

PS3 PTA Meeting Agenda, January 16th, 2024 – 8.30am

In-Person/Hybrid

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Meeting ID: 873 5701 9420 Passcode: 179889

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start: 8:44am; quorum in person

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1. Presenters

- Principal Hillary Casado/Vice Principal Susannah Plunkett
Hillary 23% of pop has 23% Sped with IEPs - related services provided; 1/19 8:30 am in auditorium. Q: mayor's cuts have not come directly to Hilary yet

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- Christina Lowe, parent coordinator
point of contact for NYC schools and lice and vision screening.
Next few weeks screening 3 and 4 traders for rudimentary screening.

2. Treasurers' Reports

FR team doing an amazing job; in good shape for next year; need volunteers for the budget committee. First Mondays of the month. First is Feb 5th in person after drop off.

- [Balance Sheet](#)

- [Profit and Loss](#)

- Official formation of the budget committee
- If you have questions, ideas, or concerns, please reach out via the treasurer email: ptatreasurer@ps3nyc.org

3. Fundraising Updates (fundraising@ps3nyc.org)

- 3Fund update
- Benefit Bash & Auction
looking for singers for the parent band !

Participation campaign. 66% of us have so far. Popcorn and popsicle party for winning grade!

4. Charrette Committee (charrette@ps3nyc.org)

- Charrette Workshop: Jan 27th, 2-5, Committee Focus @ PS3
- Design so far
- [RSVP](#)
- [Jan 12th Meeting Notes](#)

Back in effect! Community comes together to collaborate and workshop about the school and what it should be. Vision, goals, priorities. This year is a mini sharrette. Are we addressing all the needs and concerns of the families and staff. 1/27th 2-5pm here at school. Theme is curiosity. Working on childcare for the event. RSVP for this event is coming

5. Events Committee (ptaevents@ps3nyc.org)

- Disco Update
this Friday! Pre sold 70 tickets! \$2100! Invite all in your class!
Pay what you want! Signup genius going around to all for
volunteering opps. There will be pizza and sandwiches
maybe cookies

SAVE *the* DATE

for our first annual Studio 3:
Family DISCO Dance Party!

**FRI
19
JANUARY**



**6PM
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8PM**

**IN  
THE  
PS3  
Auditorium**

Spinning:  
Donna  
Summers  
Jackson 5  
ABBA



Bee Gees  
Blondie  
Sylvester  
Grace Jones  
and more...!!

**Fundraiser**  
(Pay-what-you-can)

Attire:  
glitter  
spandex  
lame  
sequins  
Ab Fab  
boas  
platform shoes  
hot pants  
sunglasses at night!

tickets



PS3 had an annual square dance from 1985-2011

now we are coming back stronger than ever as a community - it's time to update our PS3

family fun tradition - let's go from Square to DISCO!!

- Charrette
- Raquel's Going away  
Alums involved;
- Science Fair  
need folks to come speak and engage and what we are doing next  
and whether science fair is to be rescheduled; email  
steam@ps3nyc.org. Teachers are involved. Potential math org to  
appear at fair?
- Spring Fling!  
5/18 is the current date; applying for the street permit; similar  
model as last outside one; come to events committee mtg
- Events committee has been talking about admin stuff; inventory  
(for rest of year to achieve par levels), calendaring events items
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## **6. vote on formation of Safety Handbook committee**

- One of our PS3 parents has put together an amazing  
document that could serve as a starting point for a new safety  
handbook for PS3.
- The goals of the handbook:
  1. increase communication, build trust and transparency  
while respecting privacy; establish a shared school  
culture; strengthen partnership between parents,  
teachers, and leadership--all child centered—we're on a

joint mission

2. handbook's relationship to DOE policy

3. Highlight PS3 values - prevention and restorative

- [Here](#)'s the proposal, for review
- (if successful) if you would like to be a part of this committee, please email [ptapresident@ps3nyc.org](mailto:ptapresident@ps3nyc.org)

**7. There's still 1 open MAL position on the PTA EB if anyone's interested and would like to throw their hat in the ring...**

**8. Unfinished Business?**

- order for bulk items, discussion?
- discussion continues on which items to invest in
- gcal aaaalmost ready. Once science fiar established, released!
- lots of good discussions during charrette workshop that will advance the above

**9. New Business?**

Sara: art park sat 3/9.

**10.**

11. Proposing soccer club as part of the pat for caregivers and staff - ideally playing in the auditorium. VOTE: PASSED

12. Adjournment

9:23am.

