**Huntington School Council Meeting**

**Date**: September 5, 2023

**Members Present**: Ms. Love, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Warren, Mr. Beers, Mrs. Beers, Mrs. Lofland

**Members Absent**: Mr. Matthews, Mr. Carson, Mr. Prieto,

**Call to order**: Ms. Love

**Reflection**: New beginnings – HMS with new Administration, new people, new year…the new brings new opportunities, new growth, new ideas. Looking forward to new achievements this year.

**Pledge of Allegiance**: Ms. Love

**Approval of Agenda**: **Ms. Love distributed the agenda posted pursuant to the Open Meetings Act.**

**Moved, seconded, and carried that the school council approve the agenda as presented.**

**MOTION: Mrs. Beers ; SECOND: Mrs. Warren**

**VOTE: 6 YES 0 NO**

**Approval of Minutes**:

**Moved, seconded, and carried that the school council approve the minutes of the**

**May 2, 2023 meeting of the HMS School Council.**

**MOTION: Mrs .Warren ; SECOND: Mr. Beers**

**VOTE: 6 YES 0 NO**

**Visitors**: None

**Report of Principal**:

1) Dr. Robinson – Introducing himself – From Bonaire APD/API

2) New staff members – Dr. Woolfolk – APD, Mrs. Nauss – Bookkeeper, 4 new 6th grade teachers, 1 new 7th grade Sped teacher, 5 new 8th grade teachers, 3 new paraprofessionals, new Chorus teacher, and new Agriculture teacher.

3) PBIS – Had the kickoff – Students/Teachers enjoyed the kickoff. Rewards/punishments to help students do their best behaviors.

4) Open House – Over 200 attended the event.

 Counselors presented – Middle School 101

 Mrs. Green presented – Lexile Level/Reading Strategies

 Dr. Robinson – Title One/Bullying

5) Fall Map Given and Data has come in – Teachers will look at data to determine small groups and HAWK time, etc.

6) Anchor for Life – Gibson/Reynolds – Making leaders out of students to help military students (and other new students) transition into Huntington Nest.

7) Friday – Sept 1 – Kick back Fundraisers – FCCLA/TSA – held during connections.

8) Mentoring Programs –

 Omega Psi Phi – 30 boys

 Christan Men’s Mentoring Group

 Mason’s

 First Baptist Church – Adopted our school

9) Book Fair – Very Successful – opened to community and at open house and of course to our students

10) Books and Breakfast – Once all students get to go to the Media Center – students will use the morning time as Books and Breakfast.

11) Universal Screener – Will take place next Wednesday through Advisement time – Counselors will administer – parents were able their students who cannot come.

12) Back to school Dance – Great success – Dr. Robinson was videoed dancing.

13) Sports – Football – 7th and 8th grade are both undefeated. Softball – They are improving. Cheerleading – 1st Competition this Saturday.

Report from Mrs. Roberts (Counselor):

 1) Universal Screener next week

 2) Attendance Month for September

Report from Mrs. Warren (Sped Department):

 1) CBI Trip where students interact with other students from other county schools.

 2) Students test – they are being discussed and given strategies to improve before next test

Old Business: none

New Business: none

**Ms. Love calls for a motion to Adjourn**:

Motion – Mrs. Warren ; Second- Mr. Beers

Vote: 6 YES NO