

Robbins Lane PTA: Agenda October 6, 2022

Meeting called to order at 10:42am.

Introduction:

Good morning and thank you for attending our first Morning meeting of the school year! I can't believe we're already in October; we had a busy September with some great programs and events and a lot of planning for future ones.

Early September the entire school had a welcome back assembly with Jester Jim, the juggling beatbox master. The kids might have come home singing some of his tunes. They loved the performance! Thank you to our Curriculum Enrichment committee who helped bring that program in and for working hard to bring more events to the kids in the coming weeks and months! You'll hear more about it shortly in their committee report.

It was also really nice to see so many faces at the welcome back movie night last month. It was our largest turnout in years! We thank those who attended and hope to continue to see as many of you at future events too.

As of today we are at about 80% of our membership goal. So if you haven't already, we ask you to please sign up for PTA membership. It helps fund these amazing programs and events we put on for the children. And remember only paid pta members get access to the directory app. If you have questions about how to sign up please let us know.

All of the students received an RL PRIDE shirt last month from the PTA and are encouraged to wear them on PRIDE days or for PRIDE assemblies. Tomorrow will be the first PRIDE assembly of the school year so don't forget to have them wear their PRIDE shirts or any other spirit wear.

Thank you again for coming and we look forward to seeing you at some of our October events we have coming up like the 5th grade car wash on 10/15 and the fall festival on 10/28.

MINUTES: The minutes from the October meeting were posted online. We hope you had a chance to review them. Are there any corrections? If not, the minutes stand approved as read.

RECONCILIATION REPORT: Su, have the books been reconciled?

Balance as of September 30, 2022 \$144,690.96

Have the books been reviewed? By Whom? Sharmin Panjvani Thank you.

CORRESPONDENCE:

There is no correspondence this week.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT: Mr. Meyers

- New full time OT
 - Missed sessions will be made up at the end of the year
- Halloween Parade - parents invited
- Halloween Class Parties
- Parent Conferences - teacher reacher
 - In person or virtual
- Transportation (bussing) changes ... must send in a note before 12pm
- Pep Rally - Friday 10/7
- Multicultural Committee
 - Celebrations for the various holidays
- K-1 in school celebrations for fall (pumpkin patch)

COMMITTEES:

1ST VP - Lynette Birnbaum

Thank You:

- Movie Night- Danielle Krongel, Robin Kugel and Cara Ross
- Room Reps- Kate Kim

Speak:

- Reflections - submissions due 11/4
 - Contact robinslanereflections@gmail.com for rules
- Publicity- Brian or me
 - Please check the local papers for our PTA articles and photos. Also, Shutterfly is updated regularly with great pictures of school and PTA events, click the link on the pta website to request access if you're not a member already.
- Room reps- Kate
 - Please send in your class dues if you would like to contribute to the class parties and teacher gifts. Class dues are \$40/child and your room reps

can let you know who is collecting the \$\$ for your class. Thank you to Kindergarten room reps for hosting hospitality for tonight's meeting.

- 5th grade Rec Night- Brian or me
 - 5th grade rec night is a dropoff event on Friday 10/21 from 6-7:30 PM in the RL gym. Please RSVP on the pta website and parent volunteers are still needed!

2ND VP - Lori Vergos

Speak:

- Catalog Sale
- Legislation

3RD VP - Staci Rogove

Thank you:

- Arts in Ed - Jester Jim
- Directory - Brian Greico
- 5th Grade - Ralphs
- Fall Harvest - Pre-Sale

Speak:

- 5th grade - Sharmin and Rinku
 - Barre Method
 - Carwash
 - SaveAround books
 - Decals
- Fall Harvest - Jenny, Carla, Melissa...it's this Friday in person. Parents can shop with their child. Come only during their child's time slot. We will send it out as soon as we get it so you know exactly when your Childs class is shopping.
- Arts in Ed- journeys upcoming for 4th grade and anti bullying program for entire school.

4TH VP - Jen Hemdev

Speak:

- Apparel- Ali will speak (they are shipping next week arrival Friday at school distribution following monday)
- Pie Sale - The Thanksgiving pie and bread sale is back this year. The sale will go live on Monday, October 24. All orders must be in by Friday, November 11. \$25

per pie, \$15 per bread or 2 for \$28. Huge savings. All provided by White Post Farms. Any questions, contact Jodi Hafkin at 917-825-2987.

- Fall Festival- Email went out with regards to Fall festival...order your tickets on member hub. \$5 per kids adults are free.
 - Games crafts Dj snacks costume contest
 - Friday October 28th. 630 to 830
 - We need lots of volunteers. We will be setting up a sign up genius.
- Cultural Unity-Maria? Not sure if she's updating. They will be setting up a flip grid so families can leave a short clip speaking about how they celebrate their holiday.
- Stationary can be bought on member hub

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Thank you for coming today. We love seeing both new and old faces at our meetings and hope you continue to attend all year. Keep reading our emails so that you can stay up to date on all of our events and fundraising. You should be receiving our weekly email on Sunday and our midweek reminder email on Wednesday. If you are not receiving them come see us after the meeting and we will make sure your email address is added. Don't forget to purchase tickets for our Fall Fest on Friday, October 28th from 6:30-8:30. It will be a great event with music, games, crafts, and snacks. We hope to see you all there.

OLD BUSINESS:

Is there any old Business?

NEW BUSINESS:

Legislation Vote

- Retentions - passed
- Recissions - passed
- Updates - passed
- Amendments - passed
- Vote of Confidence - passed

IMPORTANT DATES: October & November

10/7	RL Pride Day
10/10	Columbus Day - NO SCHOOL
10/14	Catalog Sale Ends

10/14	Fall Harvest Sale
10/15	Car Wash
10/17	Journey's Program (4th Grade)
10/21	5th Grade Rec Night
10/25	YoJo Bully No More Program
10/28	Fall Festival
10/31	School Halloween Parade and Class Parties
11/2	PTA Meeting (PM) & catalog sale order pick up
11/4	Kindergarten Rec Night
11/7	Board of Ed Meeting (8pm)
11/8	Election Day NO SCHOOL
11/9	Book Fair Set Up
11/10	Book Fair
11/11	NO SCHOOL
11/24-11/25	NO SCHOOL