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Meeting minutes

January 13, 2022 | 6:30pm | Meeting called to order by K. Craig

In Attendance

Attendees: 76 people including below

PTA Executive Board: K. Craig, E. Allen, A. Nair, M. Pinto, R. Gunness, A. Shum

SLT: A. Galan

School Admin: L. Pavone, D. Rombone, E. Montalvo

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:33 p.m. by K. Craig.

Approval of December 2021 Meeting Minutes

The minutes of the December 8, 2021 meeting were approved.

Guest Speaker

City Council Member Julie Won was a guest speaker. She introduced herself and thanked L. Pavone, K. Craig, and the school for welcoming her. J. Won and Farah Salam provided contact information if anyone wanted to speak about the current public health crisis, or address concerns. Emails can be sent to:

district26@council.nyc.gov / Tel: 718-383-9566

Upcoming Events

Valentine Bake Sale is coming up at the beginning of February. Orders will be taken online and delivered before Valentine's Day. More info to follow. Read-A-Thon will be held from February 7-21. A prize will be given to the student who raises the most funds. Parents were asked to please fill out the Permission To Test Form so more of the student population can be tested at school. Vaccine referral bonus program continues until January 31st, 2022. Our PTA is listed as "Parent Teacher Association of PS78Q" in the referral drop down list. There are many ways to fundraise while you shop, including: Amazon Smile, Minted, Shutterfly, FlipGive, and Book Culture.

Treasurer's Report

Revenue and Expenses to date were presented.

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Important Dates

Important dates for January/February were presented. These include dates when schools will be closed, including: Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Lunar New Year, and Mid-Winter Recess which is February 21st through February 25th.

Principal Comments

L. Pavone spoke about the upcoming Kindergarten Information Session to be held on January 14th at 9am via Zoom.

SLT

Newspaper Club is starting soon and open to 3rd-8th grade. Debate league is in process of being created. Science Club details are also being worked out.

Parent of the Month

January's Parent of the Month is Ava Lieu.

Questions

Parent asked what type of weather cancels recess. L. Pavone explained that recess occurs every day, no matter what the weather may be. If there is inclement weather, recess continues in the auditorium with games.

Meeting Adjourned

Meeting was adjourned by K. Craig at 7:09 p.m.

Student of the Month

Students of the Month were presented. The value of the month was Kindness.