### **PTA Meeting**

# **April 11, 2023**

## **Steele Elementary School**

### Meeting started at 6:08 pm

#### 1. Welcome

- a. Raffle! Celebrating the meeting attendees! Raffle ticket \$20 value for art mixer! Winner is Marti Rosenberg (whoo hoo!)
- b. Final PTA meeting is Tuesday, May 9th! Join us. Happy Hour Afterwards at Blackbird
- c. Lots of fun events happening this Spring! Friday FUNdays, Field Day, Art Show, Spring Mixer, Volunteer Happy Hour, Wash Park Home Tour
- d. It has been a successful year of fundraising thanks to all of our community. Even though we have difficult cuts, we are in a better position than many schools.

#### 2. Principal Update

- a. Problem Based Learning at Steele- There are so many empowering, fascinating and fun learning projects going on at Steele
  - i. 5th Grade- Human Rights Project (Expo final celebration)
  - ii. 4th Grade- Inventions ("Shark Tank" style)
  - iii. 3rd Grade- C
  - iv. ity Planning (Building a city)
  - v. K-2- adjusting to a new curriculum and are starting Problem Based Learning units next year
- b. CDC Positions are opening for next year- 2 year term, only 8 hours per YEAR! Great way of getting involved.

#### 3. Kelli- Treasurer

a. At 53.59% of WPHT Gross Revenue Goal

- b. Results as of 9 am today, the leading classes are Mrs. Thomas (202), Ms. Sweeney (114) and Ms. Emmons (312)
- 4. Trish Kelly- Wash Park Home Tour
  - i. Need to focus on ticket sales- Goal 1,500 tickets
  - ii. Volunteers Needed! We need ~100 volunteers on the day of!
  - iii. <u>www.washparkhometour.com</u>
  - iv. Great article in Urban Life Wash Park. Thank you Shaleen and ULWP and Brandi for writing.
- 5. Brandi- VP Fundraising
  - a. Spring Mixer & Student Art Raffle
    - i. Thursday, April 13th
    - ii. Free appetizers and drinks!
    - iii. Space Annex, 6-10 pm
    - iv. Additional raffle tickets sold \$20 each or \$100 for 6
    - v. Come, even if you didn't RSVP. Bring your Steele friends.
- 6. Danella- VP Volunteers
  - a. Volunteer Mixer- Monday, April 24th at 7 at Danella's
    - i. Happy Hour drinks and snacks and fill a volunteer vacancy for next year! Positions that we are looking to fill.
      - 1. Garden Chair
      - 2. Parent Ed Chair
      - 3. FB/Directory Chiar
      - 4. Steele Stallion Press Co-Editor
      - 5. SCAT co-chair
      - 6. Lost & Found
      - 7. Kindergarten Playdates
      - 8. Spring Mixer Art Chair
      - 9. Swag

- 10. Steele Dines Out Chair
- 11. Raffle Chair
- 12. Continuation Chair
- 13. Sponsorship Chair
- b. Art Show volunteers Needed May 8-10th

Meeting closed at 6:43 pm.