

PTSA Parent Meeting Minutes

Oct 10, 2017

I.6:30 PM -7:00 PM - Principal Ms Kinney

II.7PM - 8PM – Board members presented and parent chat

In attendance:

- Samantha Robertson
- Deborah Robertson
- Diane Martin
- Doron Avitan
- Renu Bhandari
- Mirielle Baumuel
- Aaron Knopf
- Niko Schuessler

Quorum for the meeting is present.

The principal Ms. Margaret Kinney is in attendance

III. Signature sheet of parents who attended (saved separately)

IV. Meeting minutes from Ms Kinney's presentation-

- Attendance at parent meeting will be considered one hour volunteering.
- PTSA to look out for speakers who can talk on topics like Gifted kids, Bright kids but struggling, Emotional Health, Stress Management, Broader Career Path, Social relationships, How to communicate socially, Express Feelings, etc.
- Suggestion was made that parents of alumni can be asked to come and speak about their experiences with college admission
- Parents and students would like to know more about scholarship abilities
- She thanked the parents for their continuous volunteering
- She explained about focus week to the new ICS families
- Principal Kinney was appreciative about the International Student Trip co ordination
- She mentioned that the student study center is open and students should be asked to make full use of it
- She informed parents that students are not supervised after school if they are not in a club. Students should be picked up at a reasonable time for their own safety.

V. ASB Presented. Minutes from the presentation-

- ASB requested donation for youth care
- Parents to make it less overwhelming for 6th graders
- ASB to try to provide a list of achievements in last 10 years

VI. Approval of Sep 12th minutes

Approved

VII. Oystein, PTSA co-president presented

Niko, PTSA co-treasurer presented

- Talked about how and where the money is being spent
- Talked about the expenses that came in from registration and the expenses that were taken care by PTSA like site improvement, etc.
- 3 students were given scholarship
- AP books were funded by PTSA
- Parents were informed that all the teachers are aware about the grants from PTSA and they do request for grant
- Parents were informed about the board vacations opening up

VIII. Meeting adjourned at 8 pm