaning up Ogontz Ave.
- e. Spring Central Campus Clean Up at Sunday April 28<sup>th</sup>- 12 to 5pm.
  - 1. Sign up genius will be sent out
  - 2. Parents and students welcome
  - 3. Freshmen can get volunteer credit for participating

#### 6. Volunteer Opportunities- Lynne Hopper

- a. New Student Welcome Night Tuesday April 2<sup>nd</sup>
- b. Need volunteers to sell spirit wear
- c. During the event HAS collects emails from new parents

#### 7. Class Reps:

a. Jenny Yu Class 278- senior prom will be at Vie 8-1am on4/11/19. Seniors need to be up to date with class dues and can not have any disciplinary issues in order to attend

- b. Kier Class 279
  - 1. Ski trip cancelled- will be next Friday- seats still available
  - 2. College planning assembly is 3/21/19
  - 3. Junior prom Franklin Inst 7-11 pm

4. New designs for spirit wear- designed by central Alumni whose son is a freshman. \$20ea.

- c. Class 280
  - 1. Soph. Hop a success

2. Dues need to be paid \$ 100 now or \$250 total

3. Parents asked to donate for those students who can't afford dues – send check to Amanda Kincaid

3. Central Cares – class ask parents to give any domination of 28

d. Theresa Marley 281

There are no class announcements. Theresa is home sick with pneumonia

# 8.Next meeting is Wednesday April 10<sup>th</sup>

MS Scott will be here with Title I info.