

WHS PTSA Minutes  
February 9, 2010

Meeting was called to order by President Calvin Yee at 6:05 pm

Present: 8 persons, 5 parents, 3 staff

President's Report: Discussed the International Potluck coming up. Other ways to improve the community is a possible game day where we have a Teachers/Staff vs. Students for a future possible event. (To create school spirit and family connection as another way to come together besides the International Potluck.)

Discussed the WASC overview and how we as parents can help, support, and be a warm body on the day March 7, 2010 from 3:45-4:45pm to meet with the WASC team at WHS.

WHS Website is coming along. Cheryl Heinonen is working with a student. Goal is April.

Treasurer's Report: Escrip has increased by 40% but still needs more participation. Current balance is \$X

Gate Program Report: Staff says 20% of WHS students qualify for GATE. That's 142 students. This is done twice a year and new forms will be going out now and early March. She thanks all the parents in the past, present and future for filling out the forms and promptly returning it in for their children. We are going through round two. This looks good when you are applying for college. Children need to keep their grades up to stay in the program.

Questions: When new incoming families are contacted. Will we be able to invite them to the International Potluck as well as their freshman orientation?

International Potluck Chairperson: identified

Partial teacher wish list:/School Needs

Large Laminator (PTSA approved support), video cameras, theatrical lighting, hands free microphones, backdrops, gels to cover and change lighting in the auditorium, stage curtains.

Meeting adjourned 7:45pm.

Future Events:

PTSA General Meeting Tuesday, March 2, 2010

International Potluck Friday April 9, 2010

Guys and Dolls April 29, 30, May 1<sup>st</sup>.

Freshman Orientation Sat.X, May.