June General Parents Association Meeting

Date: 06/17/2025

Members online: 14 at start

Board Members online: Kelli, Barbara, Yoana, Kiata, Renee

Start: 708PM

Principal's Report

Class Size Reduction – 2 Year Process – Must be done by 2027

- Superintendent visited to discuss the process to reduce class sizes & improvements
 - Plans to make updates to school yard, auditorium
 - Auditorium \$1.5-2 million upgrade
 - Request to politicians for support and funding
- 5 1st Grade classrooms
- o 52nd
- o 5 3rd Grade
- PA Room available in the Fall
 - Re-occupying the downstairs room
 - And attempting to have a dry and secure space
- New staff has been interviewed 7 hired
 - 2 new staff to be hired
- K-2 focused
 - 20 children per class
- o **3-5**
- No new admissions
- 20-23 children per class
- Accelerated classes will be larger in size because we won't take anyone out of those classes
- Congrats to the 5th grade for graduation
- What can the PA provide financially?
 - o Furniture for the new classrooms are needed
 - New teachers' lounge area
 - KB14 to be split into two rooms

o \$15K needed – included in next year's budget

SLT Report

- 81 has met the goals for the district
 - o Surpassed by 20-25%
 - High achieving school, but want to continue

D&I Report

- Mary
- Thanks for a great year!!

Kindergarten Playdate

- August 10th or 17th
- Yoana to check on the calendar of Sid Field

Special Thanks to All of the departing board members!

Welcome to the New Board Members!

Gala Date will have to move, current date isn't aligning with the DOE calendar

2025-26 Budget Approval

- Renee motion to approve
- Kelli 2nd motion to approve

2025-26 School Year Board Members

- o President
 - Kelli Goodman
- Recording Secretary
 - Diana Babbitt
- Treasurer
 - Barbara Scully
- 1st Vice President
 - Shannon Murtha
- Corresponding Secretary
 - Kiata Nixon
- Financial Secretary
 - Renee Wong
- o VP of Publishing

Tyler Phillips

Fall Fundraiser

• Need a "Thon" – open for ideas

Gala

- How are we making this a fundraising event?
 - o Like a Golf charity event
 - Different sponsorship opportunity (up to \$5K), ticket price \$150, brochures and email/social advertising,
 - o Renee & Barbara are the co-committee chairs
 - Diana and Kiata will work together to reach out to the alumni
 - Amelia Internal Communications
 - Other committees to be established

Meeting Closed at 755PM

11 Members at Close