

Riverview High School International Baccalaureate Parent Organization IBPO Board of Directors Meeting March 5, 2024

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order at 10:04 am

ESTABLISH A QUORUM/ROLL CALL

Present: Dr. Minor, Erin Haughey, Melissa Watrobsky, Cathy Leetzow, Kami Yaegers, Qiang Fitzgerald, Alice Moe, Suzanne Shkorupa, Wendy Gengler, Jamie Black

WELCOME BY THE PRESIDENT

President, Melissa Watrobsky, called the meeting to order.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY:

Motion made by Melissa Watrobsky to approve February 2024 Minutes with the correction: Once filled should be "If not filled it will be opened to the non IB students". Seconded by Kami Yaegers, the motion passed unanimously.

TREASURER'S Report: Jamie Black

Organization is in good condition financially. Financials and P&L attached

PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE - Erin Haughey

Third quarter completed with Spring Break. Writing testing for 9th & 10th graders will begin upon return. GPA chords are now on sale for seniors and the list of chords can be found at RHS ACTIVITIES.com for \$10.00 each. The purchase of cords is not mandatory. Practice on May 7th; cap and gowns will be distributed along with 4 tickets per student/family. If more tickets are needed, students must stay after practice on the 17th to get the extra ticket(s). Practice will begin at 3:00 p.m. Students must be at Robarts on the 18th at 8:00 am. RHS Foundation will have reserved seats up for bid. Principal Haughey will be sending out an email on details in the first week of April. Graduation usually lasts approximately 90 minutes. The District has chosen Riverview High School to pilot a weapons detection system for the district. The School Board hopes to have systems in place for middle and high schools next year as well as athletic events. Principal Haughey has requested the date of May 1st be scheduled for the pilot. Exams start 4/26 for seniors.

IB COORDINATOR UPDATE - Dr. Minor

Riverview IB was featured in an article in EducationWeek putting us in the national spotlight.

Yesterday was Community Day for sophomores and juniors. Course selection was reviewed for next year's schedule. Exams for seniors start in May. Volunteers for testing will be needed for English on May 9th noon – 4pm and on May 10th 8:00 am to noon in the gym. Fifteen volunteers will be needed each day.

PRESIDENTS REPORT – Melissa Watrobsky

A Senior Banquet Committee for 2025 needs to be formed soon. Hyatt banquet space will be reduced later this year, and a new banquet location needs to be found. Going forward a flat fee of \$10.00 will be charged to mail gear. Dr. Minor will get back with dates for both the teacher and senior gifts to be distributed. Information on the Senior Essay Contest for the IB Scholarship will be dropped in the team's area.

Next meeting scheduled for April 9th, 2024 Meeting adjourned at 10:33 Respectfully submitted Cathy Leetzow, Secretary