General PA Meeting Minutes
March 17, 2016

Board members present: Shaqua Randle, Melissa Kelly, Elizabeth Leih, Jamilliah White

Minutes from the February meeting are adopted.

Principal’s Update:
- Social-emotional learning program launched.
- Safety drills are underway.
- Asks parent body to vote to reallocate $3000 for books to supplies.
- Parent surveys: high participation is very important.
- Spirit Week decided by Student Council.
- Art subs will be in place for every grade, except third, which will have a yoga class instead.

Financial Updates
- Gardening grant received.
- PA paid for BHM performance.
- We’ve earned over $1200 from Schoola so far this year.
- School picture sales raised over $1300.
- Vote on reallocating $3000 from higher level reading books to school supplies for the school. Many questions from parents. Principal Verdiner rejoined the meeting to explain further. A motion was made to reallocate the funds. The motion was seconded. A vote was held and the motion passed.

Other Updates:
Silent Auction and Parent Social update on items received so far. Reminder to buy tickets.
Square 1 Art order forms went home. Deadline for ordering is April 1st.
Request for more committee members and volunteers, i.e. After School and Election committees.