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District Number: 52
School Number: 7131
School type: Elementary
Regular Charter School
District Name: PINELLAS
Congressional District: 10
House District : 45
Senate District : 13

Academie Da Vinci PTA General Meeting Minutes

Thursday, September 8, 2016

Introduction & Welcome

Brad Malone, Presiding Chair and PTA President

- 6:18 PM- Brad welcomed everyone and thanked the dinner sponsor, Peebles & Gracy, P. A. Andrew Gracy was not in attendance.
- Wendy Stanziano, art teacher, reviewed dress code and showed examples of correct and incorrect versions.
- Brad introduced the PTA board for 2016-2017.
 - ❖ Vice President of Membership- Amy Freeman
 - ❖ Vice President of Advocacy- Jennifer Spence
 - ❖ Treasurer- Char Leininger
 - ❖ Secretary- Carrie Sammel
 - ❖ Communications Chair- Cyndi Raskin-Schmitt
 - ❖ Fundraising Chair- Cheryl Preston
 - ❖ Reflections Chair- Jesse Relkin
 - ❖ Hospitality Chair- Danica Gunter
 - ❖ Yearbook Chair- Geeta Bell-Hampton
 - ❖ ALL PRO DADS- Eric Keaton
 - ❖ Box Tops- Angie Randall
- Discussed new logo, Da Vinci Dolphins and reviewed difference between PTA communication and Academie Da Vinci communication. PTA will have the Dolphin logo on all communications moving forward.

Membership Report

Amy Freeman, VP of Membership

- Currently at 40 members before first meeting began.
- 10 members are in the business directory before first meeting began.
- Last year we had 187 members, goal is to exceed that number this year.

Treasurer's Report

Charu Leininger, Treasurer

- Discussed balance and line items from previous year and the proposed budget.
- Current account balances: Bank account - \$12,702.27 Square account- \$100
- Angie Randall made a motion to approve the proposed budget. Budget for 2016-2017 was approved.

Box Tops

Brad Malone

- Angie Randall will be overseeing Box Tops for education. Goal for the year, \$1500. Angie reviewed program as well as Tyson A+, Labels for Education and My Coke Rewards.

Amazon Smile and Target REDcard

Lucy Foran

- Discussed the Amazon Smile program. School receives checks quarterly from Amazon for any purchases made through Amazon Smile site when Academie Da Vinci is your selected charity, may access through the ADV homepage.
- Also running program with Target REDcard that supports the school for all REDcard purchases. Must sign up for this through your personal REDcard account and link it to the school.
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PTA Opportunities

Brad Malone

- Brad discussed PTA opportunities to volunteer.
- Positions looking to fill: Media Center Volunteers, Family Culture Night Chair, Room Parent Coordinator, Silent Auction Chair, Aftercare Homework Helpers, Spring Festival Chair, Teacher Appreciation Week.

Reflections

Jesse Relkin, Reflections Chair

- Jesse reviewed Reflections program. This years theme will be "What is Your Story". Submissions are due by Oct 14th and this years categories will be Dance Choreography, Film Production, Literature, Music Concept, Photography, and Visual Arts.

Principal's Report

Lucy Foran, School Principal

- Ms. Foran welcomed parents, introduced teachers and new Assistant Principal
- Mrs. Morgan welcomes families and explains her duties, focusing on 4th, 5th and 6th grade as well as Technology.
- Follows up on need for Media Center Volunteers as well as Homework Help Volunteers. Media Center volunteer for one day a week contact Mrs. Morgan. Homework Help Volunteers needed for both K-2 and 3-6. All volunteers must be level II and go through Ms. Warner.
- Picture Day 9/15. Students may dress up but need sneakers. A couple weeks after, on group Picture day, Level II Volunteers may get pictures taken for badges.

- Thanked PTA Board.
- Introduced Syd Entel, member of school board and thanked her.
- Winter Shows will be at Dunedin High School. K-2 on Wednesday Dec. 14th and 3-6 on Thursday Dec. 15th.
- Dance Club Show will be Monday Dec. 5th.
- Great American Teach-In coming in November. Particularly looking for Science and Technology, Music and Dance.
- Dress Code- 960 polos have been shipped to ADV. Pink shirts on back order. All students must now be in dress code. If student may not be in dress code for any religious, physical reason or economic hardship, please email Ms. Foran. Any other questions, please email teacher. Violations will now be handed out. First violation, note will come home. Second Violation, phone call will be made. Third violation, meeting with Ms. Foran. If you have any questions about orders, call IUniforms customer service and if they call you, please return their call.
- Survey will be coming soon for foreign language offered to 7th graders.
- 4th grade St Augustine trip has been booked for May

News & Notes

Brad Malone

- All Pro Dads 9/23 at 7:30am. \$5 for adults, children are free.
- The Mingle 10/1 at Pioneer Park, time TBD.
- Fall Fundraiser coming in October.
- Geeta Bell Hampton, Yearbook Chair, announced we will be using Tree Ring this year to order yearbooks, discounts for ordering early.
- Check gmail accounts if not receiving constant contact communication, gmail is categorizing as promotion in some cases.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM

President Approval

Date

Secretary Approval

Date

Dinner Sponsored By:



United for **YOUTH!**

Thank you

Gracy Family

for

Supporting



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PTA Meeting Agenda

6:00 – 6:15 Introduction & Welcome

- Your 2016 – 2017 PTA Board & Chairpersons
- NEW ADV PTA Logo design
- WHY PTA?

6:15 – 6:25 Membership (Amy Freeman)

6:25 – 6:30 Treasurer (Char Leininger)

6:30 – 6:45 BoxTops and other programs (Angie Randall)

6:45 – 6:47 ADV PTA Support

6:47 – 6:50 Reflections (Jesse Relkin)

6:50 – 7:00 Principal's Report (Lucy Foran)

7:00 – 7:05 Upcoming Events and Programs

7:05 – 7:15 Comments, Questions, WRAP UP!



2016 – 2017 PTA Board & Chairpersons



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VP of Advocacy
Jennifer Spence



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Da Vinci Dolphins

ADVPTA

United for YOUTH!

Why join PTA?

We have a very active PTA here at Academie Da Vinci - it's just \$5 per person and anyone can join.

The number one reason to join the **PTA** is to benefit your child. In doing so, you also help your school!

Get Connected. There's no better way to know what's happening in your school.

Discover Great Resources. The PTA offers a variety of programs designed for parents and students.

Be a Role Model. By becoming a PTA member, you'll be demonstrating to your child the importance you place on education.

Speak Up. PTA can be a way for you to more effectively suggest change at your child's school.

Tap into a Network. PTA functions are opportunities to meet other parents and teachers, building rapport and discussing issues that are on your mind. You can share ideas, concerns, and experiences.

•Watch Yourself Grow. By volunteering with your PTA, you put your skills and hobbies to use for a noble cause—your child and all children in the community.



ENRICHMENT

THE Mingle – drum circle, chalk art, photo booth

Family Culture Night

Donation to Music Program

Kindergarten Level Readers

Kids Giveback – ADV T-Shirts for Kindergarten & 5th grade, Water Bottles for remaining students

Teacher Appreciation Week

PTA Families donate Coolers and iPad Printer, face painting, henna tattoos, their time!

Spring Festival – dunk tank, maze, games, DJ

PE Equipment

Teacher Conference

STEAM materials

ALL PRO DADS Breakfast

Playground & Sunshade

Technology Initiative

Food and Entertainment for each PTA PARTY!

Holiday Parade accessories

Bike Rodeo

ART Show

White T-shirts and Markers to sign for last day of school

iPads for Teachers



Membership Report



Treasurer's Report and Budget Presentation



STARTING BALANCE	\$12,502
Income	2016 Budget
Membership Dues (\$5 per membership)	\$900
Directory	\$200
PTA Meeting Food	\$1,350
Fall fundraiser	\$4,000
Silent Auction	\$7,000
Mingle	\$150
Box Tops, Labels, etc	\$1,500
Run for the Arts	\$4,000
Spring Fundraiser	\$3,000
All Pro Dads	\$700
TOTAL GROSS INCOME	\$22,800

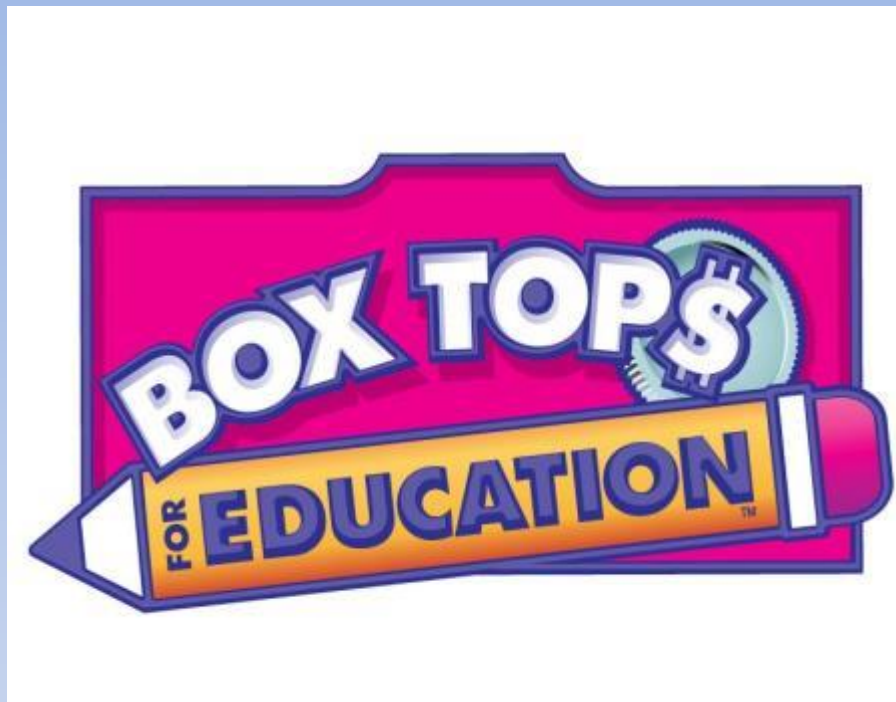
EXPENSES	2016 Budget
State/Nat'l Dues (\$3.50 per membership)	\$630
Box Tops	\$25
Fall Fundraiser	\$2,000
Reflections art competition	\$275
Silent Auction	\$1,600
Mingle	\$1,000
Science Night	\$650
Margaritaville - IT vision funds	\$4,000
Carline circle board	\$45
Cultural Night	\$150
Run for the Arts	\$1,600
Teacher Appreciation Week	\$1,000
Spring Festival	\$1,750
Spring Fundraiser	\$500
Parade	\$150
PTA meeting food	\$1,800

PTA Meeting Programs- kids entertainment	\$1,170
Book Fair	\$75
All Pro Dads	\$2,000
Art Show	\$600
Square Fees	\$150
PTA Insurance	\$279
PTA OOC	\$50
PTA Admin/Op Expenses	\$250
PTA Training	\$75
FL PTA Convention	\$600
Summer Interim Funds	\$250
Teacher education	\$700
Specials education	\$600
Teacher enrichment	\$1,000
2015 Extra funds IT	\$4,000
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$28,974

Carryover	\$12,502.27
Gross income	\$22,800.00
Total expenses	\$28,974.00
Retained Earnings	\$6,328.27

VOTE!





Angela Randall



ADV PTA

Wants

your

Support!

Media Center Volunteers
Family Culture Night Chair
Room Parent Coordinator
Silent Auction Chair
Aftercare Homework Helpers
Spring Festival Chair
Teacher Appreciation Week!





Reflections Arts Program: What is Your Story?

-  **Dance Choreography**
-  **Film Production**
-  **Literature**
-  **Music Composition**
-  **Photography**
-  **Visual Arts**

SUBMISSIONS DUE October 14th

Chair: Jesse Relkin



Principal's Report

Lucy Foran



Upcoming Events and Programs



ALL **PRO** DADS

Team Captain **Eric Keaton**

FRIDAY, September 23rd, 7:30 AM

\$5 per adult, ADV Students are

FREE

PLEASE RSVP at

allprodad.com/3424

**add in comments
for dietary concerns**



THE Mingle

October 1st, Pioneer Park Downtown Dunedin

Drum Circle, Chalk Art, Entertainment, great opportunity to meet and well...MINGLE!****

Volunteers Needed – contact Cheryl Preston

mcgregoc4@yahoo.com



Fall
Fundraiser
in
October



Next **P**TA **P**arty

October

6th

Good Night!

