

## Parent & Family Group Agenda

Wednesday, April 12, 2023

8:30 AM

Parent & Family Group - PCS

Wednesday, April 12 · 8:30 – 9:30am

Google Meet joining info

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/chg-uhow-bfq>

Or dial: (US) +1 231-527-9688 PIN: 625 578 258#

Attendance:      Virtual: 9      In-person: 5

**Report from Principals:** Title 1 (\$500) for parent group. Resources have been purchased in the past. Books are available for parents/guardians to check out- they can be sent home with kids or picked up two doors down from the main office. Office staff can direct. The new books focus mostly on Dyslexia but the bookshelf covers all topics including some picture books. Outside play area (blacktop): Improvements-ball hoop, paint, bins of supplies all on blacktop. Bins but not blocks have arrived & will be in the annex center. End of year event- all specials showcased-2 dates May 31 grades 5-8, grades 2-4 on June 1. Parents needed to volunteer on opposite grades dates (directing & handing out Ritas etc.). Have to register for the event.

### Discussion:

1. Treasurer's Report (Meghan Karn): \$TKD concessions 2549.88 ½ to TKD, Zroni 769
2. Fundraisers & Events: Updates & What's happening now: Current Balance & recent activity
  - (a) Ice Cream Social to celebrate PSSA effort! May 5th
  - (b) Teacher Appreciation -fundraising info
  - (c) Spring Flower Sale - tentative date May 18th
  - (d) Zroni- Upcoming May sale. Zroni sales benefit the Parent Group and 8th Grade graduation.
3. New members for board & committees: Shadow & take over in the fall with support!
4. Committee Reports: 3 minutes each
  - A. Parent Student Staff Liaison (chair position open): Duties: Attending board meetings & reporting. Sallie attended on 4/11/23 - The board is looking at enrollment, 2nd grade has slots open, word of mouth helps. 3rd and 4th grade is already full and have waitlists. PCS West is open for enrollment. Field trip policy approved, all kids will go on field trips this year. Board discussed interest in a trip to Harrisburg in timing with Dyslexia month for kids next year. They are aware of parent board discussion and have offered support & might cover the cost of a bus - let us know if you are interested, tour & possible meeting with reps! Contact is Meghan-send email to the PCS general gmail account.
  - B. Uniform Closet, need based (Ellen Lyons): No updates
  - C. Communications (Sallie Richards): newsletter to be coming out this week
  - D. Get Outside Committee: No updates
5. Volunteers will be needed:

- (a) 8th grade graduation committee members & help the day of
- (b) Teacher appreciation committee members 2 people volunteered online Contact: Jamie Druga
- (c) Book Exchange: May 16th
- (d) Field Day June 5th - 1 person online said they could help
- (e) Parents volunteers would be needed to help the school in the evening on May 31st (grades 5-8) and June 1st (2-4). Parents could volunteer for the opposite night of their child's night.

4. Group Comments/discussion/questions/suggestions:

Forgotten (and **exciting**) thoughts not shared at meeting: It was announced at the school board meeting that Provident will host a Remake Learning Day which is a pretty big deal. More information will be coming but you can look at this link for more information. [Remake Learning | Igniting engaging, relevant, and equitable learning practices in the greater Pittsburgh region](#)

**Info section:** [Family Engagements events](#)

- [Family Engagement Page](#) -

Want to get involved in any of the Parent Group events/committees?

Email: [PCSParentgroup@gmail.com](mailto:PCSParentgroup@gmail.com) [GJSTRONG4@gmail.com](mailto:GJSTRONG4@gmail.com) [rachelcravotta@gmail.com](mailto:rachelcravotta@gmail.com)

**Family Group Dates (Second Wednesday of the month)**

Wednesday, April 12, 2023 (Breakfast - @PCS - 8:30 AM)

Wednesday, May 10, 2023 (Evening - virtual - 6:00 PM)