

**PALOMARES PARENT-TEACHER CLUB
MONTHLY MEETING**

DATE: Wednesday, May 2, 2007

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	OUTCOME
PRESIDENT'S REPORT	<p>Dave reported on the Parent Leadership Council meeting in April. Jim Fitzpatrick, CVUSD Superintendent, addressed schools' safety in the aftermath of recent Virginia Tech incident.</p> <p>1) There will be Auto-Dialer System implemented.</p> <p>2) The "lock ability" of each individual classroom.</p> <p>Dave distributed some handouts he received from that meeting.</p>	<p>To be in place by the end of school year 2006-2007 - in effect by September.</p> <p>Melodie Stibich reported that the locks will be worked on over the summer.</p> <p>(see attached)</p>
TREASURER'S REPORT	<p>Lisa reported that major fundraising is completed for the school year.</p> <p>Melodie requested that a portion of Watershed budget be used to purchase an "amplifier system."</p> <p>"Tea Party" mini-fundraiser is a "go"</p>	<p>See attached Budget Report (7/2006 - 6/2007)</p> <p>Motion to purchase approved.</p> <p>Details to follow.</p>
PRINCIPAL'S REPORT	<p>Melodie distributed a draft of the "Palomares Elementary School - A Vision of Excellence" that the CVUSD had requested from each of its schools.</p> <p>4th / 5th Grade Recruitment</p> <p>The Science Expo, scheduled for May 25, 2007 is in need of working volunteers.</p> <p>The Open House is scheduled for Wednesday, May 30, 2007.</p> <p>Melodie recently requested a grant from the Castro Valley Sanitary District for materials to build an "outdoor classroom."</p>	<p>PPTC to read . Feedback most welcomed.</p> <p>Melodie reported that the CVUSD is committed AGAINST a combination 4th/5th grade class, and does not think that is will happen for SY07-08. However, that is still to be finalized. Stay tuned!</p> <p>Melodie felt that this request will, most likely, be granted as our unique school is in line with the Sanitary District's Community goals.</p>

<p>PPTC BOARD for SY2007-2008</p>	<p>Dave presented the slate for next year's PPTC Board. They are as follows: PRESIDENT - Susan Pisani 1st VP - Dave Pellegrini 2nd VP - Kathy Cronwall CO-TREASURER - Lisa Wallace and Karen Drumm SECRETARY - Aviv Dasalla</p> <p>Motion to approve slate - approved</p>	<p>Congratulations to next year's Officers, including those who are continuing in other capacities for another year. Thanks to all for stepping up!</p>
<p>COMMITTEE REPORTS</p>	<p>EVENTS Barbara reported on the following UPCOMING events: 1) Ice Cream Social (preceding the Open House) May 30th 2) Camp Out Night - Friday, June 6 @ 4pm</p> <p>The "Spring Egg Hunt" was a joyous, fun success. We tried a new way of doing the eggs; empty eggs were hidden, then redeemed for treats, ensuring all students had a chance. This worked out very well. Everyone had fun.</p> <p>Barbara has agreed to continue as Events Coordinator for next year.</p> <p>HOSPITALITY Susan reported on the following UPCOMING event: 1) Fine Arts Festival - donation letter being sent out</p> <p>Susan has agreed to continue as Hospitality Coordinator for next year.</p>	<p>Volunteers needed for these events.</p> <p>Thanks to all the parents who helped out!</p> <p>Thank you, Barbara!</p> <p>Thank you, Susan!</p>

<p>COMMITTEE REPORTS (con't)</p>	<p>ROOM PARENTS Jean reported on the following: 1) All respective Room Parents were contacted to recruit volunteers for the Fine Arts Festival. 2) Still looking for volunteers to Open House 3) Still looking for volunteers for Science Fair</p> <p>Jean has agreed to continue as Room Parents Coordinator for next year</p> <p>LIBRARY Jennifer Bremer will be the Library Coordinator for next year.</p> <p>FUNDRAISING The "Tea Party" mini-fundraiser is a "go."</p> <p>FINE ARTS Yokiko Bertetta reported that an additional artist(s) will be coming for the Fine Arts Festival (June 6, 2007)</p> <p>Gladys has agreed to continue as Fine Arts Coordinator for next year.</p> <p>COMMUNITY RELATIONS Amy Griffis will be the Community Relations Coordinator for next year.</p> <p>It has requested that a "Sunshine Fund" be established for the families/ staff in our school, i.e., for times in need (to be determined)</p>	<p>She requests two (2) parents per grade</p> <p>Thank you, Jean!</p> <p>Thank you, Jennifer!</p> <p>Thank you, Gladys!</p> <p>Thank you, Amy!</p> <p>Will be developed for next year. Stay tuned!</p>
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<p>COMMITTEE REPORTS (con't)</p>	<p>TECHNOLOGY Dave has agreed to continue as Technology Coordinator for next year.</p> <p>CAMPUS BEAUTIFICATION Yokiko Bertetta summarized the previous weekend's Campus Beautification event as very successful.</p> <p>Cynthia Pisani will be the Campus Beautification Coordinator for next year.</p> <p>HEALTH & SAFETY Karen Drumm has agreed to continue as Health & Safety Coordinator next year.</p> <p>YEARBOOK Printing of the 06-07 yearbook in progress. As of this meeting, the Yearbook Coordinator for SY07-08 has yet to be determined.</p>	<p>Thank you, Dave!</p> <p>There were 28 parent volunteers and 25 student volunteers that participated in improving the school grounds. She created a photo essay documenting this successful day!</p> <p>Thank you, Cynthia!</p> <p>Thank you, Karen!</p> <p>Looking for a 5th Grade Parent to lead this next year!</p>
<p>NEW BUSINESS</p>	<p>Lisa asked if a Supplies List (for next year for each student) would be available at an earlier date.</p>	<p>Melodie planned to have a Supplies List sent out with the Final Report Cards.</p>

ANNOUNCEMENTS	<p>Staff Appreciation "Day of the Teachers" - May 9</p> <p>Palomares Science Expo - May 25</p> <p>Open House - May 31</p> <p>Camp Out Night - June 8</p> <p>Umbrellas will be installed for the outside lunch tables.</p> <p>CVUSD Schedule Flyer for School Year 2007-2008 is already available.</p> <p>MEETING ADJOURNED</p>	<p>9am - 12pm reserved for Palomares students</p> <p>Book Fair from 6pm</p> <p>Ice Cream Social from 6:30pm to 7pm</p> <p>Open House from 7pm - 8pm</p> <p>Gates open at 4pm Friday.</p>
NEXT MEETING	<p>Scheduled for June 6, 2007 @ 7pm.</p> <p>Respectfully submitted,</p> <p>Aviv Dasalla, PPTC Secretary (2007-2008)</p>	<p>Melodie has graciously agreed to host the final PPTC meeting of the year at her home.</p>