

General Meeting Minutes 06/12/2019

June 12, 2019 6:00 p.m.

ATTENDEES

Cecilia Leong (President), Ruth Raofsky (vice-President), Heidi Zhang (Treasurer), Anna Li (Recording Secretary), Ms. Palma-Cheng, TBLS parents and guardians

AGENDA

C. Leong called the meeting to order

- Reading & approval of General Meeting minutes from May was approved (Ruth R. motioned, Heidi Z. 2nd)
- Cecilia L. introduced discipuli from Student Senate (Sikirat Mustapha, III)

"TBLS discipuli need a place to quickly locate resources in the form of a multi-media library. This space will benefit their learning, according to 95% of students surveyed. First fundraising project is to start a book drive. Flyers will be posted on the hallway walls, sent via Friday Flash and word of mouth. The incentive of 1 for 1 is underway---donors will receive 1 raffle ticket per book. The raffle ticket will be for a giftcard drawing. Second fundraising effort is via GoFundMe website.

Check out rebrand.ly/tblslibrary This is live and TBLS families are encourage to share the link with friends and families. The current computer lab will be divided up into shared space for library use. Discipuli will man the check-out counter. The library hours will be available all day: study hall, lunch time and after school. The collection bins are placed inside the Main Office and by the lobby entrance."

- Ruth R. has books to be donated already--2 bags from **Books For School** initiative.
- Cecilia L. suggested Student Senate (S.S.) check out Home Depot, Lowe's and Target for possible donations of shelves, lounge chairs, lamps and book cases.
- Sikirat said she is already in a dialogue with Lauren Harding from the Office of Equity & Access for D.O.E.
- Cecilia L. encouraged parents and TBLS discipuli to attend D.O.E. meetings. Our students will stand-out because they will be in uniforms.
- Election Review:

--Nancye G. stepped down from the SLT term.

--Heidi Z. remains Treasurer

--Sandra C. is the new Recording Secretary

--Paulina R. and Ruth R. are Co-First Vice Presidents

--Bylaw is amended to have 2nd Vice President vacancy for Fall election in case new entering Class IV parents want to get involve.

- Upcoming PA events:

6/13- Athletic Banquet

6/14- Arts & Drama Banquet

6/20- Prize Night for graduating seniors

6/21- TBLS Graduation for Class of 2019

- SLT/PA meeting dates are being discussed. Guest speakers and events will be planned for 2019-2020 school year. PA needs your input and ideas on fundraising.

Ms. Palma-Cheng: Discipuli are in uniform during Regents Examination days.

6/26 is the last day to return books, locks and report card distribution. Summer school will take place at TBLS this year while Summer Discovery Program are also in session.

Mark your calendar for PA's Meet & Greet on 8/26 and 8/27. The PA will serve light refreshments from 8:30 - 10:30. This is a chance for the TBLS community to welcome new TBLS families. We could use your help with set-up, connect and clean-up.

PBC for new Class IV will take place in September.

The Key Club and National Honor Society did a great job at this year's carnival. Activities were carried out in different rooms and snacks were in ziplock bags so discipuli can snack on the run. Well done!

Meeting adjourned. (Anna L. motioned, Heidi Z. 2nd)

The PA wishes everyone a great summer!