

**William R Satz School
PSG Meeting Minutes
October 18, 2009**

This meeting was called to order by Teri Perez at approximately 9:40.

Motion to accept the minutes, made by Donna Disko, 2nded by Michele Shields

President's Report: Project Graduation is selling books. There is a program tonight about how to talk with your kids in regards to drugs and alcohol, sponsored by the Drug and Alcohol Alliance. President's council-- all parent groups are trying to do everything online, i.e. newsletters and distribution through e-mail of paperwork. Mr. Weisfeld's class in the HHS will be helping to create these. The End of the beginning BBQ was a great success. Many thanks to the parents who organized this and helped. The teacher's BTS "Breakfast of Champions" was incredible, thanks so much! There was a meeting with chart well's---Boar's Head is available in the school for sandwiches- prices are \$4.75 each; There are breakfast items being offered at lunch times now. The clothing drive is 11/11-11/18. The bookfair is 11/16 through 11/20--trying to keep it open for the night of conferences so that parents may shop that night, please sign up- need volunteers. The Washington trip meeting was last week--get your \$\$ in and tell your children to behave and pack light.

Membership: 235 students envelopes: 44% of the school.

Fundraising: The clothing Drive will be held Nov. 11th through the 18th. The Wizards---The tickets are on order and DeMarco's is sponsoring the tickets with advertising on the back. Looking for parents to sell tickets at Satz and IH, please see Donna. Need a lot of help the night of the event which is on Dec 3rd. Chris Reddington and Roseanne Wriedt are handling the kitchen. They will be asking for donations. Write a check is up \$6060 as of right now.

Corresponding Secretary: No Report:

Treasurer's Report: Michele Shields read the report

Motion to accept the treasurer's report 1st- Roseanne Wriedt 2nd Vicky Entwistle

Principal: Dates to go over A+ program at Stop and shop is 06196. www.stopandshop.com/aplus;
On the district website- A letter to download if your child is out with the flu. Please make sure you use this form when your child goes bts, they are trying to keep track of the illnesses; We will be sending out to all the students for computer, an "acceptable use policy" for use of their own laptops in the building, they are revising the policy letter and it will be out within the week; Wash. Trip is June 2,3,and 4th. The rooming list need to be back by January 8th. Ellis Island is Dec 7th. Sheets need to be back November 13th; Picture Perfect is the fall picture company and Lifetouch(who does the spring pics) wants to try and get the business back for the fall pictures- they want to take 2 pics with different backgrounds- need to discuss with all of the other principals to keep in sinc.

Assistant Principal: Bags: Mr. Westerol has ordered 300 bags- they are blue with H's on them. The alliance is donating some money, so there will be a drug free logo on them. Price is \$10.00 and

they will be the only acceptable bags the children may carry from class to class. Once the bags come in, we will be selling them at the lunch periods; The cafeteria is now selling breakfast foods for the 1st period lunch; Bridges went really well, over 800 sandwiches. Next one will be December 11th. The 7th grade parent meeting is tonight for guidance. Wordly Wise books have been ordered. The Thanksgiving Feast will be the week before Thanksgiving--not sure of all of the details yet, will let you know soon.

Teacher Representative: Thank you for the teach breakfast, delicious; Future City Engineers are building their virtual cities with the Sims software and they will also be writing a research paper based on their design--meeting next week; James Joseph Ebinger was born Saturday, congratulations! The math team won 1st place! Science Olympiad- the team has been selected and partners have begun planning for the 23 events, The regional tournament is January 12th--if we make the top 10 schools the next tournament will be March 17th; Fall Play--we are at the halfway mark with production of "It's a Wonderful Life" We anticipate a stellar performance! We are still on the hunt for a HCAA rep to help assist with coordinating selling of snacks, drinks, and flowers on the night of the performances--Mr. Dowd will help you with this!!!; There will be a student council dance held on October 30th from 3:05 to 5:15--tickets will be sold during lunch this week. Price of the tickets is \$5.00 and there will be other snacks and drinks for sale. Proceeds will go to charity.

Guidance: 7th grade meeting is tonight and 8th grade is tomorrow

Committees:

Arise No Report

BOE All Holmdel busses will be getting cameras; Roggy field is getting bathrooms; Sign up for the e-alert on the district web-site; Paper was donated to Satz by the Chinese School; Curriculum guides were approved for Honors Algebra 1 and Writer's Workshop.

Book Fair: Sign-ups are, please sign up during conference

Cultural Assemblies: Chariot of the Sun will be held on November 2nd at 12:30 and 1:30. Program is about Greek Mythology.

8th Grade Dance: Deposit to Lakeside Manor, Busses will take the children to the Manor immediately following Graduation on the 23rd of June. This is a new location and it will be easier to contain and watch the children. Contacting the DJ and Photographer. Need 7th grade parents to chaperone.

End of the Beginning: Wonderful! Thanks to Everyone who helped!

Historian: No Report

Hospitality: Thank You Emma for a beautiful set-up.

Gift Coordinator:

Drug and Alcohol Alliance: 15 minute child break is tonight and red ribbon week is next week, decorating the school this Friday. Next meeting is tomorrow.

HCAA: 1st Monday every month, need a parent in the play to coordinate the refreshments , The HS drama is “Don’t Try to Wake Me, Just Hand Me a Shovel”, Beauty and the Beast is at IH. The ad journal is being printed- there are still spaces available. Looking for new members!

HFEE: Website is up and running Annual giving is kicking off in the next 2 weeks, The dinner dance is being held on April 17th. You do not need to be on the board to help out for dinner dance. The theme is “Shoot for the Stars”. Th HFEE website is www.hfee.org, you can donate and order tickets online.

Newcomers: No Report

Newsletter: 1st newsletter went out, we are waiting for it to be delivered. The next deadline is November 19--next month is will be going out via e-mail. Linda Lin is the contact person.

Operation Get Out The Vote: No Report

Special Projects: No Report

Specialized Fundraising: Just register with Stop and Shop for the A+ program for Satz School.

Student Directory: Still looking for artwork for the directory, PLEASE encourage students to submit pictures!

Sunshine: Sending cards to Mr. Ebinger for a baby, Donna Greenberg- Get Well, and Mrs. Ackerson-out 4-6 months- knee surgery--another Get well

Yankee Candle: No Report

Provisional Business: Lucia got the t-shirts donated for the Wizards Game

New Business: None

**Motion to adjourn Donna, seconded by Christine at 10:45
Respectfully Submitted,**

**Christine Reddington
Recording Secretary**