

## **University High School Alumni Association**

### **Meeting Minutes: May 6, 2019**

#### **Present:**

Tom Feely, Amy Jennings, Dana Klauss, Marc Leonard, Dixie Lewis, Andrea Markert, Dave Martin, Stacey Meyer, Meaghan Pantaleone, Ryan Scritchlow, Steve Wilson

#### **Absent:**

Erik Anderson, Barbara Blunk, Bob Fitzgerald, Pete Pontius, Cory Roop, Eric Schlipf

**Call to Order:** Minutes of the April 8, 2019, meeting were distributed and approved.

#### **Administration Report:**

- 1) Andrea reported the incoming freshman class will consist of 144 students.
- 2) Class Night will be held on Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, and will be live-streamed on the UHS webpage.
- 3) Senior Brunch is Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>. Dana Klauss will attend as a representative of the Alumni Association.

**Foundation Report:** No updates at this time.

#### **Awards Committee:**

- 1) Steve Wilson has volunteered to take over Tom Feely's Chair position. Tom will remain available to assist with the transition.
- 2) There are four new committee members that collectively represent classes from all the decades - '60s, '70s, '80s, '90s and '00s.
- 3) The Committee is still seeking a few more nominations for the Friends of U-High Award and Alumni Service Award.
- 4) The Committee met in April and made selections for the Hall of Fame and Distinguished Alumni Awards.

#### **Newsletter:**

- 1) The current Newsletter has been sent out.
- 2) Dave Martin will need all submissions for the September edition by June 20<sup>th</sup>.
- 3) Stacey will work on getting the production schedule.

#### **Alumni Relations:**

- 1) The Classes of 1970 and 1971 are working on 2020 and 2021 reunions.

**Homecoming:**

Discussion was held regarding the Homecoming pre-game event. A suggestion was made to include a donation box at the event to raise funds to help cover the cost of the meal. Other ideas for fundraising were discussed.

The Board decided to move forward with the silent auction idea. Each Committee Member is asked to bring in at least one gift basket/gift card donation for the auction by the September meeting.

Pete recommended since the silent auction fundraiser is a new addition to the pre-game event that it be advertised in the September Newsletter.

**Next Meeting:** Monday, August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 6pm.