



# Brecksville-Broadview Heights PSO Council Meeting Minutes

May 5, 2022

PSO Council is a meeting for sharing information and learning about our schools and our district. We encourage you to engage in responsible conversation and healthy discussion on issues to promote better education for children. Personal agendas are not welcome at Council. We will gladly direct you to the appropriate resource to help you after the meeting. Please respect each person's time on the agenda.

PSO Council President Khara Mack called the meeting to order at 9:35am. The pledge of allegiance was said. The meeting was adjourned at 10:15am.

<b>Welcome</b>	
	<b>PSO COUNCIL OFFICERS</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Vice President- Petra Laszlo</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>asked for a vote to approve new exec board for 22/23 school year - moved (Joanie MacRaild) and seconded (Denise Gawlik) to approve officers</li> <li>vote approved, new officers sworn in</li> </ul> <p>President: Denise Gawlik                      1st VP: Petra Laszlo                      2nd VP: Theresa Emch                      Treasurer: Dawn Papadatos                      Recording Secretary— Kelly Szwagulak                      Corresponding Secretary— Teri Ferricci</p>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President- Christy Crouch</b>	Present. No Report.
<b>Recording Secretary- Kelly Szwagulak</b>	Present. No Report.
<b>Corresponding Secretary- Terri Ferricci</b>	Present. No Report.
<b>Treasurer- Dawn Papadatos</b>	<p>Present. No Report.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>reminder of fiscal year end 6/30 (books closed), work on summer audit</li> </ul>
<b>President- Khara Mack</b>	Present.

	<p>Friend of the PSO Presentation</p> <p><b>Hilton</b> – Christopher Hartland  <b>Highland</b> – Steven Pamas  <b>Chippewa</b> – Tina MacAulay  <b>MS</b> – John Pasternak  <b>HS</b> – Kevin Jakub  <b>District</b> – Mary Green</p>
<b>Board of Education- Ellen Kramer</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• thank you for work on staff appreciation events this week and end of school year events</li> <li>• changes coming to 3 committess of bd starting next year</li> <li>• traffic changes coming to HS and MS next school year</li> </ul>
<b>Superintendent - Joelle Magyar</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ES bulding project on-time and under budget, excited for families and public to see it, PSO exec bd toured building end of April</li> </ul>
<b>Director of Human Resources- Brian Wycuff</b>	Not Present. No Report.
<b>Treasurer/CFO- Craig Yangilos</b>	Not Present. No Report.
<b>Director of Business Services – Chris Coad</b>	Not Present. No Report.
<b>Director of Curriculum and Instruction- Dave Martin</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• iFeliz cinco de mayo!</li> <li>• Finishing up the school year.</li> <li>• Meeting with departments districtwide in preparing for next year regarding the purchases of materials and resources</li> <li>• Concluding all trainings for staff in preparation for next year</li> <li>• Thanks PSO for all your hard work, dedication and partnership this year. We couldn't have done it without you!</li> </ul>
<b>Coordinator of Community Relations-</b>	Not Present. No Report.

<b>JC Power, Inc.</b>	
<b>Director of Pupil Services- Cyndi Tomasetti</b>	Not Present. No Report.
<b>Transportation- Heidi Means</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Heidi retiring 8/31/22 – thank you</li> <li>• best day ever for staff appreciation event at transportation</li> </ul>
<b>CAPA Coordinator- Kelly Lazar</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• recruiting for HUDDLE for next year – 96 already signed up</li> <li>• MS programming wrapped up 4/1 – thank you Mr. Rings</li> <li>• HS HUDDLE – shout out to Mr. Jakub</li> <li>• drug awareness week – egg hunt (eggs w/ facts hidden around HS, entered into prize basket raffle)</li> <li>• health and wellness fair – 20 vendors, 500 students attended</li> <li>• prescription drug takeback – 375 lbs drugs collected, one of the highest collectors in NE Ohio</li> <li>• prom promise week</li> <li>• HS Seniors – handprints in senior lounge</li> </ul>
<b>High School-Principal – Kevin Jakub</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <a href="#">Finals Week</a> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Tuesday, May, 31st 4th-3rd- and 6th Period</li> <li>b. Wednesday, June 1st- 8th- 9th-and 7th Period</li> <li>c. Thursday, June 2nd- 2nd, 1st and 5th Period</li> </ol> </li> <li>2. Teacher Appreciation Week       <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Daily Events for High School Staff           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Monday- Ice Cream</li> <li>ii. Tuesday- Balloon Stomp (Lottery Ticket, Candy, Gift Cards in the balloon)</li> <li>iii. Beyond Juicery and Eatery Provided Lunch</li> <li>iv. Bagels</li> <li>v. Staff Cookout</li> <li>vi. Student Council organized recognition certificates for students who provided positive comments</li> </ol> </li> </ol> </li> <li>3. Construction Updates       <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Tennis Courts have started</li> <li>b. Track resurfacing begins this week</li> </ol> </li> <li>4. Bees Being Recognized       <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Garrett Travers- Cleveland.com Speech and Debate Student of the Year Top 5 Finalist</li> <li>b. Craig Kowatch-Cleveland.com Teacher of the Year Top 5 Finalist</li> <li>c. Softball team is</li> </ol> </li> <li>5. Commencement Update       <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Ticket release took place last Wednesday</li> <li>b. Next week we anticipate releasing any unclaimed tickets still available.</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. Important Dates       <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5/7- Riversweep</li> <li>5/7- Softball Senior Night</li> <li>5-8- Baseball Senior Night</li> <li>5/9- Spring Band Concert</li> <li>5/10- CVCC Senior Recognition</li> <li>5/10- Save a Life Tour</li> <li>5/12- Spring Choir Concert</li> <li>5/13- BBHHS Job Fair</li> <li>5/14- Prom</li> </ul> </li> </ol>
































	<p>5/17-Senior Awards Night  5/18- Cardboard Regatta  5/19- NCAA Signing Day  5/21- Commencement at Key Bank State Theatre  5/25- Colony Day</p>
<p><b>HS PSO -  Rachelle  Reusser &amp; Sue  Ryan</b></p>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Flower fundraiser raised \$472</li> <li>• After prom. We can still use help with volunteers and donations the night of. Sign up and buy tickets online through 5/11.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Middle School  Principal- Todd  Rings</b></p> <p><b>Brian Bedford,  Asst. Principal</b></p>	<p>Present.</p> <p>Our MS Robotics Teams are in Dallas competing at the World's Robotics Competition. Our 8th graders are getting ready to depart to Washington DC on May 10th and return on May 13th. Thanks to all the parents and staff who are volunteering to be chaperones and make this a successful trip. We finished up our State Testing this past week. Our students and staff did a terrific job of getting through the testing process. Students worked diligently through the process and did a fabulous job. Mrs. Schneider and her committee have started the annual Kick-it campaign for the spring. Students have been busy raising money from car washes, selling bakery and home made items during the lunch periods. We will have our annual Kick it day with food trucks on June 1st. We hope to open our food trucks to the public from 1pm until 3pm on that day as well. Thanks to our PSO Presidents Denise and Kerry and all of the volunteers that helped make our Magic Gives Back fundraiser where they raised over \$25,000. Our spring musical concerts will begin shortly after we return from DC. Our spring academic recognition assembly will be May 23rd for grades 6 thru 8, students and parents will get an invitation for that night. Our 5th grade DARE graduation and academic recognition assembly will be held on May 26th at 9am. Thanks to our PSO for what I know will be an awesome staff appreciation luncheon today at the MS.</p>
<p><b>MS PSO-  Denise Gawlik  Kerry Ely</b></p>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rick Smith Jr. was a huge success! We sold out both our shows and received \$21,200 to be put toward renovations to the MS auditorium. The total for the day was \$25,500 which included sales from concessions, 50/50 raffles, raffle baskets and silent auction items.</li> <li>• Thank you the 50 plus volunteers to make it a success - including parents, students, board member and school staff... it truly took a village!! Special shout outs to Rachel Jones for coordinating the baskets and silent auction items and Theresa Emch for manning the concessions stands for both shows. With his Magic Gives Back program, Rick Smith Jr. has donated over \$30,000 to the project and is our biggest contributor!</li> <li>• Staff Appreciation - MS teamed with Hilton and Chippewa to provide pizza to Transportation. Teacher and staff Cinco de Mayo appreciation lunch is being held today.</li> <li>• PSO Meeting moved to <u>Wednesday, May 18th at 9:30</u>. Meeting will be in person and via zoom.</li> </ul>

<b>Chippewa Principal - Tina McCauley</b>	See Elementary Report.
<b>Chippewa PSO- Nikki Lohr-Hanna and Petra Laszlo</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earth Week was a huge success, we made seed balls, had a Naturalist from the Metroparks come in and bring a live snake, animal pelts to show the kids.. dispersed seed balls and made cool leaf rub pictures.</li> <li>• Staff appreciation is underway this week. Girls Scout Troop 71984 decorated the school with signs for the staff. We have had drink &amp; snack delivery, efforts coordinated by head room parents in the classroom, and gift card drawings all week. Our committee chairs came up with the idea of collaborating with the other schools to deliver pizza to the bus garage in a concerted effort so that is happening tomorrow to show our appreciation to our drivers and support staff at the garage. Our teachers and staff at Chipp will close the week with a nice luncheon catered by Creekside tomorrow. Thank you to everyone who is helping to make our staff appreciation week a success.</li> <li>• Book fair is next week with a preview day for students then the actual fair commencing on the 11th in the after school hours.</li> <li>• We are busy planning the end of year festivities, Carnival Day on May 27 and Field Day on May 31, clap-out June 1 and class parties being coordinated by head room parents on June 2. Our school day will conclude with a school-wide pizza lunch on June 2.</li> </ul>
<b>Hilton Principal- Chris Hartland</b>	Present. See Elementary Report.
<b>Hilton PSO- Mary Green and Christy Crouch</b>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hilton PSO was excited to hold our Earth Day Book Fair and Art Night on April 22, 2022. We had a great turnout of families that shopped for new books and made Earth Day-themed crafts.</li> <li>• We are celebrating Staff Appreciation week this week. Over the week, our committee has coordinated stocking the staff lounge with snacks and drinks, a continental breakfast, lunches and dessert. Our students have been encouraged to write thank-you notes throughout the week, as well as dress in their teacher's favorite color, favorite sports team and Bees gear.</li> <li>• We have a lot coming up over the remainder of the school year. Our final Hilton PSO meeting will be on Tuesday, March 10 in the Board of Education meeting room. In the final weeks of school we are planning our Good-bye Hilton party for the students on May 27, working with the school to help with Field Day, and room parents are planning parties for the last day of school. We will also provide a pizza lunch for the students and staff on the last day of school.</li> </ul>
<b>Elementary Principal – Colleen Toth</b>	Present.

	<p><b>Thank you to all of our PSO units for the amazing week of treats, lunches, and notes of appreciation! We feel so loved by our students and families!</b></p> <p><b>State Testing</b> We have finished all of our 3rd and 4th grade State testing. Thank you to all the parents for sending their kiddos ready to learn! We are so proud of the students' hard work on these assessments. Results will be made available to families in the next few months.</p> <p><b>End of year assessments</b> Teacher are conducting benchmark assessments in reading as well as i-ready diagnostics in reading and math. These assessments will show the growth our students have made throughout the school year.</p> <p><b>End of Year Fun</b> On May 27th, each building will host a closing celebration the students. Thank you to PSO for helping to organize the events at our three buildings to create even more lasting memories of our schools.</p> <p>On May 31st, our PE teachers will have a field day at each building. Grade levels will be participating fun activities.</p> <p>On June 1st, each building will hold a clapout for all students as they transition to BBHES! Because parking is limited, the event will be on facebook live so parents can be a part of the fun. This is also the rain date for field day.</p> <p>On June 2nd, students will have class parties and a pizza party provided by our PSO. Students will be dismissed two hours early at 1:40pm.</p> <p>Parents volunteers will be needed for these events. Thank you in advance!</p> <p><b>Kindergarten Screening</b> BBH will host a kindergarten screening the week of 5/23. Families will sign up for a time at the TLC behind the Middle School.</p>
<p><b>Highland PSO</b> <b>Joanie MacRaid and Ann Vertosick</b></p>	<p>Present.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• spring slam – in lieu of bac to school bash, great parent feedback, food trucks/dj/cookie decorating</li> <li>• staff appreciatio week underway – decorated bus garage</li> <li>• Jr Olympics, class parties and goodbye to Highland parties coming up</li> </ul>
<p><b>Schools Foundation-</b> <b>Janelle Henning / Petra Laszlo</b></p>	<p>Present.</p>

<b>Band Boosters- Amy O'Brien and Michelle Banks</b>	Not Present. No Report.
<b>Orchestra Boosters- Petra Laszlo</b>	Present. Please consider supporting the BBHHS Orchestra without having to sell or purchase products by donating to our no-fuss fundraiser! Funds raised will primarily be used to help pay for our Electrify Your Symphony concert in the Fall. Additional funds will: pay for student activities and help defray the costs of student trips! Thank you for considering.
<b>Vocal Boosters-</b>	Not Present. No Report.
<b>Athletic Boosters – Tracy Scott</b>	Present.
<b>New Business</b>	Thank You to Khara Mack

**Zoom Attendance:**

-  Kelly Szwagulak (Me)  
-  martind (Host)   
-  Christopher Hartland - Brecksvill...  
-  BBH PSO Council  
-  Dawn's  
-  JasonK  
-  Joelle Magyar  
-  Ronda Strmac  
-  Teri Ferricci  
-  Tricia Culotta  



In Person Attendance:

District PSD Attendance 5/5/22

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Kelly Swagalak

Chris McCarty  
Troy Scott

Khara Mack

Joanie Mackaid

David Marten

Petra Laszlo

Kevin Talbot

Kerry Ely

Todd Kings

Denise Gault

Mary Green

Nikki Lohr-Hanna

Michelle

Colleen Joth

Ann Vertosick

Christy Crouch

Ellen Kramer

Sue Ryan

Linda Crouch

Kelly Lazar

John Pastorek