

PSG 2008 Meeting Minutes

9/12/06

6:30 P.M.

Call to Order

The first 2006 PSG 2008 meeting was called to order by Susan Rose. She welcomed parents and guest speaker, Principal Jenoff.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer, Laura Larkin, asked for an election of officers. Melissa Leviant motioned that the following officers be elected for 2006/2007. Alicia Frangos seconded the motion.

- Chair, Nancy Gutsell
- Vice Chair, Susan Rose
- Treasurer, Laura Larkin
- Secretary, Starmie Taylor

The motion passed.

Laura reported that currently PSG 2008 has \$12,000.00. She suggested that we transfer \$10,000 to a CD to earn a higher interest rate. A motion was made by Debra Hernas and seconded by Angel Heschen that Laura transfer \$10,000.00 to a higher interest account. The motion passed.

Fundraising Reports

Donna Misa reported that we made a profit of \$300.00 from last years Cookie Lee jewelry sales. Cookie Lee jewelry was available for sale at the meeting.

Angel Hession reported that the Flamingo Flocker fundraiser earned \$175.00 at Arena Check-in. A discussion followed on how to get students involved in flocking their friends for their birthdays.

Nina Rasor reported that escrip is bringing in about \$400.00 a month from grocery stores. So far, 100 families are signed up for escrip.

There will be a garage sale on September 30th. Our last garage sales earned between \$500.00 and \$600.00. It will be held at 884 Cedar Street in San Carlos. We need items for the sale.

Susan Rose reported that the non-event is a great way to support PSG 2008. All you have to do is write a check. This is also an easy way for grandparents and other relatives to support PSG 2008.

Guest Speaker

Principal Jenoff gave a general reporting of the following topics:

- New classes offered at Carlmont and their popularity.
- Senior choice classes such as Shakespeare, Creative Writing, and Contemporary Literature – all are University approved.
- Currently Carlmont offers 20 AP classes ranging from AP Government and Economics, AP International Relations, AP Stats, AP History, AP Calculus and many more.
- Two new magnet programs include Education for Prospective Teachers and Business Science Management, taught by Canada teachers.
- Mandarin Chinese is a new class offered at Carlmont this year.
- Next year, Carlmont plans to offer an International Business Entrepreneurship Program.
- Carlmont currently has a total of 2150 students.
- Carlmont received an 800 API score (Academic Performance Index). Principal Jenoff said 800 is an outstanding score and she is very proud of it.
- Juniors take the SAT typically in the Spring. Packets were mailed to parents with a suggested course to prepare students for taking the SAT.
- Back to School Night is Thursday, 9/14/06.
- Two new science rooms have been added. This makes 11 science rooms in all. The library should be finished by the end of the month. The practice gym is not yet completed and the pod in the front area should be finished by the end of the year. The new performing arts center will open at the beginning of 2007. It will seat 500.
- Principal Jenoff complimented the students on taking care of their campus and furniture.
- Parking is an issue. Students should park on campus or across the street in the church parking lot. Do not use the Tongan or Nursery School lots. Parking permits go on sale Monday, 9/18/06.

Susan Rose reminded parents that PSG 2008 meets every other month. The topic for November is Parent Ed. The PSAT will be held October 21st.

Susan adjourned the meeting at 7:30 P.M.