

Minutes of December 8, 2015 Meeting

Principal Report: Mr. Brian Schillaci wished everyone happy holidays.

Vice Principal Report: Mrs. Jessica Vierschilling wished everyone happy holidays.

<u>Teacher Report</u>: Mrs. Renfroe/Mrs. Barbara wished everyone happy holidays.

Executive Board Reports

President, Vicky Flynn wished everyone happy holidays and circulated the revised bylaws

The members of the Executive Board wished Vicky well with her upcoming position as a member of the Board of Education and presented her with a gift of thanks for serving as PSA President.

Holiday party ensued and adjourned at approximately 10:30.

Minutes of November 10, 2015 Meeting

PSA President, Vicky Flynn, called to order at 9:30 am. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Principal's Report

Mr. Schillaci thanked everyone for coming. He congratulated Vicky Flynn on being elected to the Holmdel Board of Education. He also congratulated Joseph Hammer and Dina D'Ambrosi for their elections as well.

Mr.Schillaci noted that the first marking period will close out on Friday, November 13th. He mentioned that the Parent Portal would be used as a means of providing grades online. In addition, report cards will be emailed. If a parent does not have internet access, they can request a hard copy. The parent portal will be opened on November 23rd for report card access.

Report cards will be provided for 2nd and 3rd graders this marking period. First graders will only receive report cards for 2nd, 3rd and 4th marking and Pre K and K will receive report cards for 2nd and 4th marking periods.

Mr. Schillaci thanked the PSA for their donation of tablets to the 1st grade and mentioned that the teachers would begin training in the upcoming weeks.

He mentioned that Parent Teacher Conferences will be held in the evening on November 17th and afternoon November 20th and afternoon and evenings on November 23rd and 24th. Parents should have received a confirmation from their teacher regarding their selected time.

School is closed on November 11th in observance of Veteran's Day and half day sessions from November 20th through November 25th.

Mr. Schillaci mentioned that the 2nd grade Holiday Show will be December 11th and the 3rd grade show will be December 18th. The children have been working hard and are excited to perform.

Mr. Schillaci thanked the PSA for the assembly last month, which showcased Story Pirates. The show was very interactive and the kids and teachers were all in amazement.

Mr. Schillaci wished everyone a wonderful Thanksgiving.

Teacher Representative Reports

Kara Renfroe spoke on behalf of herself and Christine Barbara to congratulate Vicky Flynn for her election to the Board of Education.

Mrs. Renfroe thanked the PSA for the Story Pirates presentation at the assembly. The show was a big hit with everyone.

Every teacher has become a member of the PSA this year.

Mrs. Renfroe said that the Ladies Night Out was a huge success. She also mentioned that the Barnes & Noble Fundraiser would be held on December 2nd and the schedule of readers would be going out shortly.

Reports of the Executive Board

Vicky Flynn- President

Vicky thanked everyone who helped out with Ladies Night Out. The event was a huge success. She thanked Suzanne Serini and Tonya Romano for all of their hard work and planning. She also gave a special thanks to all who donated items for the baskets.

Vicky reported that Trunk or Treat was also a success. There was a big turnout this year.

The Pampered Chef Fundraiser that was scheduled for November 17th will be rescheduled due to conflict with teacher conferences.

The Devil's night tickets will be \$80 per person and will include group perks. More information will follow.

Vicky mentioned that due to her recent election to the BOE, she will no longer be able to act as President of the PSA. Danielle Impreveduto will be taking on the role of President. She thanked everyone for their continued support.

Vicky also provided the update provided by Michelle Sottile for the HFEE

Gold stars are still available for purchase through December. Please contact Michelle for purchase.

The HFEE's Annual Gift Giving Campaign is still running.

HFEE is also organizing a Poker night in February, Battle of Faculty in March, the Springtime Gala at the Navesink Contry Club in April and the 5K in June.

Danielle Impreveduto - Vice President

Danielle mentioned that the Giving Tree slips went home this week and children who wish to participate can pick a card from the tree next week.

The Holmdel PJs are selling quickly. To date, 210 sets had been sold. All orders are due by next week and PJs will be delivered by December 15th.

Danielle noted that the December/January Newsletter will be going out shortly. If anyone has any information that they would like to be published, please contact Meagan Solomon Rodgers by November 25th.

Danielle thanked Vicky for all of her hard work and dedication over the time she served as President of the PSA.

Tiffany Gourlay - Treasurer

Tiffany noted that the books are all in balance to date. The Ladies Night Out resulted in a \$12,000 profit and Trunk or Treat had a \$1,000 profit. Tiffany is working on the back taxes and gaming and compliance reports.

Christine Bavaro - Recording Secretary

Christine asked for a motion to approve the minutes from last month's PSA meeting. Janice Petretti made a motion to approve the minutes. Jen Paulino seconded the motion.

Reports of the Appointed Boards

<u>Janice Petretti</u>

Janice asked to continue sending in box tops. This year, current collections totalled \$2,000.

<u>Natalie Klobuchar</u>

The Holiday Shoppe will be held from November 30th thru December 4th. Volunteers are needed for setup on November 30th and throughout the week to assist the children with their purchases. A new vendor will be used this year and everyone is looking forward to this event.

Cindy Manning

HCAA representative Cindy Manning spoke about the first event to support Village School, "Catwalk and Cookies" on November 14th. Limited number of attendees still available.

HCAA is also selling calendars for \$15. These calendars include all of the photos that were submitted in the photo contest. T shirts will also be available soon.

HCAA presented "Alice at Wonderland" last month and will be showing "Our Town" on December 20th and 21st.

Upcoming Events

Satz: Fall Clothing Drive (November 16-21)

Indian Hill PLG: Guy's Night Out (November 19th)

Stacey Solomon is the winner of this month's raffle.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting, and it was seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 am.