



Daniels Run PTA Meeting Minutes April 19th

- I. Welcome and call meeting to order - called to order at 7:03pm
- II. Approval of March meeting minutes - was not voted on
- III. Principal's Report and Q&A- Mr. Smith
 - Bingo night went extremely well!
 - Strings concert tomorrow and Band concert on thursday
 - Mr. Parker will be at movie night
 - Overview of staffing process:
 - FCPS provides schools an allotment of staff based on projections of numbers:
 - Total number of students
 - SPED services/hours
 - ESOL students (1-4 and Kindergarten) - does not take into account the level of the students which would be important and a great point for parents to advocate for
 - Free/Reduced Meals (FRM) - used the number from 2 years ago since everyone has currently been given free meals
 - Different areas of staffing:
 - Kinder teachers and IAs
 - Grades 1-6
 - Special education (teachers, IAs, PHTA)
 - ESOL
 - Resource teachers/instructional coaches
 - Clerical
 - Custodians
 - Administrators
 - Librarian
 - SBTS/TSPEC
 - Student Services
 - Etc.
 - Class sizes
 - Kinder - cap 28 students
 - Grades 1-3 - core content classes up to 29 students
 - Once all classes reach 27, IA are allocated for 28 or 29
 - Grades 4-6 - cap at 29
 - DRES staffing
 - FCPS allotment
 - 3 additional positions each year from Fairfax City
 - Instruction supply funds (\$75K for teachers, \$35K for IAs)

- Staffing Projections
 - Projected for 4 kinder teachers but have been given a 5th teacher (currently at about 83 kinders); need 112 for 5th teacher
 - Lost a sped position (but it hadn't been filled)
 - Projecting 758 and currently at 780
- June-August
 - Principals submit registration numbers to Region Office and HR weekly
 - Enrolled students along with consideration for pending registrations
- September
 - Students need to be enrolled and attending class
 - Possibility does exist that staffing can be pulled back

IV. Reports of Officers

- Secretary- Beth Brixius
 - School of Excellence - not updates
- VP Membership - Maureen Szente
 - Membership report - 247 members
 - Members do need to renew each year so you can rejoin for next year over the summer
- Treasurer- Leslie Woods
 - Budget update
 - Fiscal year is July 1-June 30
 - Bingo Report
 - Over \$2289.18 net profit for A Place to Stand
- VP Fundraising - Kara Custis
 - Dining for Dollars
 - Apl 28th at Boston Market (Kamp Washington)
 - Boon Supply Fundraiser
 - Link is on the website
 - Have gifts to buy (bags, etc.)
 - 40% comes back to DRE
- President - Lacey O'Donnell
 - BOGO Book Fair
 - Fair started yesterday for staff, today for children
 - 8:45-4pm Tuesday-Thursday and 8:45am-7:30pm on Friday night during the movie night
 - Movie Night
 - Forecast looking good!
 - Showing Sing 2
 - Movie will start closer to 7:30/7:45
 - 6th grade party committee will be sending concessions committee
 - Teacher Appreciation
 - May 2-6
 - Look out for a sign up genius to help donate items to support that week; postcards are going home in the thursday folder for students to fill out and send back in
 - Will be a travel theme
 - Thank yous

VI. New Business

- A. Nominating Committee Presents 2022-2023 Slate of PTA Officers
 - a. President - Lacey O'Donnell
 - b. VP of Fundraising - Kara Custis
 - c. VP of Membership - Beth Brixius
 - d. Treasurer - Leslie Woods
 - e. Secretary - TBD

VII. Meeting Adjournment

Future Dates

April 19th-22nd - Scholastic BOGO Book Fair
April 22nd - Outdoor Movie Night
April 28th - Dine for Dollars at Boston Market
May 2nd-6th - Teacher & Staff Appreciation