

# HSO Council Meeting Agenda

## February 11, 2026

- Call to Order
- Approve January meeting minutes
- Superintendent & School Board Report
- President Report
  - Custodial Overtime Announcement
  - Raffle Permit Reminder
  - Scholarship Readers Needed
    - Each Treasurer must participate
    - One reader from each unit—please let me know readers by end of February
  - Flower Sale Reminders
    - Store Closes March 15
    - Delivery May 2
    - Possible home delivery option
  - Council Board Members Needed for 2026-27 School Year
- Vice President Report
  - Fundraiser update
    - HSO Council 2nd Fundraiser event: Date Confirmation
- Treasurer Report
  - Budget Update
  - GiveButter Questions and Updates
- Corresponding and Recording Secretary Reports
- Unit Delegate Reports
  - Elementary
  - Junior High
  - High School
- Committee Updates
- Old business
- New business
- Adjournment



# HSO Council Meeting Minutes

## January 14, 2026

- Call to Order
  - Motion to move Kimberly Kidd, seconded by Jennie Gentile at 7:00pm
  - In attendance: Heather Tumbarelli, Jennie Gentile, Kristina Jezewski, Lindsay Dunbar, Jenny Keele, Kimberly Kidd, Kate Foster, Melissa Lamkin
- Approve October Meeting Minutes
  - Motion to approve Jennie Gentile, second Kimberly Kidd
- Superintendent & School Board Report
  - Kate Foster, representing School Board
  - Short December meeting
    - New club at JR High (Spanish Club); policy review (expanded developmentally appropriate k-12 drug and alcohol education); bullying policy expanding to include AI (Board Policies: 7:180 Prevention and Response to Bully, Intimidation, Harassment; 7:190 Student Behavior); tax levy 2.9% increase approved
  - November meeting
    - HS focus: Mr. Martzoff (attendance to academic performance correlation; average attendance rate compared to average GPA, how it affects ACT score as well); Mr. Markum talked about athletics: 61% of students in at least one sport, 97% in 2 sports, and 8% in 3 sports; 625 students participating in clubs/activities, which is 70-75% of students; more that students are involved, the more they are connected to school; Dean O'Hara support students with attendance and do home checks and community outreach; all freshman placed in algebra, added chemistry is required as sophomore; shifted from SAT to ACT, refocusing prep for testing; AP placement classes expanded so students can take as early as freshman year; School Report Card designation is commendable, small change based on graduation rate/number of students (effects 202 because of small population)
- Officer Reports
  - Directory Distribution Update
    - Follow up asking about access for teachers, not going to distribute based on varying feedback from principals
  - Fundraiser update
    - HSO Council 2nd Fundraiser event
      - *bowling idea did not pan out; transitioning to a Talent Show; location, HS commons area; small entry fee; will sell concessions; Friday, May 1st preferred date, with a back up Friday, April 10th (pending no conflict with Jr High trivia night)*
      - Date Vote: Friday April 17, Friday April 10, Saturday March 21
        - April 17 is Jr High trivia night
        - April 24, HS prom
    - Possible idea for future
      - Clovers Garden, look into future use for weekend pop-up sale; could be something to look at as an addition/alternative/instead of Flower Sale; potential money back to school? (Jenny Keele)

- Treasurer Report
  - Checks will be coming in for restaurant nights, doing fairly well, some better than others
  - HSO Council iPad purchased
    - Not fully set up, but ready to go
  - Membership Site: GiveButter Overview
    - Look to transition for 26-27 school year from Square to GiveButter; get feedback from boards
    - Would individual users need to create a GiveButter account to be able to register? Could they register or sign in as a guest?
  
- Corresponding and Recording Secretary Reports
  - No reports
  
- Unit Delegate Reports
  - Elementary
    - Met in December; Adults Night Out very successful, 50/50 raffle won by committee chair; Book fair brought in about \$5000, elementary classroom teachers each got a book from LEHSO; push for committee recruitment; painting night and 3-5 dance coming up in January; k-2 dance in Feb
  - Junior High
    - Author visit in February, Mental Health awareness theme; working on concessions and piloting to take credit cards; close to budget on concessions, resale, Halloween dance and Winter dance; stock the lounge collection start 1/29; Trivia Night 4/17
  - High School
    - Met last week; talked about moving to School Links (comprehensive college and career readiness program), start using with 8th grade next year; College Night 1/14; Band Concert upcoming; getting ready for Bingo Night on 1/39; Stock the Lounge (hopefully Valentine's week); discussion of Boosters vs. HSO and where money can come from without stepping on toes of each (Kate gave background that HSO used to be in charge of the 50/50 and funds went to Scholarship); fundraiser possibility for HS similar to painting night but for parents night, Jill will contact Lindsay; athletic booster club exists in HS and there is talk about an academic booster club; Teacher Appreciation Week in May
  
- Committee Updates
  - Flower Sale-Delivery May 2nd
  
- Old business
  
- New business
  - Future meetings: tentative change May 13 to May 18 or 19?; bring new board members
  
- Adjournment
  - Motion to adjourn Heather Tumbarelli, seconded by Jennie Gentile, adjourned 8:12pm