

Public School 3 – The Margaret Gioiosa School  
80 South Goff Avenue  
Staten Island, NY 10309



### **September 2023 PTA Meeting Minutes**

September 19, 2023, 6:30PM, In person Attendees : 10, Google Meet Attendees: 58, Total Attendees: 68

Call to order, Welcome and Pledge by Nancy Centeno & Billy Owens

Sunshine & Thank You:

Thank you to the P.S.3 administration, teachers and staff for a smooth transition into the 2023-2024 school year. We also would like to thank our PTA executive board for all their help with first day back to school preparations. We hope to make this a great and memorable school year.

PTA officers introduction :

Dana Ruggeri - Parliamentarian

Sergeant at arms - Melissa Zeh

Corresponding secretary - Lisa Lomangino

Recording secretary - Catherine Forzano

Treasurer - Michelle Orlando

2nd Vice President - Karina Morales-Montalvo

1st Vice President- Tara Malandrucolo

Co- Presidents - Nancy Centeno and Billy Owens

Motion to approve June, July, August 2023 Treasury Report submitted by PTA Treasurer Michelle Orlando:

1<sup>st</sup> Melissa Zeh

2<sup>nd</sup> Alena Taliercio

Look over proposed budget for the 2023-2024 school year. Fundraising that we anticipate and expenses that the PTA may cover. Voting on final budget will take place in October.

Motion to approve meeting minutes from June 2023 submitted by Karina Morsles- Montalvo

1<sup>st</sup> Jessica Sheridan

2<sup>nd</sup> Courtney Spinelli

### **New Business**

- Every year council man Joe Borelli gives every school in the district \$3,000. In the past this money has been allocated to fund the ball room dancing program and will continue to do so.
- Double Good popcorn fundraiser. This fundraiser will help with costs for school trips, assemblies, enrichment programs (Chess) , technology, gym upgrades and lastly overall school improvements.
- 2023-2024 PTA Family Dues -ongoing. Donate by October 6th to be entered for the chance to win a Ipad. First class to have all their dues in will receive a pizza party.
- PTA meeting will be held second Tuesday of every month.
- Working families, please check with your companies to see if they have matching gifts programs. We are a 501c3 charity.

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Motion to approve : 1<sup>st</sup> Francesca Kapitan

2<sup>nd</sup> Alena Taliercio

Trunk or Treat-

October 19th with rain date of October 20th. Time- 4pm-6:30pm

Bring the family for a night of fun. Don't miss out on bounce houses, candy, craft activities games, music and much more. Prize for best costume and best decorated trunk.

Volunteers who decorate their trunks will be given free admission for up to two children. Please reach out we are looking for volunteers. Thank you!

Administrative Announcements by Principal, Mr. Myers:

- Welcome back, children, parents , administration, staff and teachers.
- Boiler project is 99 percent completed.
- School cameras - 26 locations, all outside exits will be covered. School safety will have a camera at the front desk and will use a safe buzz in system.
- States test scores for 3rd, 4th and 5th grade are in. District rise - Ela: 51%-54% Math: 43% -57% P.S.3 Ela - 74% Math- 88%
- Please make sure to keep the children reading and to fill out reading logs.

Comments from Parent Coordinator, Janine Guerrieri

- Parent portal, if not already signed up please make sure to do so. Important means for school communication and student information.

Important dates :

October - Clothing / Coat drive date to be announced

October 11th- middle school applications

October 16th- Picture day. 5th grade please wear white.

October 19th Trunk or Treat R/D October 20th

November 15th and 16th- Holiday fair

Next PTA Meeting , October 10th 2023 , at 6:30 (Virtual)

Motion to close the meeting:

1<sup>st</sup> Nicole Attianese

2<sup>nd</sup> Stacey Burnside

*Respectfully Submitted by Catherine Forzano, Recording Secretary*



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