

IHS Alumni Association Minutes
Monday: November 8th , 2021

Meeting Called to Order: Dale Veverka (70 - President) called the in-person meeting to order with The Pledge of Allegiance @ 7:00pm. Meeting was held in the IHS Media Room.

Attendance: The following Alumni were present: Dale Veverka (70) , Bob Wagner (66), Joanie Mencl (70), Vickie (Wiecek) Rich (70), Don Krolikowski(77), Russ Fortlage (59), Peggy Korecko (88), Amber Veverka (07), Ted Soberay (59) and Glenn Rose (59)Gwen (Schmidt) Manfredi(68).

Minutes of Sept 13th Meetings: Copies were passed out and read and reviewed. Spelling error was brought to secretaries attention and will be corrected. Apologies were made. Motion to accept by Bob Wagner and second motion by DonKrolikowski.

Treasurer Report: Bob Wagner presented the following Report: 1.) No expenses since his last report on Sept. 13th , 2021. 2.) Total Income: \$1,430.00 - 9 **NEW** memberships (4x1 year, 5x5 years) = \$240.00

RENEWAL memberships - 15 = \$480.00.

DONATIONS: \$710.00 Mr. Ted Soberay - \$500.00, Russ Fortlage - \$200.00 and Carol Heskett - \$10.00 - Total : \$710.00

Current Balance: **\$8,857.94.**

NEW Business: A check in the amount of \$500.00 was presented from the Class of 1970 to The IHS Alumni Association.

Bob Wagner discussed adding PayPal as a payment option for memberships. The Association will now accept PayPal as a form of payment.

Goal is to double the Alumni Associations membership within the next 5 years.

Suggestions were made to put copies of the Alumni newsletter in places throughout the city. Barbershop, Babes Cafe, Civic Center etc....

Upcoming Events: There some upcoming events that were brought up for discussion by Dale Veverka,

Educator of Excellence: On March 14th, 2022 the IHS Alumni will honor "The Educator of Excellence" . Dale asked for nominations to be sent for review. Dale also asked for assistance in setting up the luncheon. Vickie Rich and Joan Mencl offered to take ownership of the luncheon.

Diploma of Distinction: Dale also brought up the "Diploma of Distinction". He asked for some input. Several names were mentioned as possible recipients of this award:

Pete Kirsonaw, Jennifer (Pechman) Weiler, Marty Schmidt, Debbie Nicastro and Joan Ganim.

There was a brief discussion on the "Legacy Ribbons"

Dale asked for volunteers to read the essays written for scholarships that will be awarded for 2022 graduates.

Don talked about the website and ideas for growing and managing the site.

Amber mentioned articles for the Alumni Newsletter are needed. It was proposed that an article honoring Elaine should be put in the newsletter.

There was an open discussion on ideas to increase membership. Ted Soberay mentioned a "sports banquet".

Peggy mentioned that the Alumni Association should be available to help and advise upcoming classes on holding Class Reunions.

Adjournment: Don motioned to adjourn and Amber seconded the motion. Meeting was adjourned at 8:30pm.

Respectfully Submitted By:

Vickie (Wiecek) Rich (70)

Recording Secretary