

June 12, 2012 P.S. 334 – The Anderson School – General PTA - Approved Minutes

Attendees: 36 parents

- I. **Minutes:** The May General PTA minutes passed unanimously.
- II. **Principal's Report** – Donna Smiley gave the Principal's report:
 - a. **Teacher Hiring:** We're seeing some great experienced teachers for the 4 vacancies, they've been doing demo lessons, but there's no official word yet on the hiring.
- III. **Nominations:** The PTA slate passed unanimously. SLT had one contested slot, the candidates made speeches, and a vote was taken.
- IV. **Fundraising:** Amy Davidson (VP, Fundraising) reported that the May matching campaign for the Direct Appeal did well, and she announced the winner of the iPad (the **Tavangar** family). There is an event next week for incoming parents.
- V. **Budget:** Will McCoy and Bojan discussed the budget that was presented last month. The DOE budget came out, and while there were no new cuts, it's still down with previous cuts. A vote was taken, and the budget passed unanimously.
- VI. **President's Report:**
 - a. **Book Fair:** The Book Fair was a success.
 - b. **Thank You Awards:** A number of people were recognized for their super volunteer effort contributing to the school:
 - i. **Donna Smiley Award:** Stacey Lender
 - ii. **Certificates of Appreciation:** Deb Grinberg, Julie Schuster, Mort Schuster, Juli Falkoff, Lorna Leibowitz, Hank Leibowitz, Irene Krarup, Heidi Seroy, Mary-Anne Cross, Peter Szabo, Norah McVeigh, Maureen Minihan, Courtney Brown, Ursula Mitra, Linda Manning, Cheryl Dresner, John Pizzarelli, Jessica Molaskey, Beth Redler
 - iii. **Thank You to Executive Board:** The Co-Presidents gave a special thank you to the entire Executive Board.
- VII. **Adjournment:** We adjourned at 7:30pm.