

Project Graduation 2024 Minutes
Wednesday, March 6, 2024

Start time: 6:30PM

Attendees: Jenn B (AHM), Ashlee P (AHM), Brenda B (parent/AHM), Tracy C. (parent), Theresa B (parent) and

Introduction of new Project Graduation Coordinator, Ashlee.

Three weeks of overlap between old and new coordinator for knowledge share

Welcome/introductions/thanked parents for joining tonight!

Project Grad will be held on the night of RHAM High School graduation on Friday, June 14, 2024.

Overview of event from onboarding process to event, event itself, vendors AHM has contracted with already and ideas for other activities, photo booth, station with polaroid cameras, PG memento craft with Ann Marie (AHM), magician!, a mural for grads to write on.

AHM Youth webpage has all information about Project Graduation; history, Amazon gift registry for parents to purchase raffle prizes for PG event (link open now), graduation lawn sign fundraiser, registration, AHM Scholarship for those with financial hardship, sign-up genius to volunteer for onboarding process or to chaperone the event.

AHM applied for two grants; Verizon Wireless & The Herren Project. PG ticket price will be determined once we are notified. All members agree to keep price at what it was in recent years if possible.

This event is in need of a DJ.

Options of where the DJ can be located was a discussion; not outside/sound ordinances, in 'food room' but need to determine if electrical is good for this (Revolutions), bowling alley with couches/chairs removed for dancing. Jenn B to connect with dad of 2024. Members asked to connect with people they know who DJ or a DJ they saw 'in-action' at a past event.

Members present want to find out what other vendors are being used by local high schools at their safe grad event.

Ashlee – Tolland High School

Brenda B – Will call Vernon & South Windsor

Theresa B – Will call East Hampton & EO Smith

Jenn B – Will call Glastonbury

[Tressa – Ellington] Brenda to ask

Ashlee and Brenda to visit Revolutions; Jenn B to share contact.

End time 7:44PM