



PS 130 PTA Meeting Agenda January 16, 2020

Call to Order

Reading of Minutes

Principal's Report (Maria Nunziata)

SLT Report (Matthew Brown)

Treasurer Report (Lorne Lieb)

New Business

- Lower School Ground Breaking Ceremony for Playground Project (Nate Gray)
- Talent Show Updates (Allison Truzo)
- Read-a-thon (John Son)
- Music Committee announcements (Robby O'Sullivan)
- Health & Nutrition Committee announcements (Carol Wei)
- Science Expo (Ms. Mallery)
- Dyslexia Screening (Assemblyman Bobby Carroll)

Questions

Upcoming Events

- 1/17: Read-A-Thon Begins & Reading Night
- 1/22: Science Expo LS
- 1/24: Movie Night
- 1/29: Science Expo US
- 2/7: Family Friday
- 2/7: Talent Show
- 2/28: Movie Night

Adjournment

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PTA COMMITTEE UPDATES

Art Committee & Art Boxes

The Art Committee's main efforts are: providing materials and volunteers for art projects linked to units of study in every classroom, grades K-5; maintaining the Art Box program in K-2 classrooms (see details below); and providing support to PS 130's art teacher, Kirsten Ator, including for the Annual US Student Art Show. Any questions please feel free to contact us at:

ps130art@gmail.com

Fifth Grade

The 5th Grade Committee, as part of the PTA, works closely with the PS 130 school administration to help plan and promote 5th grade activities, including sharing information about middle school and organizing the end of the year events and graduation. We help raise money to make those activities available to all 5th Grade students. Right now we are sharing Middle School open house and tour information as it becomes available. To sign up for 5th grade committee emails here: <https://groups.google.com/d/forum/5thgradecommittee2019>

Garden

The Garden Committee thanks its enthusiastic members who pitched in over the summer to keep the Upper School gardens and trees watered & weeded! The cheerful flowers out front & the thriving 3 Sisters Garden out back wouldn't happen without your help, thank you!

This year we are looking forward to the Springtime renovation of the Lower School yard, and the return of the Butterfly and Bird Gardens.

The Garden Committee is a member of the Garden Train, a District 15-wide schools and community garden consortium created to share and build resources, partnerships, successes, and community to grow our gardens. Garden Train meets once a month, often in partnership with a community garden leader or organization for demonstrations and skill-sharing, and meetings are open to all.

We look forward to getting back into our Lower School Bird and Pollinator Gardens this Spring, getting things growing again! If you're interested, please get in touch with siobhancthomas@gmail.com

Yearbook

The YB Committee has already started its planner to make sure this year's yearbook will be another showcase of all things PS 130. We are always looking for extra hands, especially in the page design and photography departments (we even train and loan cameras!). If interested or have further questions, please contact **Thomas** at yearbookps130@gmail.com.