PTA Executive Board and Community Meeting Minutes – December 10, 2024
5:30 PM

PTA Executive Board Meeting Participants:

Jane Simons, Nora Stein	Co-Presidents
Jackie Ross, Anita Siegfriedt	Co-Vice Presidents
Caryn Marks,* Rob Greffenius	Co-Secretaries
Nicki Kenny, Carter Price, and Zahra Niazi	Co-Treasurers
Elizabeth McAdam, Bethany Hanna	Past Co-Presidents
Danielle Singh	Janney Principal
Nicole Ugel*	AP
Robin Leed, Kathleen Quinn	Faculty Representative
Mike Barnhart	Janney Logistics Coordinator
Sarah Curtin*	DEI Chair
Kim Calnan-Crismali*	Administration

*Not in attendance this meeting

1) Motion to approve November meeting minutes; minutes approved.

2) Kathleen Quinn introduced as the new faculty representative.

3) Principal update
   a) Staffing update regarding returning and departing teachers.
   b) Janney focused on supplementing substitute ranks, identifying classrooms in need of additional support and using PTA funds where needed.
   c) Cheerleading potentially in search of coach, parent volunteers.
   d) Faculty and administration working with LSAT to establish technology use policy for students to communicate with students and families.
   e) EdFest upcoming, a citywide fair for schools that is an opportunity for people to learn about multiple schools in one place.

4) Logistics update
   a) Part time custodian helping from 4-8pm daily, funded by PTA and JanneyPlus.
   b) Janney considering upgrading its pest control subscription.
   c) School transitioning from A/C to heat.
   d) Janney is compliant with immunization requirements.

5) President's report
   a) Two new chairs for winter market; event was a success.
   b) Community meeting planned for Tuesday, December 17.
   c) Talent show planning, including date selection, ongoing.
   d) Musical scheduled for May 2-3.
   e) Auction theme chosen.
   f) Centennial efforts continue, including organization around centennial tile purchases.
   g) Consideration being given to potential liquor license for spring picnic.

6) Vice President's Report

a) Safety and security chat scheduled for Tuesday, January 7.
b) Targeting late February for next Janney talks.