



HSA General Meeting Friday, September 14, 2018

Julia Rosenfeld calls meeting to order

Jackie Vaccarino to record minutes

Welcome and Introduction; Thank you to Maggie Liljegren

HSA wishlist explanation

- Refurbish pond
- Gaga pit for recess
- School play

Introduce administration

General Business

- Thank you to Mary Kate Granas and Michelle Kastin for running Ready Set Go program
- Thank you to Lauren Samman and Vanessa Lambrix for Kindergarten Ice Cream Social
- Live fundraisers (Apparel Sale, Ice Cream Fridays and Bareburger Lunch)
- Lauren Einhorn talks about YAC upcoming events (grades 3-5 Halloween window painting, art, STEM)
- Janelle Leonard and Melissa Dooley talk about Angel Fund
- Mary Ellen Nye talks about Separate Spending Proposal to vote in November; 27% of HHK School parents did not vote for budget in 2017; voter registration forms provided

Dr. Eckert introduces panel of teachers to speak about "Keys to a Successful School Year"

- Mrs. Biegel - Most important thing to maintain a routine at home and school; Communicate with teacher
- Mrs. Lepori - Make reading fun and important
- Mrs. Fells - Independence very important; Recognize strengths and weaknesses
- Mrs. Meier - Habits of Mind (organization, preparation, work habits, independence, etc.)
- Mrs. Frassetto - Use Google Classroom, planner, keep a routine
- Mrs. Smolyn - Time management; Take responsibility; Set goals

Dr. Eckert reviews school organization for kids: Arrival times, Supplies needed for students, Chromebooks for grades 5-8

Mrs. Walsh reviews the outside lineup and safety for each grades; Lunchtime and recess routines, new Gaga Pit for recess; Lost and Found now located outside the MPR

Mrs. Auteri reviews ways to manage time and be organized at home: designated workspace at home, check backpack and binders daily