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Perry High School Council Minutes

April 18, 2022

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Martin at 7:03 a.m. in the Perry High School media center. Mr. Martin led the group in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Council members present included Mr. Del Martin, Louise Abara, Julie Davey, Amy Dixon, John Greco and Sam Lester. Also present was Rhonda Walters (minutes). Council member, Renee Lee, was absent.

The minutes for the February 7, 2022, meeting were reviewed and approved with a motion made by Mr. Lester. A second was made by Ms. Davey.

Old business included:

- Mr. Martin updated previous information regarding MAPS testing and results

New business included:

- Prom – Will be held at the Georgia National Fairgrounds on Saturday, April 23. Tickets available through GoFan
- Parent Advisement – was successful. Parents met with advisors to secure Fall 2022 schedules. Mr. Lester added that the process worked very well and was very informative.
- Special Olympics – was hosted at PHS for first time and went well. Several of our students volunteered to help
- Construction – New field house and parking lot coming to PHS where old canning plant was previously. Canning plant was moved to Main Street and is a great facility to use for canning vegetables during the summer. Construction scheduled to be completed by beginning of new school year. Mrs. Dixon suggested parking in that lot be priority parking and extra money could be used for senior activities.
- Upcoming Ninth Graders – We hosted Eighth grade day on March 23. Students toured PHS and visited booths for extracurricular clubs and activities. Parent night was March 24. Counselors were available to answer questions.
- Second Athletic Signing Day – 5 additional athletes signed letter of intent to play at the next level bringing the total to 23
- New Basketball Coach – Mark Gainous is coming to us from Georgia College and planning to help support our students as they continue to develop as athletes and advance to the next level

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- Summer Learning Academy – PHS is one of two schools hosting again this summer. There are a total of 90 slots
- Literary – PHS won Region Literary and also had several state winners. Chorus was added for the first time this year and we had a boys' quartet that won first place at Region
- Testing – Milestone testing begins April 20, AP testing begins May 2. End of Pathway assessments were just completed. Mr. Martin explained EOP testing. Students can become certified in an area and receive a cord for graduation when they complete a pathway and pass the test.
- Sports
 - Soccer – Region Champs; Coach Dooley was named Region Coach of the Year; Frasier Knappek received Best Defensive Player Award
 - Baseball – currently number one in Region pending Howard games this week
- Honors Day Programs –
 - Night Grade – May 18 @ 10:00am
 - Tenth Grade – May 19 @ 10:00am
 - Eleventh Grade – May 19 @ 1:15
 - Twelfth Grade – May 17 @ 6:00pm
- FFA – Has received so many outstanding awards and was recognized at the board meeting recently. First place in both Senior Nursery Landscape and Junior Livestock Evaluation. Both are headed to Nationals.
- Drama Department – Recently won first place at the Southeastern Theatre Conference in Memphis for "Tale of the Winged Monkeys"; outstanding program has won many awards this year
- Graduation – PHS will graduated first this year at 4:00 in Reaves Arena at the Georgia National Fairgrounds. Seniors received 12 tickets each

Mr. Martin concluded by asking if there were any additional questions or comments. Ms. Davey asked if the new softball coach has been appointed. Mr. Martin replied that Mr. Daniel Wood will be stepping up into that position and we will be looking for a new assistant coach.

Mr. Martin asked if there were any suggestions for additional clubs or activities PHS might want to consider adding next year. Chess is a possibility but we are currently looking for a sponsor. There were no additional suggestions.

With no further questions or comments, the meeting was adjourned at 7:46.

Submitted by Rhonda Walters