

Bach Elementary PTO Meeting

May 17, 2018 6pm

Media Center

Principal Report, given by Colette Ivey

- Its been an amazing year and I've felt so welcomed. I've loved being here. Colette has applied for the position!
- Thank you for staff appreciation and for the staff bathrooms.
- We will have Young 5s at Bach next year. The computer lab will become a mobile cart. There is an upcoming tech update that would lead to us having two carts. We will dialogue with teachers to discuss moving the old machines to classrooms.
- Next year, classroom teachers are requesting that the PTO fund composition books and subscriptions.
 - o Subscriptions = \$1,735
- Tina Ezekiel and Diane Cleghorn are retiring. Social committee is working on a celebration.
- Drinking fountain – plan is to get current water fountain working. A concern is how to winterize. Other schools are having water filling stations put in, so we might see that moving forward.
- Cooling concerns. Colette has made efforts to connect Bernie (AAPS facilities) and John Beeson, AAPS parent. Facilities (Bernie, Emile, Todd) have been very responsive.

Teacher Report, given by Jan Smith

- Teacher appreciation was amazing! Thank you from all the teachers.

President Report, given by Emily Preston

- Principal Search Update, given by Dawn Linden
 - o 4 rounds (see attached)
 - o Internal candidates come in at round 3.
- Thank you to Andy and Ellen for the soccer goals!
- Friday May 25, painting bathrooms needs volunteers. Please spread the word. Maybe we can share something at art night?
- Party for Diane and Tina second week in June.

Board Elections

- Nominating Committee: Erin Rosenburg, Hilda Halabu, Laurie Nutt, Lauryn Rochlen and Emily Preston Rahim

- Open Positions
 - President, Liisa Lusk on Ballot
 - No other nominees from floor
 - Room Parent Coordinator, Melanie Rountrey on Ballot
 - No other nominees from floor
 - Lower El Rep, Adrienne Pisoni and Liz Pettie on Ballot
 - Lauren Rochlyn nominated from the floor
- New Board Members:
 - Emily moves to install Liisa Lusk as President. All approve
 - Emily moves to install Melanie Rountrey as Room Parent Coordinator. All approve.
 - Emily moves to install Lauryn Rochlen as Lower Ed Rep. All approve.
 - Still looking for treasurer, secretary, WESO coordinator.

Budget Review

- See attached budget.
- At the end of June, Stacey will communicate how the budget has worked out. We need to see all teacher requests and get through the ice cream social.
- Next year, we can work on doing more targeted asks, SCRIP donations, and getting action from the neighborhood community.