

PS 174 PA General Meeting Minutes

October 2, 2023, 6 p.m., via Zoom

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Attendees (29) Executive Board:

President: Max Dickstein (not able to attend)

Vice Presidents: Marc Lee, Michael McDonough (not able to attend), Sonya Sakhrani,

Nitin Patel.

Co-Recording Secretaries: Anna Myers Sabatini, Hannah Trager.

Co-Treasurers: Romain Suinat, Dalelyn Wyszinksi

Members:

Gregory Arnold, Erin Branum, Rebecca Chin, Connie Ng, Evelyn Crespo-Zambrano, Kayla Dominguez, Silvia Germosen, Ivy, JT, Julius Lee, Gina Looby, Kyle, Lemenor Beyene, Matthew, Natalia Oudalova, Nodira Hankeldieva, Raj S, Renee Frisch, Rosa, Franzi, Seil Ling (Jen) Tse, Judy Wong, Katerina Zuniga One person did not give name.

Please remember to sign in. The purpose of this meeting is to conduct the official business of the PS 174 PA.

I. Call to Order

- A. Start recording 6:06 pm
- B. Read previous minutes- Read by Hannah Trager

II. President's Report

- A. Halloween Party! Tickets, planning, volunteers
 - a. Guest Speaker Judy Wong (leading Halloween event)
 - b. Halloween invite/flyer has been shared by Dr. Lewis via email
 - c. All tickets purchased online
 - d. Sales are live
 - e. Two options for purchasing- family option or individual
 - f. May also be able to sell tickets at the door- \$20 each
 - g. Dependent on capacity
 - h. Last year sold out at 300 capacity
 - i. Anyone volunteering the day of the party (full time) attends for free
 - j. In need of Emcee, raffle manager, game hosts, snack tables, exit supervisor
 - k. Open to other ideas
 - I. Signup to volunteer
 - m. Website
 - n. Tickets
 - o. Whatsapp link
 - p. Goal of \$3000 fundraising- would pay for residencies
 - q. Decorating committee Friday before the event
 - r. Questions



i. All adults and children need a ticket (unless adult is volunteering)

III. President's Report

- B. School Leadership Team (SLT) report
 - a. No SLT since last PA meeting
- C. Safety Committee report

IV. Treasurer's Report

- A. Monthly report
 - a. Dues received- \$160
 - b. Oktoberfest fundraiser- \$400
 - c. Spirit Day 9/28- \$800
 - d. Expense- Shutterfly \$250
 - e. Current balance \$4200
- B. PS 174 PA Spirit Wear Day: 9/29/23 earnings \$800

V. Business

- A. Fundraising- PA needs "leaders" to spearhead events, sign up using this link
 - i. Ideas discussed
 - 1. Community yard sale
 - b. Aigner Chocolate Fundraiser: October 1-7th
 - i. Great gifts!
 - c. Shopfund.com catalog fundraiser through 10/11/23
 - i. Sent home in student folders
 - d. Picture Day
 - i. October 23rd and 24th
 - e. Cool for School Picture Day, 10/23/23-10/24/23
 - f. Halloween Party, 10/29/23 need volunteers, sign up here
- B. Fifth Grade Committee
 - a. Committee has not been formally formed yet
 - b. Dr. Lewis is meeting with 5th grade teachers
 - Middle School admissions opening next week. Be on the lookout for email from school
- C. Residencies
- D. Scholastic book fair
 - a. Sonya Sakhrani is spearheading, November 8th-14th Dr. Lewis is confirming times. Volunteers needed

VII. Discussion

Questions:

Spirit Wear - how to purchase gear?
-PA needs to restock

Picture Day Schedule

Pending

Remind

Pending

Field Trips/Residencies

Lincoln Center - Status of tickets?

Met Opera - Status of tickets?

Nutcracker ballet (4th grade)- Status of tickets?

Afterschool Possibility



Parents should reach out to administration and express interest Movie Night

Hannah will follow up with Dr. Lewis about projector

VIII. Adjournment - 7:00 pm

A. End recording

