

ENCINO ELEMENTARY E-TEAM BOARD 2019-2020 MINUTES

August 15, 2019 Encino Charter Elementary School, Faculty Room

I. Welcome/Call to Order

Co-President Geraldine Hernandez-Abisror called the E-Team's new board meeting to order at 7:26pm at Encino Charter Elementary School, Faculty Room.

II. Roll Call: Lisa Clayden, Recording Secretary

Those in attendance and constituting a quorum were:

Present:

Co-Presidents – Jamie Grossman & Geraldine Hernandez-Abisror Recording Secretary – Lisa Clayden Corresponding Secretary – Kim Garr Co-Treasurers – Kristen Lebovic & Matt Weiss Co-VP of Fundraising –Kelly Kozakov VP of Student Services – Sanaz Jedian Kinder Advisor - Stephanie Porter 1st grade Advisor – Lisa Hermes 2nd grade Advisor – Laila Parsi 3rd grade Advisor – Deborah Levinrad 4th grade Advisor – Erin Aghai 5th grade Advisor – Kristin Moss Principal - Amanda Evans Teacher - Alex Zwick

Absent: Gordon Teti (out of town); Levinrad (left at 8pm)

Welcome introductions

- III. Minutes Approval -1st Motion by Moss; 2nd Motion by Aghai
- IV. Principal Report Amanda Evans, Principal
 - a. Entry gates will remain the same (Addison and Otsego); Encino Badges or visitor stickers no longer required before 8:03am
 - Parents/Guardians MUST exit campus at 1st warning bell at 8:03am
 - Visitor badge required after 1st bell at the office
 - b. Will talk to teachers to determine vision of the school



V. Treasurer Report - Kristin Lebovic & Matt Weiss, Co-Treasurers

- a. Current Balances: Checking \$194.6K; Savings \$100.6K
- b. Budget 2019-2020: Review & Board Approval
 - ✓ Budget Approval 1st Motion by Clayden; 2nd Motion by Jedian
- c. Financial Procedures / Overview
 - Plans to simplify budget layout
 - Teacher salaries and supplies slightly increased the budget this year
 - Annual giving has a larger projection this year

VI. Fundraising / Events Report - Kelly Kozakov, Co-VP Fundraising

- a. Fundraising Overview / Procedures / Goals
 - Planning for more smaller fundraisers
 - Partnering up with local businesses
- b. Fundraising Events: (Q1)
 - Annual Giving Kickoff Thurs., 8/15, Welcome orientation Chairs: Jamie Grossman, Phil An, Shawn Simmons
 - Added a new 5th Grade tier
 - Information to go live on website with a Venmo link
 - Amazon/Ralphs Kickoff Thurs., 8/15, Welcome orientation Chairs: Lisa Hermes, Nathan Alexander
 - Discussion regarding Ralph's program and enrolling by Sept 1st
 - Hermes looking into if families need to re-enroll every year
 - Back to School Family Movie Night (1st Event) Sat., 9/7/19 Chairs: Ellen Shin, Gabrielle Bilicki
 - Toy Story 4
 - Already have a lot of volunteers

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- Enrichment Session #1 Begins (8wks) Mon. 9/9 Fri. 10/25/2019 Chair: Christina Weiss
 - Enrichment Demo Day Fri. 8/23 11:00am-1:00pm, Lunch tables
 - Enrichment Session 1 Registration Opens 8/19 and closes 8/31
 - Clayden suggested to open registration on the first day of school
- DPY "Dance Party Yeah" (2nd Event) Fri. 10/11, Lunch area *Chair: Kristin Moss*
 - Dance crew would like to have an enrichment class
 - Food donations from local businesses
 - Looking into JoyMode subscription for DPY and E-Team events
- **Turkey Trot (3rd event)** Thurs. 11/21, Big yard Chair: Jen Meister, Michele Rosenfeld (Kinder parents)
 - Event will only have online donations
 - Someone will be slimed if goal is reached
- c. Committee Chairs / Open Committees
 - Board to review committee list for accuracy or open positions
 - Discussion on continuing or cancelling birthday marquee

VII. Student Services - Sanaz Jedian, VP of Student Affairs & Services

- a. Traffic Duty Signs
 - 1st Day / 1st week: E-Team Board
- b. Room Parent Kickoff Meeting
 - Friday, Sept 6 at 8:08am in the Auditorium
- c. Grade Level Meetings for Parents
 - Discussion to have 'Coffee with Principal" meetings by lower and then by higher grades; 5th grade to have own meeting

- d. Safety & Parent Education Assemblies/Speakers
 - Informative presentations for Parent Meetings
 - Consider bringing in Middle schools for presentations to 5th grade families

VIII. E-Team Website/ Social Media Sites - Kim Garr, Corresponding Secretary

- a. Discussion of requirements needed for website, i.e. dimensions and text
- b. Requested 48 hours notice to post

IX. Advisory Board

- a. Kinder Advisor Stephanie Porter
 - Kinder Orientation Mon. 8/19 at 8am
 - Play dates starting with Genesta Park after Orientation
- b. 1st Grade Advisor Lisa Hermes
 - Discussion of getting grade level emails for parent events
- c. 2nd Grade Advisor Laila Parsi
 - Planning better grade level communication from last year
- d. 3rd Grade Advisor Deborah Levinrad
 - No report
- e. 4th Grade Advisor Erin Aghai
 - Excited to get started with her event ideas
- f. 5th Grade Advisor Kristin Moss
 - Going to do collective, school-wide fundraisers
 - Will hold a 5th Grade Parent Meeting
 - Presented community seating at lunch to resemble middle school

X. Additional New Business

- a. Welcome Back to School 1st Day- 8/20/19: Teachers Lounge, E-Team Reception Table
 - Fun welcome with photo props for selfies, music; Begins at 7:45am
- b. E-Team Board 2019-2020 Meeting Dates
 - ✓ Meeting Dates Approval 1st Motion by Garr; 2nd Motion by Aghai
- c. E-Team Board & Chair "Inbox folders", forms, event supplies (Geraldine)

- d. School Communication /Apps- Parent Square? (Kristin Moss)
 - Parent Square has 50 LAUSD schools; Wants to do a demo; \$2K/year
- e. Discussion regarding "Be My Friend" T-shirts to be donated by a parent

XI. Agenda items for next meeting

XII. Adjournment: 9:04pm

Next Meeting: Tuesday, September 10, 2019 7:00pm ECES Faculty Room