**PTA Meeting Minutes: Friday, November 6, 2020**

*Meeting Place: virtual via Zoom*

*Meeting Called to Order: 9:45am*

*Attendance:* Lily Tang, Alejandra Mendoza, Debra Means-West

**AGENDA:**

***Call to Order****: Lily Tang*

Minutes from meeting were distributed and accepted.

***President’s Report:***

*New PTA Executive Board: new members were announced and introduced.*

*Parent Teacher Conferences:*

*School Closed:*

* *November 11, 2020*
* *November 26-27, 2020*

***Treasurer’s Report:***

*Budget: positive balance for November. Most revenue is from last year’s events and activities*

***Fundraising Report:***

*Box Tops Fundraiser*

*Meadow Farms 11/2/20-11/23/20 – meadowfarms.com – earn 40% of sales*

*Meadow Farms 11/30/20-12/7/20 – meadowfarms.com – earn 20% of sales*

*School ID: MF1125012*

*New Fundraisers:*

*Aunt Butchies Thanksgiving pies and cakes*

***Principal’s Report – Ms. Culkin:***

* ***Attendance:*** *Ms. Culkin advised parents to help with student attendance. This means that all students need to be ready to begin remote learning at 8.30am with video cameras on so that students can be seen by teacher and class.*
* ***Class Assignments:*** *Parents were reminded that all student assignments need to be submitted daily by 5pm.*
* ***Report Cards:*** *PS 176 report cards will be delivered on November 20th. The marking period has been moved to an end date of November 13th.*

*COVID Update: 2 rounds of COVID testing have occurred in which 10-15 students (grades 1-5) were selected for testing. DOE states that students in Kindergarten will not be tested. Parents with any students attending or switching to attend in-person classes are reminded that students must have completed consent form returned to school.*

*Events: November 10th Virtual Ned Show*

*State Testing: Testing will occur this year (ELA, April and Math, May)*

***Parent Coordinator – Ms. Francisco:***

*Middle School Admissions: DOE updates on deadlines still pending*[*https://www.myschools.nyc/en/schools/middle-school/*](https://www.myschools.nyc/en/schools/middle-school/)

*Towel Pets Voting coming soon*

***Adjournment: 9:30am
Next Meeting: December 4th***

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