



Agenda for Friends of Pulaski Board Meeting
June 21, 2023

1. Board Member and Guest Introductions
 - a. Board members
 - i. Sonia Copeskey - co-president
 - ii. Nicole Wood - co-president
 - iii. Luann Ray - Treasurer
 - iv. Garry Alderman - Projects and Procurement
 - b. Guests
 - i. Cristina Hernandez - incoming 1st grader
 - ii. Michelle Sherman - 8th grader
2. Approval of May meeting minutes
 - a. Motion to approve - Nicole and Sonia seconds
3. Connect with Principal Racasi
 - a. Custodial staff is doing great!
 - i. We'd like to buy them breakfast to thank them for their hard work!
 - b. Discretionary Funds
 - i. Right at School staff and 2 curriculums
 - ii. Breakfast the first week back for staff
 - iii. Breakfasts for professional development days
 - c. Kiss and Go
 - i. Consider reviving this project for next year
 1. Saber Council and miscellaneous employees
 2. Purchase cones
 3. More signs for the trees nearby
 - ii. Discuss with alderman ticketing at the beginning of the year
4. Summer events and participation
 - a. Bucktown Garden Walk
 - i. Saturday, July 15th & Sunday, July 16th from 10 am to 2 pm
 1. Arrive 9:15 am on both days
 - ii. We can use table and chairs from school
 1. FOP, RGC, IB representation (Green/Hai), Chicago SMA?
 - iii. Housekeeping
 1. Who can help? We need at least 1 board member at the table at all time
 2. Activity for kids
 3. Decor for table
 - b. Popsicle Play Dates
 - i. June 28 5:30pm
 - ii. July 9 11am

- iii. August 9 5:30pm
- 5. Projects Update - Garry
 - a. Soccer fencing
 - i. Posts will go in on Saturday!
 - ii. Nets will be installed within a week
 - b. Digital sign
 - i. No word from Tekila. Garry emailed again on Monday.
 - ii. Start the ball rolling with permits and any other paperwork that needs to be done in advance - Sonia will follow up with Wags
 - c. Thoughts on redoing the main gym and stage floor
 - i. Prior quotes are \$13k just for the gym
 - ii. Garry will get more quotes
 - 1. Custodial staff and engineer are here every day - 6a-3p
 - a. Also admin will be here for registration days
 - iii. Go lighter in color (less yellow)
 - iv. Nicole will email Batten and Schram after quotes are received
 - d. Air Conditioners
 - i. Racasi went to Mr. Blackman for update on where we are with air conditioners
 - e. Curtains should ship by the end of the month
- 6. Fundraising Update - Luann
 - a. Money is all at Chase and most in savings (about \$428k)
 - b. PNC accounts are empty but we're keeping it open to make sure there are no auto-pays
 - c. Luann, Sonia, and Nicole will go to Chase to get accounts organized
 - d. Luann will work with Joy
 - e. Nicole and Sonia will discuss how we want financial reporting
 - f. We will look into getting a Costco Business Membership
- 7. Enrichment Update -
 - a. We have over 80 responses to the survey!
 - b. We are going to ask for 10% profit sharing from them
 - c. Racasi reports that we should work directly with Ecchavaria and Swinford to coordinate scholarships