

**2021 PTA Meeting Minutes**

Subject : PTA General Board Meeting

Place/Date/Time : via zoom link / January 20, 2021 /7pm – 8pm

Attendees :

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| Ms. Rosa  | PTA Executive Board |  |
| Ms. Stolz | Parents of PS169Q   |  |
| Ms. Orit  |                     |  |

Agenda :

- A. Guest reader : Stacey Bauer
- B. Read-A-Thon Launch
- C. Principal’s Q&A
- D. Raffle tickets

**Minutes:**

| Item     | Key Discussion Points  | Action Items <PiC>   |
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| <b>A</b> | <p>Guest reader is Stacey Bauer. She did wonderful presentation on how to write, illustrate and publish a book. She also read aloud her lovely book.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Parents who would like to purchase to book can make order to PTA by January 21, 2022.</li> <li>b. The books are also available on amazon or through the author’s website.</li> </ul>  |  |
| <b>B</b> | <p>Read-A-Thon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Parents can create their child’s account through the link, using the access code on the flyers sent home.</li> <li>b. Read-A-Thon event will be held for 2 weeks starting January 21, 2022 to February 4, 2022.</li> <li>c. Morning announcement at school can help promote the event.</li> <li>d. Teachers can help by encouraging student to participate.</li> <li>e. The class with the most reading minutes from this event will have a class surprise party.</li> <li>f. If the total funds raised from this event is high, PTA plans to hold a free outdoor movie event with giant screen.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>c. Ms Rosa will inform Mr. Franciotti and Ms Thomson.</li> <br/> <li>Patti to send email to Ms. Rosa with the flyers</li> </ul> |
| <b>C</b> | <p>Principa Q &amp; A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Same as previous year, student attendance does not impact student promotion to the next grade. However, parents are encouraged to inform the school administration if they plan to keep their child home so there can be conversation about what can be done to make guardians feel better about sending their child to school and when will the child be expected back.</li> <li>b. No information from DOE on KN-95 mask distribution to students.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>b. Ms. Rosa to check with DOE.</li> </ul>   |

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| <b>D</b> | <p>Raffle Tickets winner are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Lisa Adler → Columbia fleece mens hoodie</li><li>➤ Elias Amani → scholastics book grade K – 2</li><li>➤ Ava Locurto → A&amp;E network beverage set</li><li>➤ Jennifer Dimarco → scholastics book grade 3 – 5</li></ul> |  |