

PRIDE/PTSA General Meeting Minutes

March 13, 2013

Meeting called to order @ 8:30 AM

PTSA

Polly Bameburger – President

Motion to approve Feb. minutes made by Polly, 2nd made by Bonnie, all in favor and approved by all.

School tour tomorrow; many parents still waiting for private school responses. We've had a number of 4th grade parents come to tour over the last 2 months.

Mr. Shibata reported that Howdy Day was very successful yesterday. Encouraging kids to attend Sports Mania over the summer in order to get acclimated to the Revere campus.

Green Day being held next Tues. by Ms. Chen; followed by the Fun Run on Wed.; and Open House on Thurs. night. Also preparing for CST Testing, the Talent Show and an Earth Day celebration.

PRIDE

Mr. Brett Shibata – Vice Principal

7th & 8th grade students needed to volunteer for Registration Day; only 20 out of 2,200 students did not make it to registration. Tues., Aug. 13th is the first day of school; last day of school will be June 6th.

Science Fair to be held next year with the help of the Science Dept.; curriculum to support the Fair.

Food for Thought - \$10 gift cards to restaurants like Subway are being distributed by the administration to kids who need support over the breaks. We have identified 30 students at Revere who need assistance, and we're putting a positive spin on earning the gift cards and not "being for those in need".

10th District @ 1000 Venice Boulevard offering a box of groceries for \$25 for a week's worth of nutrition. We have 3 interested parents who would like to get involved. Currently Ralphs is donating a \$25 gift card once a week.

Jill Taylor - President

Parent Party – We've currently only sold 60 tickets and we need to make a push for people to attend. Tickets are \$75/person.

8th Grade Disneyland trip is on Sat., April 26th from 9 am – 10 pm; students must be eligible to attend.

May 18th – Ready Set Revere event being planned for all incoming 6th grade families and any new 7th and 8th grade families. There will be 2 groups, first one from 10 – Noon, and the second group from 1 – 3 pm. The kids will have a scavenger hunt, and the parents will be given an overview of how the school is run and what the parents' responsibilities are.

Looking for volunteers for next year; many small and large tasks available for anyone who would like to get involved. List of job descriptions was handed out.

PRIDE and PTSA work closely together, with the biggest difference being PTSA oversees all Health and Safety issues, and any fundraising done during school hours. Fundraising goes mostly through PRIDE.

Meeting adjourned 9:15 AM