

Agenda - Lincoln JHS - Home & School

Sept 4, 2024

Meeting officially started at 7:00pm

School Attendees - Executive Board Attendees - Board Attendees - Parent Attendees

Attendees:

Milanka Van Osdol (General H&S treasurer), Kristina Radzicki (ice cream social chair), Trusha Shah, Grace Boland, Sarah Humbert, Anna Childers, Ashley Cook (president of the general H&S), Gracia Livie

Kristen Caprarola, Principal

Shannon Schock & Jena McKinnon, Co-presidents

Peggy Bernar, VP

Shalini Nalgirkar, Treasurer

Elizabeth Dubiel, Secretary

Principal's Report

- Welcome Back!
- [New faces & new places](#)
 - New AP Taylor Bird
 - Meet and Greets will happen throughout the year
 - A lot of new staff (8 new teachers and a need for paraprofessionals and lunchroom staff)
- [SBR Updates](#)
- [Stack the Lounge](#) - proposed partnership for ongoing staff appreciation
 - Amazon wish list
 - Drinks, k-cups, etc

Upcoming Events

- NeighborGOOD Event - Knox Church Sept. 7th .
- All School Assembly BMX Biker Matt Whilehelm (Bullying/Positivity) Oct. 15
- Looking Ahead - December Dance/Mixer (all students)

Home & School President's Report

- All new executive board
- Sept 13 fundraiser (magazine drive)
 - need volunteers Sept 20 and Sept 27 during lunch periods
 - Oct 25 is the trip
 - 8th graders get 20% off the boat trip

Committee chairs needed (two people needed per position):

- Spirit wear (not a huge commitment—just need to be a “middle man”)
 - Hospitality
 - Gift card program (Lincoln gets 5% back whatever is spent)
 - Dining out days (volunteer calls a restaurant to set up a day and make sure there isn’t an overlap with another school...some also offer it online)
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- Joseph Cosminski (school board member and rep for Lincoln)—will be invited to our next in person meeting
 - Nutrition services has a survey for parents and students to provide feedback.
 - Forms were passed out at tonight’s meeting to all attendees to gain volunteers for future needs/events.
 - An attendee asked a question about setting up a Parent Diversity meeting here at Lincoln. Dr. Rakeda Leaks, Executive Director of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging is in charge of the school district group but a request was made to have one in house here at Lincoln.
 - Suggested to have an event (ex. Jump place) and see how many attend. If well attended, plan another one. The goal being socialization and support.

Vice President’s Report

Nothing to report

Home & School Treasurer’s Report

- Make the budget for 24-25 and approve it
 - \$17,353.62 is our current balance.
- Question posed—CheddarUp who has the info—discussions will take place to see if CheddarUp will continue
- Question posed—when donations are offered on a form how successful is it?
 - Recommendation made to make the donation requests specific (ex. Dining out day at Chipotle—all donations will go to the LC)
 - If there is a specific goal, people are more likely to participate. If the kids have buy-in it’ll help even more.
- Another question posed—could parents help sponsors and volunteer? (One of the things brought up was the tech and gaming club had over 75 students in attendance!)

Hospitality volunteer—Gracia Livie THANKS FOR VOLUNTEERING!!!!

Secretary Report

Nothing to report

Old Business

New Business

Adjournment: Meeting ended at 7:45pm

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