PTA General Membership Meeting – April 17, 2013 6:30pm

 Attendance:

Executive Board

Seana Wyman

Marcee Deegan

Cassandra Collazo

Diane Hill

Ms. Guido – Principal

10 additional parent members

Meeting called to order at 6:35pm

1. Membership Approved March 2013 minutes
2. Principal’s Report
	1. Enrollment for 2013
		1. Kindergarten 2013
			1. 20 siblings/ 30 zoned slots
			2. Wait list - 30 zoned / 27 out of zone
		2. Middle School
			1. 375 applications for 12 spots
3. New Curriculum materials
	1. Middle school - Kodex
	2. Primary School - Math go Math
		1. The idea of switching to Singapore math was discussed but ultimately decided against using.
4. CEC District Elections
	1. Elections were announced and the on-line voting process was dicussed
	2. President, Secretary and Treasurer seats from 278 can vote
5. Committee Reports
	1. Gardening Committee
		1. Danielle Strauss suggested that Kindergarten classrooms make signs for wolly pockets so they don’t get damaged while hanging on the fence, especially during Spring Fair.
	2. Nominating committee - Suzie Fuller is running it for new EB Board elections for 2013/2014
	3. WITS/Wellness
		1. On May 21 there will be a PTA cooking demonstration for cooking healthy meals similar to the demonstration that took place in Jan 2013
		2. CHALK guests could not make it to the meeting so Sarah Townley described the program and (choosing healthy and active lifestyles for all kids) and how it would partner with WITS and our other wellness initiatives (Zumba) and help provide more funding for these initiatives.
6. Grants/Fundraising
	1. Guests from the medical center fund were in attendance to participate in our meeting and find out more about our school and our PTA in general.
		1. The guests asked what our plans were for the funds they were potentially providing ($3,500).  The PTA members explained that their money would go to the ipad security/update cart and for updating the listening centers in grades K-3.

      Meeting adjourned 8:00pm