Hinsdale South Foundation

Meeting Minutes October 13, 2011

Members present: Cheryl Coglianese Freburg, Katie Ebert, Jeff Hufford, Jeff Noose, Carol Vancura, Kristine Wall, Brian Waterman and Stuart Zimmerman

Call to order: The meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm.

Correspondence: Some checks received for payment of LOL program advertisements.

Approval of the minutes for September 14, 2011: Jeff Noose motioned to approve the minutes, Kristine Wall seconded.

Treasurer's Reports: In the process of filing taxes for the 501 3C. Working on obtaining Tax ID number and investigating alternate banks. Need to check for payments received from Parent Groups and Gower ticket sales.

Old Business

Alumni Homecoming Event took place at the Kerry Piper, Friday, October 7th at 8pm. Approximately 130 Alumni were in attendance. \$1225 donated for the scholarship fund and the Foundation received \$273 from sales at the Kerry Piper. Two pathway bricks were raffled to donors. While the venue was a little small it was well received. Many favorable comments on Facebook. Strongly consider keeping the event at the Kerry Piper but remove tables from main room and consider closing to the public.

Homecoming decorations went up on Wednesday, October 5th. Mary Lindquist, Kristine Wall, and Carol Vancura decorated the south entrance.

Hall of Fame recipients/families have been contacted. Mr. Greg Corwin and family will be attending the event on behalf of his son, Captain Scott Corwin. Ross Rice will also be in attendance. Student assembly begins at 9am the luncheon takes place at 11:30am. Press release announcing Hall of Fame Recipients will be published in two weeks. Kristine Wall will post the press release on the web site. Dr. Waterman is working on plaques for the hallway.

Academic Awards Ceremony took place on September 28th. New Academic Awards were largely well received and the event was successful. Of 350 award recipients 250 were present this year.

Fall Grant Applications will be available Friday, October 14, 2011 and due by November 23, 2011. Grants will be considered for projects that fit within the Foundations mission and objectives. Grant applications will be reviewed by foundation members at December meeting. Top applicants will be asked to present at the January foundation meeting.

Battle of the Bands. Best date for this event is Thursday, February 2, 2012. Bands from Hinsdale Central will be encouraged to participate. Dr. Waterman will coordinate with Randy and Walter, foundation members should begin contacting studio, radio station, and the like. Notes from last year suggest that we should scale down pizza or discontinue, no t-shirts, better signage and improve lighting. Consider using banners like those used for Second City. In addition to announcing in school, posting on the marquee, the event will be announced during half time at the Friday, January 27th basketball game. Target band groups, committees, and the like for band participation and event marketing.

New Business

None

Upcoming Events

Next Board meeting is on Tuesday, November 8th at 7pm in the HS Library Hall of Fame Ceremony & Luncheon is on November 17th.

The meeting adjourned at 7:50pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Carol Vancura.