

PS154 SLT Meeting Agenda December 14, 2023

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP TEAM

12/14/2023

3:30 PM-5:00pm

ATTENDEES

SLT Co-Chairs: Teacher Laura Varriale and Parent Avneet Basi

Other members present: Principal Leila Rached, PTA President Jimmy Schementi

Teachers: Dawn Capua, Dayna Goldberg, ~~Pamela Ritchie~~, Gina Valerio, Rosemary Graham

SLT Parents: Michelle Miller, Renanit Levy, ~~Nicole DiSchino~~, Cara Zwerling, Tom Sperduto

Non-members Also Present: Assistant Principal Michael Buckley, Parent Coordinator Tanica Gordon

TIME	Minutes	Activity	Notes
3:30	30 min	Updates Administration (Leila) PTA Updates	Admin Updates: Open classrooms - demo music or media arts lesson Feedback for Music: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Unclear what the class was - parents expected performances. Music teacher should announce. - Can we swap harmonica for recorder? Will discuss a full time music program near the end of the year to see how much the PTA could support. PTA Update: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Holiday Market - \$6800 raised - Lice Check - cost \$1200 - Equity Meeting 12/21/2023 @ 9am Zoom - General Meeting 1/5/2024 @ 8:30am <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Robert Carroll guest
4:00	15 min	Attendance Update CEP/Surveys Family workshop ideas	Attendance Only a few students chronically absent

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			<p>Biggest attendance factor is vacation</p> <p>Spirit days are not fixing attendance, but it gives students something to look forward to who are here.</p> <p>CEP/Surveys</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Have not made progress. <p>Workshop Ideas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Writing at Home - Challenging math - Social media use/cell phones - Puberty/adolescent (Rachel Lotus) - Special education (interventions/referral process) - Respect for All/Bullying investigations - Executive functioning/organization
4:15	30 min	<p>Other Discussion about how we can get kids outside more for spring and possibly syncing up outside time to certain cluster class curriculum (STEM - visits to the garden, Art - going to park to get ephemeral materials etc). What are the limitations, can parents volunteer to help with supervision etc.</p>	<p>Will discuss next month.</p> <p>Renanit: a student left from a class, rumors started in the class. Can the teachers tell the students what happened?</p> <p>Leila: yes, and no. In this case, I will follow up with the teacher.</p> <p>Tom: Technology questions. DOE IT services laptops, but not promethean boards. Some are in disrepair.</p> <p>Dayna: National Ugly Sweater Day 12/15</p>
4:45			<p>Done!</p>