



## DHMS PTSA General Membership Meeting

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at 7pm

Held via Zoom

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### **I. DHMS PTSA General Meeting Welcome and Call to Order**

- The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by Lindsey Englerth, PTSA VP, Community. All attendees were notified that the meeting was being recorded.
- The draft agenda for the evening's meeting was approved.

### **II. Approval of January meeting minutes**

- The meeting minutes from the January 9, 2024 DHMS PTSA general membership meeting are available online on the DHMS PTSA website. There was a motion to adopt the meeting minutes, which was seconded.

### **III. Regular Business**

- Ms. Englerth reported that the PTSA Executive Board has submitted a request to the County requesting a crossing guard at the intersection of Vacation Lane and Lorcom Lane. The community has witnessed heavy traffic and speeding at this intersection where a great deal of students cross the street in the morning and afternoon. While staff mans the intersection during the morning, they are unable to in the afternoon or after extracurricular activities are dismissed. Ms. Englerth encouraged PTSA members to make the same request. Information on how to do so will be posted to the PTSA website.
- As part of the PTSA meeting, there was a presentation given on understanding your student's testing scores. academic planning. Poorvi Shah, Testing Coordinator at DHMS and Sally Donnolly, Math Coach at DHMS gave this presentation which can be found on the PTSA website.

### **IV. Principal's Report**

- Principal Smith was unable to attend the meeting so Lauren Johnson, 7<sup>th</sup> grade assistant principal, made a report on her behalf. The recent celebration for the 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary of desegregation of DHMS was a huge success and Ms. Johnson thanked everyone for their support for it.
- Ms. Johnson outlined the key upcoming events.

### **V. Treasurer's Report**

- Ms. Englerth gave a brief treasurer's report on behalf of Amy Erwin, who was unable to participate in the evening. She reminded the staff and teachers that there is still grant money available and encouraged them to share with their colleagues.

Ms. Englerth adjourned the meeting at 7:34 pm.