



DAVES AVENUE HOME & SCHOOL CLUB MEETING MINUTES

January 12, 2017

Daves Avenue School, Los Gatos, California

In attendance:

Chivon Blanton, Karie Bobzin, Iqbal Chadda, Jamie Girton, Carolyn Harnish, Kylie Heintz, Beth Jackson, Miriam Kominar, Donna Leu, Karin Luton, Shabina Mirajkar, Liz Olson, Michelle Pullens, Nicole Reginelli, Heather Gaede Regoli, Danielle Rooney, Kim Simon, Loly Stacey

Guests: Stephen Parsons

1. **The meeting was called to order by Carolyn Harnish at 7:07pm.**
2. **Approval of December 2, 2016 Minutes**
 - a. Motion: Nicole Reginelli
 - b. Second: Danielle Rooney
 - c. Motion Passed
3. **President's Report – Carolyn Harnish**
 - a. February H&SC meeting will need to be moved due to a conflict with the District Summit.
4. **Principal's Report – Iqbal Chadda**
 - a. Math Specialist Position is now open. The job description includes teacher training as well as working with students individually and in groups. This model has been shown to be most effective.
 - b. Daves Avenue Showcase: January 23, 6:30pm at the District Office. Will highlight the Wednesday Wave. All are invited.
5. **Parcel Tax Campaign – Kim Simon**
 - a. Hoping to double the current \$2,800,000 parcel tax. Tax dollars would go directly to the district to be used only for specified purposes. Even this increased amount is lower than in similarly situated districts. Ballots will be mailed in April, to be returned in May. Need parents to donate money and volunteer time.
6. **Vice President –Danielle Rooney**
 - a. One & Done Update: Still at about 49%. Need to continue to increase this.
 - b. Open Chair Positions:
 - i. February 28- Volunteer Wine & Cheese Recruitment
 - ii. Currently determining which positions need to be filled.
7. **Committee Reports**
 - a. **Cool Cat Auction – Nicole Reginelli:**
 - i. March 25 at Hotel Los Gatos. Hotel is offering discounted rooms to attendees interesting in staying overnight.
 - ii. Please contact Nicole if you have items to donate (tickets, rental houses, etc.).
 - iii. Sign-Up Parties: Please contact Leasa Joos if you would be willing to be a host. She has ideas if needed.
 - b. **Safe Routes to School – Donna Leu:** There will be a meeting at Blossom Hill School on January 26, 8:30am to discuss any concerns or suggestions the community has relating to safe routes to school.
 - c. **Science Fair – Liz Olson:** March 16-17. Registration will be online this year and will be open until February 3. Family presentations will be on Thursday, March 16. Please contact Liz if you are able to help.
 - d. **Author's Day – Danielle Rooney for Jennifer Lambert:** Jim LaMarche and Wendelin Van Draanen coming on Thursday, March 23. Will start advertising and selling books soon.
 - e. **Bingo Night – Karin Luton:** February 7 from 6pm to 8pm. Pizza will need to be pre-ordered.
8. **Old Business**
9. **New Business**

Adjournment at 7:59pm