Attendance:

Vicki Arbitrio	Lucie Holman
Bob Bender	Lisa Jaffe
Karen Carmichael	Dara Genesi
Rachel Cerlen	Doris Kreibich

Serena Mueller Deborah Osborne Sami Plotkin Kristin Sewell Zoya Simakhodskaya

• April 28, 2011 SLT Meeting Minutes approved

#### • Poetry Night (May 26, 2011)

- We will have kids from all the grades read poems in the auditorium: Bob and teachers are planning it.
- Presentation will start at 6:15pm. Bake sale will start at 6pm.
- o Jay will set up a TV in cafeteria for overflow. We can also ask Chris Murphy, another parent, to assist.
- o "Dish" restaurant will deliver 300 wraps at 6:30pm (Debbi to coordinate) for \$500 (PTA will pay for it).
- We need boat plates, table cloths Doris.
- Two serving stations to be set up, as well as a bake sale table by the book fair, and water by the bathrooms.
- Dara will organize a bake sale to raise some money and get volunteers.
- Kristin will send out another flier about the bake sale.
- o Team 1 to hang poetry: Serena, Lisa, Sami, Bob, Karen
- Team 2 to set up food tables and water: Zoya, Doris, Kristin, Vicki
- Greeting parents: Lucy

## • Scholastic Book Fair (May 22-26, 2011)

• Kathryn Crosby is organizing it. It is all set.

## • Kindergarten Welcome (June 16, 2011 at 1:30pm)

- New parents will be introduced to SLT and provided orientation information.
- Bob will set up. Nancy Grimm is helping.
- Bob will ask Steven McGill to prepare a slide show.
- PTA should sell swag at the event. Zoya will speak with PTA EB.

### • 2010/11 Community Goal: Communication

- "Year in a Life" frameworks:
  - We confirmed SLT subcommittees to review, edit and ask a couple parents for feedback on the frameworks (from grade below and current grade).
    - K Sami and Doris (need to change the voice). To be completed by June 16<sup>th</sup>.
    - 1st Serena and Dara
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> Kristin and Lisa
    - 3rd Rachel, Zoya and Debbi
    - 4th Vicki and Bob
    - 5th Lucy and Karen
  - We briefly reviewed common changes.
  - The final editing will be done for consistency and overall content by Kristin and Bob.
  - The frameworks will be posted on the website in August.
- New website:
- Kristin has been working hard on the website. The format looks great.
- We discussed putting classroom newsletters on it and other options.

# • Pay It Forward Initiative (June 22-24, 2011)

- Lisa Jaffe will take 3<sup>rd</sup> graders to buy stamps.
- Postcards are getting delivered.
  - Each class and grade can decide what they want to do and where they want to go.
    - Kindergarten will make paper flowers and sing at the Highline Park on June 23.
      - Other grades are still deciding
- We will have a press release and send it to local politicians.
- CEP

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- Bob had to add an Appendix about Title I.
- World Dance Party (June 24, 2011 6-8pm).
  - Invite Block Association
  - Set up the potlock tables near the building with 2 stations and a water station.
  - Kristin will send out fliers about bringing food, except desserts.
  - PTA should sell swag.

- DJ will be hired.
- Lucy will order leis.
- Doris will check the supplies, including aluminum foil for leftover food.
- Remember to make an announcement about 40 minutes before the end about taking leftovers.

## • SLT Meeting schedule

• We rescheduled the next SLT meeting for June 15, 3:30-5:30pm in order to be fully ready for Kindergarten Welcome. Doris will send another teacher to represent UFT.