# October 6, 2014 Student Honors Council Meeting Notes

#### **Attendees**

Dr. David Janssen

Dr. Rhonda Wilcox

Timothy Graham, SHC President

Preston Allen, SHC Vice President

Rebecca (Becky) Walls

Catherine (Kat) Crawford, Recorder

#### **Honors Scholarship**

Dr. Janssen reminded the council that the deadline for the new Honors Scholarship was the following Friday. He urged that we remind other students to send their applications.

# The notes from the last meeting were approved.

### **Service Project**

Dr. Janssen summed up the meeting that the council had with Laura Bowen to discuss our service project idea. He said that Ms. Bowen told us that there are already many resources available to students with life problems, but we could help by raising awareness of the problems students deal with and the resources to help them.

The council agreed to gather a collection of brochures about resources and place them in the honors house. We discussed the possibility of find some sort of brochure display case, but reached no conclusion.

It was agreed that we would ask our own Malissa Allen to be our first speaker in a series of forums designed to help educate students and raise awareness about problems students have in life. The first forum topic will be domestic violence.

Preston Allen volunteered to speak with Malissa Allen on the subject, and to contact Laura Bowen and ask for her to attend the forum.

# **Guys in Heels**

Becky Walls brought up a previously mentioned idea about a "walk-in-her shoes" relay. Many were in favor of the idea, but no consensus was reached.

#### **Health Fair**

Kat Crawford mentioned her idea from the previous meeting about possibly doing some sort of community health fair.

Becky wall suggested that the "walk-in-her shoes" be a part of that.

Dr. Janssen said that it might be an idea for later on, but he thought it was probably biting off more than we could chew at this point.

## **Other Forum Ideas**

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Dr. Janssen asked that council members consider other ideas for future forums. Tim Graham suggested topics such as stress, anxiety, and depression.

# **Field Trip**

Tim Graham is going to decide on what to do for the field trip. He may do an online survey for the Honors members to help choose.

# **New Member Party**

The council decided that the party for our new members should be some time towards the ends of the month, maybe on a Monday or Thursday.

Kat Crawford said she could get a deal on pizzas if that is what the council wanted to do at the party.