

October 13, 2020

Attendees: Ted Cachampis, Cherie Cachampis, Hanada Sweiss, Amy Korolis, Connie Cassiani, Anna Manasses, Pauline Gatses, Mrs. Pamphilis, Tim Poulakis, Vicky Poulakis, Natasha Argyris, Eleni Arvanitis, Anastasia Delagianis, Doris Catizzzone, Georgia Shizas, Liz Christofylakis, Demetra Katsianis, Maria Deithhoff, Jennifer Maniatis, Jennifer Vlahos, Evy Marouda Valentino Marouda, Emily Theodorou, Maria Polymenakos, Gloria Lalazas, Emily Katsounas, Kosta Vasilopoulos, Cindy Holcik, Natasha Pytlewski, Kat Kimmerly, Anna Girgis, Despina Karnavas, Sophia Yeckering

KPTA meeting led by Elaine Simadis, Ambassador

Fr. Tom opened with Prayer.

The meeting was called to order by Elaine Simadis.

Elaine then provided the results of the parent survey that took place the previous week relating to the projects the available KPTA funds would be allocated to. 91 parents voted and the results were as follows:

1. Update WIFI in the building - \$4,000
2. Add security measures to the main school interior entrance doors - \$4,448
3. Add security key pad access to the school and church doors - \$5,149

Work would commence as soon as possible on the new projects. Elaine reminded the group that the prior year KPTA had voted to fund a \$200 reimbursement per teacher to begin the school year and \$400 for new gym equipment.

Elaine then reviewed the KPTA Guidelines and the nomination process. It was explained that, as per the guidelines, the 2020-2021 KPTA must have a Board of four officers at all times. The Board consists of President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. Elaine explained that each officer position needs a first and second nomination before it can be accepted. It was further explained that if there was more than one nominee for any officer position an electronic vote would take place. The electronic vote would be open for 5 days and the winner would be presented at a meeting to take place in one week. The winner would be determined by majority vote.

Elaine opened the floor for nominations for the 2020-2021 KPTA

1. Ted Cachampis nominated Cherie Cachampis for Secretary with a second from Georgia Shizas – Cherie accepted the nomination
2. Evy Marouda nominated Natasha Pytlewski for Secretary with a second from Connie Cassiani – Natasha accepted the nomination
3. Valentino Marouda nominated Connie Cassiani for Vice President with a second from Maria Deithhoff – Connie accepted the nomination
4. Evy Marouda nominated Georgia Shizas for President with a second from Anna Girgis, Connie Cassiani and Natassa Pytlewski – Georgia accepted the nomination

Discussion within the group ensued and Natasha Pytlewski moved from Secretary to Treasurer. Natasha accepted.

Elaine congratulated the new board.

Georgia Shizas – President

Connie Cassiani – Vice President

Cherie Cachampis – Secretary

Natasha Pytlewski - Treasurer

A meeting with the new officers would take place later in the week. Elaine confirmed that the current year group would have funds available to begin the school year.

The meeting adjourned.

Submitted by Elaine Simadis, Ambassador and Beth Lind, Principal

October 30th Mrs. Beth Lind announced:

Good morning,

Earlier this week two of the elected officers declined to accept the positions. Three officer positions are open as the vice president, Connie Cassiani, is willing to accept any of the open positions and will accept the nomination. The elected secretary, Cherie Cachampis, will stay in that role. Therefore there are two open spots on the KPTA Board. In the essence of time to get a new board named, if you would like to nominate a candidate for a position please email me by November 3. The candidate name you have emailed me must have already accepted your nomination. Candidates must be willing and able to devote adequate time to the responsibilities of the role nominated for the position. If there is more than one candidate for a position, our parent community will have the opportunity to vote electronically.

Attached are the KPTA guidelines which include the officer descriptions.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Lind
Elaine Simadis

November 4th Mrs. Beth Lind announced:

It is with a grateful heart that we thank these ladies for accepting the nominations as the officers for the remainder of the 2020-21 school year:

President: Connie Cassiani

Vice President: Evi Marouda

Secretary: Cherie Cachampis

Treasurer: Gloria Lalezas