

# **P.S. 31 HYBRID MEETING**

## **PTA Meeting Notes Friday February 09, 2024**

### **PTA Executive Board Members Present in Meeting**

- Lauren Fernandes, President
- Amy Yip-Ng, Treasurer
- Raven Pena, Secretary
- Francoise Olivas, Board Member

### **Attendance: 21 in person and 15 online/zoom**

PTA president and PTA Secretary invited parents to review the January minutes and then nominate for approval, two parents had cast their votes in favor of approval.

Increasing the price P.S. 31 90's party.

Increasing total budget for (P.S. 31 Merch) from \$5,000- to \$8,000

### **P.S. 31 Assembly Update:**

February Assembly (Meteorologist): Students and teachers enjoyed the presentation/ experience. Our P.S. 31 PTA is currently researching how to buy a weather station and possibly use it on the roof as it is a great resource for students and teachers and all staff to utilize on a daily basis.

### **P.S. 31 Restaurant Week:**

P.S. 31 has supported our community restaurants with posts on Instagram and with our families

**Total Earnings \$100-\$200**

### **BINGO NIGHT (CASSANOVA):**

For the next Bingo event PTA will consider a bigger space to support more families, caregivers and students.

**Total Earnings: \$500**

### **Someone Special Dance: (P.S. 31 Sponsored)**

PTA will donate snacks to the Someone Special Dance and use the remaining for our 90's Party.

### **Green Wellness:**

- The P.S. 31 Newspaper Committee had interviewed a previous P.S. 31 student who was 85 years old. The students had fun and were able to journal a story of a lifetime.
- Rack bikes will be available in April to create more eco-friendly ways of getting to school.
- P.S. 31 PTA March 14 meeting will be to discuss our very first Spring Swap taking place on May 4 more details to follow. Items will include but not limited to (Shirts, gently used items etc)
- P.S. 31 PTA is looking for the more efficient ways to buy P.S. 31 (Merch)  
Question: Where do we buy Local or Other?  
Poll results were (Cheaper Supply) when under 10% different choose local, save money 5%.
- **P.S. 31 PTA more trips to come:**
  1. First Grade: Gelato
  2. Kindergarten: Gantry
- **P.S. 31 PTA Field Day (McCarren) (June)** All grades, more details to follow.
- P.S. 31 PTA Talent Show (Open Discussion) re-visiting in March PTA meeting.
- P.S. 31 PTA Scribble (Begins in April until the end of the school year)
  1. Scribble will visit Pre-K classes 1 a week and will visit other grades.
- P.S. 31 PTA 90's Party
  1. \$17,000 worth of donations to date, we are working on more!
  2. Sponsored Production Company ?
  3. PTA will request all to send a picture of what they looked like in the 90's.
  4. Our larger donations will be raffled toward the end to ensure a great turnout.
  5. Band: Nate
  6. We are looking for a DJ and sound engineer.
  7. We are requesting all to help with gathering auction items from the community.
- P.S. 31 Play (Disney) Dates May 23 & 24