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**PTA General Membership Meeting**  
**Wednesday, October 13, 2020**  
**7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.**

**AGENDA**

1. Welcome and Call to Order (7 p.m.)
2. President's Report
  - a. Acceptance of September 2021 Meeting Minutes
  - b. Reading of September 2021 Treasurer's Report
  - c. General Information
  - d. Open items
3. Special Nomination/Election – Co Treasurer
4. Principal's Report, Ms. Karalazarides
5. Question and Answer
6. Adjournment

**IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:**

***10/15 SLT***

***10/21 CEC Meeting***

***10/25-10/29 Book Fair***

***11/2 Election Day – School Closed (Remote instruction)***

***11/3-11/4 Parent Teacher Conferences***

***11/9 Candy Sale ends***

***11/10 PTA Meeting***



### **Minutes of the P.T.A. General Meeting September 21, 2021**

Meeting was called to order virtually via Zoom at 7:05 PM by Cindy Lau-Seto. There were 46 Attendees.

**Executive Board Present:** Alicia Wehner, Cindy Lau-Seto, Julie Fulgencio, Chrissie Perez, Cindy Chiu, Christine Chiu, Robyn Bonavita, Angela Kim (r.), Alana Leung, Angela Kim (t.), Marilyn Khan, Rosa Lam, Todd Friedman

#### **Treasurer's Reports: Presented by Cindy Lau-Seto:**

The Financial Report for June 2021 was presented.

- Blue Ribbon Ceremony and Clothing Drive were a big success.
- Expenses were high due to end of year events. We expect a full re-bound in the coming new year as our school will be open to full in-person learning.

#### **President's Report: Presented by Cindy Lau-Seto**

- Motion to accept the June Minutes was made by Robin Bonavita and Alana Leung.
- We are asking for Membership Donations of \$25 or more to support our school activities and events. If you donate more than \$50 you will receive a Swag Bag and your child's class will be entered in for an Ice Cream Party. Go to our website to donate.  
[www.tinyurl.com/ps46donate](http://www.tinyurl.com/ps46donate)
- We are looking for volunteers. If interested email us [ps46qpta@gmail.com](mailto:ps46qpta@gmail.com)
- Please fill out the google form link to submit your information for class lists. It is a great resource to communicate for homework help and planning a party. The link is <http://tinyurl.com/ps46qclasslists>
- We are holding a Special Election for a Co-Treasurer. If interested email us at [ps46q.nominations@gmail.com](mailto:ps46q.nominations@gmail.com)
- Every 4 years our By-Laws need to be evaluated. If you are interested in helping out email us at [ps46qpta@gmail.com](mailto:ps46qpta@gmail.com)
- New options for fundraisers and family participation activities under current situations will continue to be a topic for the next several meetings. Please feel free to give suggestions and ideas of activities that you would like the school to partake in.



### **Principal's Report: Presented by Stamo Karalazarides**

Ms. Stamo Karalazarides was accompanied by Donna Kodjapashis, the school's Parent Coordinator.

- Special Guest Speaker Dr. Panagis Galiatsatos MD from Johns Hopkins Hospital - Baltimore Maryland - Pulmonology, Pleural Disease discussed any concerns or questions regarding the vaccine. If you have any additional questions you can email him at [dr.g@jhmi.edu](mailto:dr.g@jhmi.edu)
- Beginning immediately, we will increase testing from biweekly to weekly.
- Starting September 27 we will no longer close entire classrooms when there is one positive case in the classroom. We will now follow the CDC guidance which recommends that unvaccinated students who are masked and at least three feet distanced will not have to quarantine if they are identified as a close contact.
- Parent Engagement Time will be held on Tuesdays from 2:20-2:40pm. Please schedule with your child's teacher accordingly.
- Parent Teacher Conference will continue to be virtual.
- All Staff must be vaccinated and/or show 1st dose of vaccination by September 27.
- There is a new communication platform that will be introduced called Messenger. More details to follow.
- Meet the Teacher tomorrow evening. All meeting will be held on Google Messenger.
- Students in all grades will be able to wear their costumes on Friday 10/29. We will have a parade outdoors. Details are depending on permits TBD.
- A letter will be sent home if your child has symptoms. Donna, our Parent Coordinator will email this letter and will follow up with a phone call to see how your child is doing.
- The school's high touch area and bathrooms will continuously be cleaned throughout the day and a deep clean will be done after dismissal.
- Covid-19 Testing will now be conducted Daily. Consent must to be given for your child to be tested. If consent is not given your child will not be able to enter into the school. Here is the link for more information on Covid-19 Testing: <https://www.schools.nyc.gov/school-year-20-21/return-to-school-2020/health-and-safety/covid-19-testing>
- School Construction scheduled to be completed towards the end of 2023.
- Please follow daily protocols for entering the school. School arrival will be 8:30 AM Social distance must be maintained. Temperature and Health Screening Clearance will be

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checked by school staff. Students must carry their group letter and class. Upon entering, students will sanitize hands. Dismissal will be at 2:00 PM.

- Project Lifesaver will continue to be in effect with cars driving up to the entrances in a line with school staff meeting children at the door

**Dates to Remember:**

- 9/23 Meet the Teacher
- 10/1 Photo Day (1)
- 10/4 Photo Day (2)
- 10/11 Indigenous People's Day – School Closed
- 10/13 PTA General Meeting- 7PM Zoom
- 10/15 SLT Meeting
- 10/19 Musical Theatre with Mr. Alastair Begins for 4&5th Graders

The next PTA meeting will be held on October 13, 2021. This meeting was adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Alana Leung and Chrissie Perez.

Respectfully submitted by,

Marilyn Khan.

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### **TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING September, 2021**

<b>Opening Balance as of September 1, 2021</b>		<b>22314.8</b>
<b>Income</b>	Membership	<b>100</b>
	Spiritwear	<b>6</b>
<b>Total Income</b>		<b>106</b>
<b>Expense</b>	Gift	<b>60.14</b>
	Office Supply	<b>13.05</b>
<b>Total Expense</b>		<b>73.19</b>
<b>Total Balance as of September 30, 2021</b>		<b>22347.61</b>