

# **P.S. 175 Parents Association Meeting Minutes**

**February 14, 2017 at 7:00 pm**

Officers Present: Darryl Chu (PA President) Alex Ribiev (PA Co-President), Beatrice Grosu (Co-Vice President), Lana Eliyahu (PA Treasurer), Daniella Lednicer (PA Corresponding/Recording Secretary)

- **Minutes Approved**

- **New York Life Child ID Program**

Victoria Ward from NY Life came to provide an overview of the program

Free service, parents only need to fill out a consent form and provide child's information (make sure form is legible!)

No minimum age for children

Forms to be sent out week of February 13

No personal information is stored in any database — one copy goes to school, one stays with parent

Other services offered from New York Life to participants in Child ID program — Savings plan, insurance, retirement planning

Child ID registration will take place during PA meeting on Tuesday, March 14 2017

Some vendors offer a discount to students with ID

- **SLT Report**

Decided to extend the Read-A-Thon fundraiser — \$6,000 raised so far

Cross-Fit Class now fully funded (via Go Fund Me fundraising campaign)

Music class supplies fundraising campaign almost fully funded, still short of \$600. PA voted "yes" to use PA funds to make up the difference and complete the fundraiser.

School Supply Providers — a list of companies who sell school supplies on line and deliver them directly to the classroom on the first day of school was distributed to the PA, with costs and details of each company. Final consensus on which one will provide this service to PS 175Q should be voted on by next week; PA is leaning towards "BluSchool"

- **Upcoming Fundraisers**

Discount Yankee Game Tickets — June 11, 2017 ("Bat Day" — free bats given to the first 10,000 guests 14 years old and younger)

After School Drama Program — Participants will perform "Wizard of Oz" on the 2nd Friday in June. (Drama Program held Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays at 4:30pm.)

-It was suggested to sell tickets at \$5 per person for the performance, in an effort to raise money for the school.

Mother's Day Plant Sale

-Christy Burks offered to chair the Plant Sale Committee, Lana Eliyahu to offer some assistance

Zumbathon 3/25 (date OK?)

International Food Festival 4/23 — Call for Volunteers

- **New York City Education Council**

Deadline for applications is March 5, 2017

**Meeting Adjourned 8:00 p.m.**