

CFA-PTA Meeting Minutes 9/29/10

Call to order: 1:20

Motion to Approve minutes: Joann 1st, Janis 2nd

Budget Review: Debbie. Value Drug [Fundraiser](#), Year Beginning Monies

Motion to Approve: Lynn 1st, Lou Ann 2nd

Committees:

Focus: Stephanie and Lou Ann; overhaul of program Families and Schools working together. Media and Digital Technology examined. Presentation [Oct. 19th](#) Digital Ethics. I-Roc, regarding technology as public and permanent. Focus Goal: Stimulate conversation between kids and adults.

CFA committee review: Terry and Nancy:

Back to school night: successful, See website for committee sign ups.

[Book Fair](#), CSH 50th Anniversary, Prom Committee: Looking for participants. Directory on sale and calendar.

Jackie: [CSHCFA.com](#) links to everything

Liz and Carol: Jr Hi meeting Oct 13th, Jr Hi Homecoming Dance

Helen: Review of BOE meeting. Goals: [Alternative energy](#), Emotional competency, ELA internal review, Bond and Finance review.

Special Committees:

SEPTA Oct 12th "Sapsuckers"

CAC: Robin Manos: Looking for volunteers and programs, Veterans visit, Nepal Orphans; Connor Grenton.

ABC: Lynn: Breakfast, Budget Meeting, Harbor Lights evening, [Peter Pan and Wendy](#) production

SBC: Membership Drive

CPC: Join the meetings where each school has representative and report

Speakers:

Mr. Matuk, Principal

Electronic: Parental Portal for progress reports and report cards, Teacher Web pages for links, assignments and helpful info. New Programs: Pilot Humanities courses linking social studies and English programs and projects. 8th and 9th graders: will be taught by teachers and administrators skills to combat pressure- and strategies for decision making in reaction to the Pride Survey- small group role playing with occur. Senior Life Skills Training in May: will entail, thru a series of presenters discussions of:

[Fiscal responsibility](#), Sex, Drugs, Roommates, etc.

MSG Varsity: 614 Cable Interviews, sports, programs, cultural events filmed by students. IROC/Focus Cyberspace Education: a program.

Homecoming Dance [10/16 7-10pm](#) Hi school students must arrive between 7 and 8 no entry thereafter and they must stay until 10:00. Jr Hi Dance 6-9 10/15. Pep Rally [1:00 pm 10/15](#) all invited.

Mr. Chartan: Teachers Association President: introduction. Emphasis on communication.

Mr. Amen: Athletic Handbook: please read it. [HighSchoolSports.net](#) is the website outlining current sport schedules. MSG Varsity. Letter grades in Phys Ed based on effort, participation, sportsmanship, attendance, content, knowledge and execution. Open gym for JR HI kids, Varsity Leaders Club and Sailing Program to be announced.

Dr. Wilansky: These are the Wonder Years- Survival is the key- if your kids think you are un- cool then you are doing a good job. Communicate- be active, be vigilant and be true to yourself. Graduating seniors as "sample" [student group](#) insist they do have a trusted adult in their lives. Parents and teachers are very important. As superintendent she is always available.

Motion to adjoin: Cindy 1st, Karen 2nd