

## PS 115Q PTA Membership Meeting Minutes Meeting #3 (Virtual) November 29, 2023

Meeting called to order at 9:05am.

Ms. Kok started the meeting.

### **Approval of Meeting Minutes**

Ms. Kok presented the October meeting minutes for approval. A motion was made and seconded; the October minutes were approved.

### Treasurer's Report

Ms. Park went over the financial report. We started with \$40,536.69 and income from Spirit Wear, membership, the Fun Run, and remaining Pumpkin Patch income, Scholastic Book Fair, the Fall Festival, after school enrichment, and Cascon Cheesecakes which brings our total to \$52,838.39. We then had expenses of the pumpkin patch decorations and stickers, fun run water, cups, hospitality, and fee for running the event. Our largest expense was KiwiCo where we plan on giving out STEM kits to all of the students to enjoy over the holidays. It brings our current balance to \$32,917.60. Motion to approve the treasurer's report for October was approved.

### President's Message

Ms. Kok mentioned the next PTA meeting is December 20th, at 9 in the morning but are all virtual. She thanked all the parents, volunteers, and everyone for participating in the Fall Festival.

Dates to keep in mind, Dec 4th, retake picture day and all class pictures will be redone due to poor quality of the first round of pictures. Chipotle Fundraiser Saturday, December 9th. The Holiday Sale (Penguin Patch) will be from Dec 14-15. Please send in spirit wear orders. Also, our membership drive is still continuing on, we are trying to reach a goal of \$12,000 so please give, all donations appreciated. Any donations of \$100 or more will be entered into a raffle drawing. December 7-8 we are having the Sky Dome Planetarium come in to do an assembly for all grades.

We had the SLT meeting on November 16th and the next one will be December 20th at 3pm..

# **Principals Report**

Ms. LaPorte thanked all the PTA, parents, families, and PS115 alumni for making the Fall Festival happen. We are continuing with mindfulness breathing exercises for the students to do every morning. We also remind them to utilize this strategy throughout the day.

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Last marking period ended November 22 and report cards will be able to be viewed December 14. Middle School applications will close December 8th. The Acadience and I-Ready scores were sent home, any parents who want to know more can contact Ms. Tang.

Outdoor recess will be allowed on days with a real feel temperature of 32 degrees or above. Please send your children dressed appropriately for the cold weather.

Please make sure all students have a device for remote learning. I-Pads are taken care of by Ms. Su. Please make sure all devices are in working order and you have the login and password.

#### Meeting adjourned at 9:51am

Respectfully prepared by: Evelyn Angwin (Dec 19, 2023) Recording Secretary

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