



PS 115Q PTA Membership Meeting Minutes Meeting #5 (Virtual) January 24, 2024

Meeting called to order at 9:07am.

Ms. Park started the meeting.

Approval of Meeting Minutes

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

Treasurer's Report

Ms. Park went over the financial report. We started with a balance of \$28,977.30. We had penguin patch. Our total expenses is \$11,180.50. It brings our current balance to \$27,833.65. Motion to approve the treasurer's report for December was approved. Budget amendment for the sweetheart dance to be held in February that was not originally in our proposed budget. Amendment approved.

President's Message

Ms. Park spoke and thanked everyone for attending. Our next meetings in March, April, May will all be in the evenings going forward.

We have new items for the Spirit Wear sale and it is ongoing. Our membership drive is also ongoing, we have not yet met our goal of \$12,000 so please contribute.

For the end of the year staff appreciation, we gave our custom lanyards to all teachers and staff with custom PS115 ID tags.

The afterschool enrichment programs will start the first week of February. We will have virtual Spanish language class, in person lego robotics, and debate for our 4th and 5th graders.

We are trying to raise money for I-Ready Instructional. So far we have about \$2,500.

Square 1 Arts has started as well. Mr. Erber will be supporting the event to help our students create their drawings.

For Valentine's Day, we will be having our annual Candy Gram where kids can buy special valentines for their friends and family.

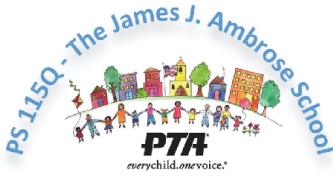
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The last SLT meeting was on January 18th and the next one is February 15th, 2024.

Principals Report

Ms. LaPorte spoke about the academic screeners that will be done about Feb 9, 2024. In June, the last rounds of screeners will be taken.

Our grade 5 students will be taking a simulation test on Jan 20th in preparation for the New York State tests.

We will be bringing back multicultural day. Tables and food from all countries.

Ms. LaPorte spoke about implementing our bulldog bucks program to reward students.

We will be bringing a full career day to our school and students for them to experience and graduate and be career ready. We want them to experience all types of jobs from their own families.

Meeting adjourned at 9:40am

Respectfully prepared by: Evelyn Angwin (Feb 26, 2024) Recording Secretary

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