# **Village School PSA Meeting Minutes**

## October 16, 2019

Approved November 12, 2019

The Village Elementary School Parent Student Association's ("PSA") President, Julieann DeMatteo, called the meeting to order at 6:46pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Mr. Arthur Howard:

Regarding Halloween, make sure everyone knows the process. Looking to create more parking space and reversing the order that grades come out, third grade first and kindergarten last.

District goal of social and emotional learning. All counselors in the district and principals went to a workshop for 2 days. Will be incorporating the philosophy into the classroom. Will involve parents, teachers, staff and students. Will be hearing more about it.

## VICE PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Mrs. Jessica Vierschilling:

Lunch setup has rearranged to accommodate all the children. Each class gets a table and a half. There has been no change in the length of the periods in the school day. Periods remain at 50 minutes. Half of the period is for lunch, the other half for recess, as usual.

Study hall is during recess. Should not be used as detention. Restricted to 3 times a week. Federal guidelines prevent pulling out of recess as punitive.

## TEACHER'S REPORT

Mrs. Renfroe and Mrs. Barbara – not presents. Thanked the PSA for the recent assembly.

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

#### Julieann DeMatteo:

Welcome back fall festival - was very successful, we made \$1800.00

School Assembly – BMX Flowstyle

Spirit Wear Sale – closed on 10/6 - \$748.83 profit

Appointed Board updates - holiday shop, trunk or treat, giving tree

School store – 10/17 - tomorrow

Funds from PSA account – Indoor/Outdoor recess games, play pavilion equipment, sensory hallway, wellness basket, water filling station, sound for auditorium

Satz annual clothing drive Nov 11-16<sup>th</sup>, take everything clothing, shoes, linens, stuffed animals, door 26

Looking for a K or 1<sup>st</sup> grade parent to help with Giving Tree

Trunk or Treat, 10/26

#### **MEMBERSHIP REPORT**

Jamie Buitrago and Niki Zizzo – on par with membership from last year at this time.

#### TREASURER REPORT

Gabriella Pettinato and Teri Pedri – approximately \$90, 000 in the bank.

#### **FUNDRAISING'S REPORT**

Danielle Poveromo and Danielle Longyear – LNO coming up next week, Thursday, 10/24. On 10/23 we can start setting up the day before. All help is appreciated. Great prizes this year. We will be selling drink tickets.

## **RECORDING SECRETARY**

Approval of September meeting minutes - Danielle Poveromo and Danielle Longyear

## **MISCELLANEOUS QUESTIONS/POINTS**

HFEE – ribbon cutting ceremony after the last board meeting to open up the playground. The children have enjoyed the playground. Thank you for the amazing mural.

Annual giving campaign to raise funds, HFEE.org

## **CLOSING**

- The PSA monthly gift was won by, Kristie Edrich
- A motion to adjourn was made by Nikki Zizzo and Heather Beland.
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:37pm