



AGENDA

MS54 General Meeting

January 14 @ 7:00 pm, Auditorium

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CALL TO ORDER, INTRODUCTIONS & MINUTES: (7:00 – 7:05)

- Reviewed and approved December minutes

PRESIDENTS' REPORT: (7:05 - 7:10)

- Upcoming Resource Fair – Jerome
 - Last 3 to 4 years have a Tutor Fair and broadening it to become a Resource Fair. More details to come on 2/11 to help families prepare for middle school.
- SLT Update – Jerome
 - Met last Friday to discuss how to address the population and diversity changes in the district and the school and to make the right adjustments
- Safety Update – Jerome
 - Making sure kids are not running around in the morning and making sure they are at the right place

TREASURERS' REPORT: (7:10 – 7:15)

- Budget Update
 - On par in comparison to last year and ahead with the annual appeal. Budget is on track with net income of \$328,465, total expense of \$469,170 and net income of -\$140,067, etc.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT: (7:15-7:20)

- School Update
 - Thanked the PTA for approving all teacher requests including Apple pen, cushions for the classroom, etc
 - Safety concerns in the neighborhood and throughout the city and proactively continue to have conversations with your kids and parents
 - Marking period ends at the end of next week (1/24)
 - Encourage to send your kids to the homework help after school
 - New furniture coming into the library and books will return to the library at the end of the month

COMMITTEE REPORTS: (7:20 – 7:30)

- Events – Chris
 - The Spring Gala and Auction – Uptown Jazz (3/21) and early bird portion just closed with more to come in the upcoming newsletter
- Fundraising - Colleen
 - New York Football Club – what date should we pick a date and more details to come on the website
- Communications – Larry
 - Encourage to join the Facebook and follow us on Instagram
- Wellness
 - Wellness Day will be 3/13 – update and looking for presenters
- CEC3 Update – Larry
 - Legislative session starting and we are watching closely to see what happens with specialized high school process

NEXT GENERAL PTA MEETING & RESOURCE FAIR: Tuesday, February 11@ 7:00 pm