Verein der Eltern und Freunde der John-F.-Kennedy-Schule zu Berlin e.V.

Society of Parents and Friends of the John F. Kennedy School Berlin e.V.



John-F.-Kennedy-Schule Teltower Damm 87-93 • 14167 Berlin

Minutes of The Verein meeting

May 07, 2015 at: John-F.Kennedy-School, Teltower Damm 87-93, 14167 Hausmeisterwohnung

Present were: Board: Susanne Volkmer, Katharine Doeringer, Klaus Hentges, Leah Hecker, Dagmar Hoppe, Marion Greeves, Vinh Pram-Beinhold, Marion Patt, Isolde Streit, Wendy Rohrbacher (Board excused: Theodora Schnauck) Lynn Brinda, Jo Anne Stuhr, Katja Hippler-Gromis, Liz Goerl, Susan Brown, Molly Brown, Andrea Komes

Meeting opened at 19:10 by the chair Susanne Volkmer.

1. Approval of agenda

- additions:
 - Requests: Ms. Beebe
 - Miscellaneous: Berliner Freiwilligen Pass, 70th birthday D. Krankas procedures for families in need Fun Run
- 2. Approval of minutes -of AGM 23. 03.2015
- Minutes have to be approved at next AGM, will be on agenda then

3. Requests

- Kimberley Schneidereit/spooctacular \rightarrow **postponed**
- new addition: Teacher Ms. Beebe requests support for putting on a play with her class 4b → approved unanimously 100€

4. Lockers

- date of locker clean up will be 26th June 2015, from 8.15 am on
- rehanging of locks will between 17th-21st August 2015
- relocationg of lockers will be on Orientation Day, 21st August 2015

5. Shop

• Extra sales' dates will be:

Elementary school concert
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Fleamarket
Middle school concert
High school concert
Music info evening 4 th grades
Grand piano dedication
Graduation
Last day of school

As always help will be much appreciated

6. Security project

Who will take over the security project started last year?
→ Marion Patt and Leah Hecker, supported by Klaus Hentges

7. Miscellaneous

- Fun run will be 18th of September 2015
- Website: Liz Goerl explains changes that she wants to make to the website
- 70th birthday of D. Krankas. The Verein will give him something from the shop as a sign of appreciation.
- Families in need. Requests from family in needs are handled discreetly by two members of The Verein. Only these two members see the details of the request. The two members are Regine von Kleist and Katharine Doeringer with Katja Hippler-Gromis as alternate.
- Freiwilligen Pass : in charge are Liz Goerl and Lynn Brinda
- Facebook: does The Verein need to be on facebook? After weighing the pro and cons

of different types of facebook presences it is decided to drop facebook for now and to concentrate on the website as the Verein's online presence.

- Ec open day will be on 22nd of May and June 5th, Leah Hecker will present the supply kits, Katja Hippler-Gromis will introduce The Verein.
- Parent coffee meeting: Katja-Hippler Gromis offers to run the parent coffee meetings under the The Verein umbrella. Susanne Volkmer is worried that the PC board, where Katja initiated the project, could see this as an affront. After a lengthy discussion no conclusion is reached. Wendy Rohrbacher, who heads the membership drive initiative, and Katja Hippler-Gromis will meet to discuss different options. Susan Brown will ask the PC board if they want to keep on running Katja's project.
- There will be a farewell to parting board members on June 5th. Time and place tba.
- The next meetings of The Verein will be

25th of June 2015 in the filmroom 31st of August 2015 in the Hausmeisterwohnung.

Meeting adjourned: 21:12

Minutes: Leah Hecker