

DW POPPY SECONDARY
DRY GRAD 2018/19
COMMITTEE MEETING #9 MINUTES

APRIL 8, 2019
7:00 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.
Library Learning Commons

ATTENDEES

Teresa Beere-Johnson
Christine Biluk
Sandy Frost
Karen Smith
Lisa Trozzo
Maureen Scharf
Leanne Walton
Robyn Creasy
Kerri Winter (chair/recorder)

RUGBY 7S CONCESSION (APRIL 15) - Maureen Scharf & Karen Smith

- Can use school BBQ (connect with Mr. Barrie)
- Organize tents/tables
- Pick up propane
- Starts at 11am - 7pm
- 150 hotdogs/100 hamburgers donated by Beltrame Meats (Karen to pick up & may purchase extra)
- Krispy Kreme will be sold at event (Lisa) - 50 boxes ordered
- Float (check with Maureen Watts)
- Volunteers (Maureen W & Darren Dursel but no grads have signed up)

ENTERTAINMENT/ACTIVITIES FOR DRY GRAD

- Ordered from PartyWorks
 - WipeOut
 - LED Swings (6)
 - Human Spheres - discussed changing this to Bubble balls contained in track/Kerri to check if we can change
- Hypnotist - discussed that due to limited time & length of hypnotist show, we would cancel this/Kerri to let Grad Council know reason why we want to cancel this
- Tarot Card reader - discussed that this might be something to replace hypnotist with/Lisa to check into this

- Palm Reader - discussed this as option too
- Airbrush Artists - need to find some
- Money Booth - Sandy Frost said she has heard feedback from other grads that this is fun
- Tea Leaf Reader - decided this wouldn't be as exciting for grads
- Psychic Readings - possibly but not all parents would agree with this
- Karaoke - Long & McQuade/check pricing
- Casino - blackjack, poker, roulette/Kerri will check pricing
- Decor - Sandy suggested Hoola Hoops with lights
- Just Dance - book from PartyWorks or do ourselves?/Kerri to check pricing

TREASURER REPORT - LEANNE

- Some confusion over an entry of \$2604.00
- Kerri & Leanne to sort out (check with Maureen Watts as it may be from Pub Night Fundraiser)
- Currently we have \$11,250 in funds raised
- Discussed creating a Hardship Fund instead of a scholarship with any leftover/unused funds. This would benefit some our grads or future grads that struggle financially to attend all the grad activities throughout the grad year.

DONATIONS/SPONSORSHIP UPDATE

- Donation of \$500 received from Blue Moon Plumbing and Heating
- Susan White has a record of all donations & has been sending out thank you letters

UPCOMING EVENTS/FUNDRAISERS

- Black & Lee (April 16 @ DWP) - Sandy to facilitate
 - Decided all funds raised would go to Hardship fund for Grads needing assistance to attend Prom/Dry Grad
- Hanging Baskets/Herb Planters
 - Sale ends April 18th
 - Currently, 61 hanging baskets/25 herb planters sold

DRY GRAD TICKET SALES

- Early Bird tickets available until April 18th @ \$25 then will go up to \$40
- Currently 44 tickets sold on KEV online
- Discussed if we should extend date by a couple of weeks as still awaiting Prom guest approval to be completed so grads could have guest tickets at early bird price. Kerri will make decision once she sees sale #s on April 18th.
- Will sell tickets at a few lunch hours in May when Prom tickets are being sold (invited by Ms. Murray)/need grad volunteers to sell tickets

POPPY CAR SHOW

- Kerri will be Gate Coordinator & will send out schedule for parent & grad volunteer shifts (2-3 hr shifts)/Sydney Winter will send out shifts to Grads on Grad facebook site
- Need 2-4 parents/shift and 8-10 grads/shift

CAR WASH & BBQ (MAY 25)

- Discussed cancelling this fundraiser as we should be at our goal for funds & it may be difficult to get Grad volunteers as it's getting to be a busy time for them with graduation duties/activities

NEXT MEETING: April 29th