Miner Elementary School PTO
General Meeting: Sept. 13, 2016 - 6:00 pm in the Cafeteria

6:00 - 6:05 Welcome
● Welcome back, welcome newcomers, introductions
● Babysitting, name tags, food
● Meeting rules
● Purpose/vision of PTO and SY16/17 meeting dates

6:05 - 6:20 Special topics
● Preview of this year’s Special Topics (any suggestions?)
● PreK Parent Committee - Natalie Bellino
● Garden Update - Effie Kapsalis

6:20 - 6:50 Elections
● Review process
● Officers
  ○ President
  ○ Vice-President
  ○ Treasurer (1 person)
  ○ Secretary (1-2 people)
  ○ Teacher Representatives (1 ECE; 1 K-5)
● Committee chairs
  ○ Fundraising & Grants Committee
  ○ Communication & Outreach Committee
  ○ PreK Parent Committee (done separately)
● Coordinators/Liaison
  ○ Civic Liaison (1 person)
  ○ Liaison to The District Church (1 person)
  ○ Family Support Coordinators (1-2 people)
  ○ Teacher Appreciation Coordinator (1-2 parents)
  ○ Family Engagement & Events Coordinator (1-2 people)
  ○ Volunteer Coordinator (1 person)

6:50 - 7:00 Principal’s update (Ms. Mia)

7:00 - 7:05 President’s update (Tammy & Dave)
● How to get involved
● Bylaws review/update

7:05 - 7:10 Treasurer’s report (Dan)
● Sept. treasurer’s report
● Budget summit for SY2016-2017

7:10 - 7:20 Teacher, Committee, Coordinator/Liaison reports

7:20 - 7:25 LSAT (Kyle & Ms. Fisher)

7:25 Open Comment: Other joys, concerns, or questions?

Purpose of the PTO
...to enhance and support the educational experience at Miner, to develop a closer connection between school and home by encouraging family and teacher involvement, and to improve the environment at Miner through volunteer and financial support.

Meeting Rules
Please...
Share your thoughts and ideas, but...
Keep comments brief and on-topic
Be courteous and respectful when others are speaking

PTO meeting dates for 2016-17
(Usually on the first Tuesday of the month, 6:00-7:30 pm)
Oct 4       Mar 7
Nov 1       Apr 4
Dec 6       May 2
Jan 10      Jun 6
Feb 7

Special Topics (tentative)
Oct: Staff and roles
Nov: Before and after school programs; extracurricular programs; partnerships?
Dec: Differentiated instruction to meet the needs of all learners
Jan: Summer camps/programs
     Low cost computers/internet
Feb: Health and wellness (mental health; physical health)
Mar: Testing (overview of all types of assessments)
Apr: Special education programs
May: Review/planning for next year
Jun: Review/planning for next year
Potential topics: MPD School Resource Officer, Move this World, SBOE

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