

3/14/2018 minutes

Called to Order: 6:06

President's update:

- Several Board positions will need to be filled
 - Mik is willing to step up to President if Rob has to step down
 - LaTisha is willing to step up to VP if Mik steps up to president
- Spring Grant process is underway

Principal's Update:

- Several students walked out of school to express their concerns about the violence at the HS in FL and current gun laws
 - Very proud of the kids as they behaved appropriately
- Safety and security protocols are being reviewed
 - Collecting ideas from staff and parents
- Budget
 - Superintendent has worked collaboratively with the County Executive to fully fund the budget
 - Key to bringing teacher salaries up to competitive levels
- Hiring season is upon us
- Renovation planning has begun
 - Planning takes two years
 - One year to secure permits
 - Actual construction begins in about 3 years
- 3/21 Region 5 Meeting re: FCPS ON
 - Discussing the implementation plan for 1:1 devices
 - Chantilly HS @7pm
 - proposing \$50 fee per student
 - Roll out first to HS, then MS, then ES
- Will try to adjust SOL process
 - Goal: tests administered over two weeks, at the same time
- School has had two power outages
 - Blown transformer that affected Woodson, too
 - Underground wire went bad
- Need to add the PTA application on the virtual opening
- The 8th grade dance is sponsored by the PTA
 - Could be held the Friday before Memorial Day or the Friday the 18th
 - Must involve Joe Berret (8th grade AP) as soon as possible
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Staff Update:

Upcoming

SOLs are coming up in May

This week is the book fair thru next Wednesday 3/21

Parent can establish accounts for their kids to shop with

3/15 - student v faculty basketball game @2:30

4/6 - spring picture day

TBD - Spring Dance

4/27 - Model UN is going to the State Department

Treasurer's Update:

- Paula provided a copy of the budget
- Bingo:
 - \$2,500 in prize sponsorships
 - Estimated net: \$4,200
- Some Spiritwear monies remain outstanding
 - At least one vendor invoice remains

Committee Reports

- *Special Ed*
 - Seeking parent sponsors for monthly Special Olympics Buddy Events
 - Could provide kids opportunities to fully experience after school program
 - Perhaps PTA could financially sponsor and provide games that meet varying abilities
 - Unified Special Olympics Tennis started today
 - May have a dinner party with bingo
 - Laura suggested that promotional flyers be imbedded in the school's News You Can Choose

Vice President's Report

- Grant applications are due 3/24/18
 - Eric will send a reminder to staff
- Skate Night II will be April 6th
 - Mik will send the announcement to Eric and Rosemary for publicity

Announcements:

Donna Schnieder recommended that PTA meetings include some of the Falcon Focus topics. Perhaps we can receive a resiliency lesson

Adjourned: 10am