

***Riverview School District***  
**Student Life Committee**

September 24, 2012: Central Office Conference Room: 7:00 p.m.

Chairperson: Lisa Ashbaugh

In Attendance:

Peggy DiNinno, Jay Moser, Jason Shoaf, Lisa Ashbaugh, John Hackworth, Heidi Dolan, Dr. McClure, Dr. Loeffler, Ernie Tillman, Dori Timpa

1. Mrs. DiNinno reminded everyone that the school district's web-page can be used to publicize important information pertaining to activities at the school. She also indicated that she met with Mrs. Martin earlier in the week and a discussion was held related to starting to share more district information using the Oakmont Grapevine in the future.
2. Mrs. DiNinno thanked the Carnegie Library of Oakmont for their donation of Kindergarten books.
3. Mr. Shoaf provided details related to several upcoming Elementary Field Trips including
  - a. Verner – October 4<sup>th</sup> – Grade 3 - Reilly's Summer Seat Farm
  - b. Tenth Street – November 20<sup>th</sup> – Grade 1 - Oakmont Country Club
4. Mr. Moser shared details related to the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Healthcare Career Opportunities – PA Career Link, New Kensington trip that will be facilitated by guidance counselor Tara Jo Pomatto Morascyzk.
5. Mr. Moser shared details related to the upcoming Pittsburgh Latin American Dance Culture Show that will be facilitated by teacher Rachelle Poth (HS).
6. Mr. Moser indicated that the Model UN program will be hosted by Riverview this year and will begin at 9 a.m. on Monday, October 1<sup>st</sup>. He indicated that it is a wonderful educational opportunity for our kids. The event will include approximately 175 participants.
7. Mr. Moser shared information related to the John Hopkins trip and its value to students.
8. Mr. Moser shared details related to the SADD Trip to Seven Springs explaining that the event is similar to the former Mothers Against Drunk Driving program and concepts like the pledge will be used during Homecoming this year.

9. Mr. Moser shared a tentative agenda for the Band Trip that is scheduled to take place in April over a three day weekend. It is estimated that the cost of the trip will be about \$600 per child.
10. Mr. Moser reminded everyone that a Financial Aid Night will take place on December 17<sup>th</sup> for all junior and senior parents and will include a PHEEA Speaker.
11. Mr. Moser shared that Homecoming will take place on October 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> with evening Soccer games on Thursday, Parade and other games on Friday, and dance on Saturday. Students may attend the dance as a couple or individually.
12. Bob Kariotis provided an update on all Athletic Teams to date.
13. Bob Kariotis indicated that there will likely be a need to add an additional chain gang member to the employee roster for football games and that we may need to add a chain gang crew to JV and junior high games. He indicated he would obtain the WPIAL rules and regulations on this matter.
14. Mr. Moser shared details related to a request from parents to purchase a Band Trailer for approximately \$4,000. The trailer is currently in good shape and for sale. It is 24 X 8 feet long and a parent has volunteered to drive the trailer to and from activities for the band. Mr. Moser and Mrs. DiNinno indicated that time is needed to investigate potential liability matters. Mr. Moser proposed that using ads on the trailer could help to supplement the cost of the trailer. Mr. Moser will work with parents and the boosters, as well as the solicitor, to determine a plan for the potential purchase. All agreed that the trailer would be beneficial and helpful to the students and the band.
15. Discussion around Band Uniforms occurred.
16. Mr. Moser indicated that the band played at Open House and that several concerts were scheduled in the future. He recommended that people refer to the web site for future events. He also commended the teachers for instituting the cell phone scanning application to assist with sharing upcoming events.
17. Mr. Moser reminded everyone that the Chorus will participate in Light up Night again this year.
18. Mr. Moser indicated that auditions will be held in October and after the auditions are held, staff will select the musical based on the talent that presents itself at the auditions.

19. Mr. Moser indicated that there were a few outstanding items related to the locker room and the cooler. A tour of the Locker Room was held last week.