

General PTA meeting  
June 3, 2009  
6:30 – 8:00 pm

I. Welcome and approval of minutes from January General PTA Meeting.

II. Principal's Report:

- there will be a 2/3 class for the 2009-2010 school year
- the budget has been approved by the DCPS
- registration packets for the 2009-10 school year need to be completed and turned in before the end of the current school year

III. Treasurer's report:

- 2008-2009 update
  - Income 156K
  - Expenses 63K
  - Net of -7K
  - Approved surplus spending of 41.4K

FLES program ran at a deficit of 3K-may have to raise fees next year or  
Require up front payment from participants

Bulk supplies ran at a deficit of 3K – may need to raise prices next year  
and review our collection method. Bulk supply program for 2009-10  
school year was voted on and approved

PTA Aide compensation changes for 2009-10 school year  
Added 5 paid personal days to be taken with approval  
Starting wage raised to 14.40 per hour  
Retention wage is 15.00 per hour after 3 years

Guided reading/book room update (fund an item from 2008)  
Raised 22K and 1K from the Palisades Community fund  
Training (12K), indiv training/support (5K), shelving and initial  
Books for the room (7K), PTA approved a vote to spend 10K out  
Of our surplus funds over the next few years to complete and  
Support the room.

Writing program (fund an item from 2009)  
Raised 14.7K  
Projected expenses training 5K, materials 4K  
Expect additional “unknown” costs can be covered with the excess

Membership voted and approved budget for 2009-10 school year

IV. LSRT – Lauren Goodyear Shramm

The results from the parent survey in March will be coming out in  
Keynotes or they can also be found on-line

Key was nominated by the Chancellors office to apply for “autonomy”  
Status. We are awaiting the results

V. Officer Elections

Slate was presented and approved  
Co-Presidents: Paige Chabora and Windsor Freemyer  
Treasurer: Julie Scott  
Recording Secretaries: Pete Kaminskas and Susan Kaminskas  
Corresponding Secretary: Jennifer Felten

VI. LSRT election results: Nick Keenan and Andrew Stirling

VII. Updated by-laws were voted on and approved

General Business:

PTA packets will need to be picked up next year, they will not be mailed  
New snack guidelines (suggestions) will be introduced  
Email lists (addresses) can be updated by individual parents-new and old

VIII. Adjournment