



General Meeting Minutes November 8th, 2007

Meeting was called to order in the East Side cafeteria by Co-President Kim Fry at 6:30pm. The colors and Pledge of Allegiance were presented by Girl Scout Troop # .

Presidents Remarks - Kim reminded everyone that the annual Book Fair would run the week of Nov. 12-16 in the Media Center and Family Night is Thursday, Nov. 15. The theme of the 2008 Variety Show is "Retro is New" and permission slips will be available soon. The show will not be held on February 9 due to scheduling conflicts. A new date will be announced soon. The Jingle Jog will be held on December 1 and the PTA supports the PE department in this fund raiser by organizing and recruiting volunteers. The East Side PTA was awarded a \$1,000 "Healthy Habits grant which will be used for educational programs about nutrition as well as some new art work for the cafeteria. Kim introduced Karolina Klinker from Girls, Inc.

Ms. Klinker spoke briefly about the programs that her organization sponsors. These programs focus on health, puberty and other issues for girls and their parents. There is a 5-part workshop offered. Kim mentioned that a similar program can be made available for boys.

Secretary's Report – Irene Barton, Secretary, dispensed with the reading of the minutes from the last General Membership Meeting on August 28, 2007. Minutes were posted in the hallway and available for review.

Treasurer's Report – Patricia Osborne, Treasurer, presented the Treasurer's Report which is on the attached agenda.

Principal's Remarks – Ms. Mavity thanked everyone for coming.

The General Meeting was adjourned at 6:45 pm.

Minutes prepared by:

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