First PTA Meeting/Volunteer Breakfast

Call to order 8:25

Pledge of Allegiance

Principal’s Message (Mr. Fossas)

* Total student enrollment 785 students
* Smart initiative- wifi on entire campus, computers, one entrance- which will be where parents drop students off; construction to begin November and estimated completion is January

Ms Kraus, Steinman and Maria from front office- becoming a broward county volunteer; laptops available to sign up at meeting

Introduction of board members (all present)-

Meeting dates- first evening meeting is 12/6 and will schedule more according to turnout

PTA drive- trying to increase membership, 100% membership for a class = glow party; Legoland tix for $35 with membership (link to be added to FB page)

Book Fair and Spirit Week/FTE- next week, Spirit Week with a dress-up theme for each day- Monday Marvel, Tourist Tuesday, Western Wednesday, Thursday Throwback and Spirit Friday (HHE shirt)

Open House- if you want to be a room parent advise the teacher at this time

Red Ribbon Week (10/23-10/27)-

Picture Day moved to 10/30- need volunteers, will be led by Nina

1st Annual Trunk or Treat 10/30- need cars and volunteers

Character Parade (1st thru 3rd grade) & Fall Centers 10/31-

Field Day (12/4-12/6)- coordinated by Louise. Volunteers needed, don’t do it for the time period your child will be participating. Tuesday afternoon is 1st grade

10/19 and 12/22 half-days and now a full day due to hurricane

Treasurer’s Report/Budget Approval- budget approved, first (Louise) and second (Diana Morales)

Membership report- 199 members

Treasurer/ VP of Programs and Membership vacancies- Ashley Kelly candidate for Treasurer (nominated by Jessica Sanchez, Louise 2nd); VP Programs- Lorena O’Keefe (Louise 2nd) (Diana Morales nominated) ; VP of membership- Louise (nominated Jessica Sanchez) (Romy 2nd)

VP Report (Jeanna)

* Book Fair- this Friday need volunteers to sign up for this Friday 8-2, 10/13 is family night
* Chili’s Family Night- 10/25 (5-9) Sheridan Plaza, 15% goes to the school
* T-Shirt Sponsors Needed- shirts, yearbook, FB, newsletter and website
* Dolphin Game 12/31 @1- $60 tickets and $25 parking, sales start 11/1
* Box Tops- coordinator, Romy S, will be sending home box top sheets. Silly String party for the most box tops per class, and a spirit stick for 50 box tops

Adjournment 9:57