

Minutes of a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Townsend Harris Alumni Association, Inc., held at the Grand Hyatt Hotel, New York City  
February 24, 1991

Present were the following:

Abraham C. Bein	Jerry Halpern	Norman Bernstein
Irving Gerber	Lester Friesner	Melvin Moore
Maurice Paprin	Tom Sweetin	Arthur Katz
Sidney Silverman	Alec Pollak	Jules Graber
Ken Male	Saul Grossman	Mort Lisser
Peter Joseph	Daniel Lew	Nat Epstein
Ted Peck	Julie Chan	Ken Shorter
Herbert Kadison	Jennifer Antoszewski	

Peter Joseph announced that Mal Largmann will be honored by the Jewish Teachers Association on April 14th, 9:30 A.M. at the Utopia Jewish Center, with others. Cost is \$38.

Julius Graber gave the financial report. All accounts total approximately \$130,000, some of it specifically earmarked to the high school.

A letter was read from a THHS student expressing gratitude for the alumni association's financial assistance.

Tom Sweetin reported for Mal Largmann, thanking the alumni for the financial assistance to the music program. He mentioned the number of merit scholarships awarded and an outstanding science teacher at the high school.

Ted Peck distributed Hall of Fame invitations, announcing the fee of \$150 per person. Irv Gerber questioned the high cost to the members.

The living honorees recommended are: Bernard West (writer, producer), Henry Shereff (attorney), Ken Shorter (judge), Robert Jastrow (scientist), Boris Kostelanez (attorney), Bentley Kassal (judge), Gerald Chazen (executive), Reuben Fine (chess master), Wilbur Pritchard (engineer) and Avrum Röss (M.D., scientist). *Men we know, Sol Chabern, Solomon A Lipset*

Posthumous honorees recommended are: Adam Clayton Powell, Harry Van Arsdale, Yip Harburg, Frank Loesser and Lawrence Cremin, *Paul A. Rosen*

Discussions were held to have the Selection Committee meet again to approve the selections made by the Partial Committee. A motion was passed to allow the Committee to make the final selections. The Board expressed gratitude to Ted Peck and his Committee for their efforts.

A motion was passed to have Tom Sweetin and Alec Pollak explore the possibility of preparing records of TH graduates.

Irv Gerber reported that only 10% of the new graduates are joining the alumni association. The Board felt that all new graduates should be kept on the membership list, whether or not they paid dues.

Irv Gerber read some letters from the alumni. The dates for future meetings are: March 24, April 21 and May 19.

Respectfully submitted,  
*Irving Gerber*  
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Executive Director

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## TREASURER'S REPORT

			PRIOR PERIOD	CURRENT PERIOD	TOTAL	
			4/1 - 11/30/90	11/1/91 - 12/31/91	1/1/90 - 12/31/91	
1						
2						
3	CURRENT BALANCE - BEG		18370	15196	18370	
4	<b>RECEIPTS</b>					
5						
6	MAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND		20000	20000	20000	
7	DUES		8340	10760	19100	
8	CONTRIBUTIONS		2300	3250	5550	
9	1990 CLASS GIFT		1000		1000	
10	1990 CLASS GIFT		139	500	639	
11	SHERIFF FUND		500		500	
12	FRIENDS FUND		100		100	
13	HALL OF FAME		24	60	84	
14	INTEREST		534	140	674	
15	TOTAL RECEIPTS		47717	34710	62427	
16	TOTAL AVAIL		46087	49906	80797	
17						
18	<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>					
19	PRINTING & NEWSLETTER		4660	3858	8518	
20	MAN SCHOLARSHIP		10000		10000	10000
21	GRADUATION COSTS		2946		2946	2946
22	GRADUATION AWARDS		1800		1800	1800
23	TUITION ASSISTANCE		903		903	903
24	FD OF ESTIMATE - MTG		1027		1027	1027
25	THHS NEWSPAPER		222		222	222
26	ACCOUNTING FEE			1000	1000	
27	HALL OF FAME - PHOTOGRAPHY		432		432	
28	MEETINGS		1454	375	1829	
29	CHAPTER EXPENSE		740		740	740
30	CLERICAL HELP		419	10	429	
31	OBITUARY FLOWERS		357		357	
32	HONORARIUM EXEC DIR		1750		1750	
33	ANNUAL MYS FUEL		60		60	
34	PRINCIPAL DISCRETIONARY FD		1500		1500	1500
35	VAN INSURANCE		1007		1007	1007
36	ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM		482		482	482
37	GROUND BREAKING - CAISER		910		910	910
38	THHS FENCING TEAM		500		500	500
39	MISCELLANEOUS		182	5	187	
40	OFFICERS' EXPENSES			158	158	
	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		30891	5406	36297	26077
	CURRENT BALANCE - END		15196	44500	44500	

Program Costs

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