# Full Student Council Meeting Minutes

April 22, 2015

Called to order by Emily Zhang at 8:21 A.M. in Room 14.

Assembly: Officers, Advisors, and Homeroom Representatives

Present: Alyssa, Medha, Nicole Lee, Audrey, Nicole Cheng, Rohan, Emily, Anna, Patricia, Ben, Jason, Maxwell, Mrs. Orcutt, and Homeroom Representatives

# 1. Approve Meeting Minutes

a. A motion was made by Kellen and seconded by Aneesha to approve the Last Meeting's Minutes. Motion passed.

## 2. TerraCycle

- a. April 6 through April 30 (next Thursday)
- b. Items being collected
  - i. Empty personal care bottles and oral care containers
  - ii. Examples: lotion bottles, mouthwash bottles, make-up containers, toothpaste tubes, etc. (all empty)
  - iii. Metal and plastic are accepted, no glass
- c. Each homeroom class has a paper bag for collecting donations
  - i. Next collection date: April 30
  - ii. Bring donations to Room 33 at brunch
- d. Prizes
  - i. Homeroom points will be given based on the total weight of your class's donations
  - ii. One homeroom will win for each of the two collections
  - iii. Both winning classes (one for each collection) will get a party
- e. Winning class for first collection (April 21) is Mrs. Brunner

#### 3. Comic Battle Dance

- a. Friday, April 24 from 7-9:30 P.M.
  - i. Encourage your homeroom to come to the last dance of the year! (for 8th graders, there will also be the Graduation Dance at the end of the year)
- b. Dance will be in the Quad
  - i. If it rains, it will be moved to the MP Room
- c Food sold
  - i. Pearl milk tea, candy, pizza, and more
  - ii. Selling Tpumps!
- d. Special features

## i. Photo Booth (free) and Laser Lights

### 4. Selfie Challenge

- a. Taking place at the Comic Battle Dance
- b. Have fun and save the environment by carpooling
  - i. When you carpool to the dance with your friends, take a selfie in the car
  - ii. Show your picture to the Leadership students working and they will give you a coupon for a free soda (while supplies last)
- c. Each person in the picture will also receive a homeroom point

# 5. Superhero vs. Supervillain Spirit Day

- a. Friday, April 24
- b. Requirements
  - i. Wear at least one article of clothing that has a superhero or its "logo"
  - ii. Wear two accessories that are superhero/villain-related
  - iii. Wear a full-on superhero/villain costume
- c. You can also paint yourself to go along with your costume
- d. Your costume/clothes/accessories can be related to multiple superheroes/villains
- e. Follow dress code
  - i. **Important**: Do not bring any weapons or wear masks or you will be disqualified and receive consequences for breaking school rules

#### 6. We Are Silent

- a. Thursday April 23 (tomorrow)
- b. Stay silent for as long as you can to support a cause that you care about
  - i. For example, children in poverty who must engage in child labor are not given an education, so they have no voice in society
  - ii. Stand up for those who have no "voice" (not mute people)
  - iii. We recommend that you collect pledges using the pledge form, but it is not required
- c. Come to the booth in the Quad during lunch to learn more about this event and get stickers
- d. Donuts will be given to the homerooms with highest participation, most hours silent, and most money earned
- e. You must turn in your envelope on Friday, May 1st in Room 14 at lunch or it will not count
- f. Pass the sheet around your class for the students to write their name and number of hours they were silent

- g. Please put up the posters for We Are Silent (in your classroom) that we handed out to you at the meeting
- h. Video link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7siydIkyfKE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7siydIkyfKE</a>

#### 7. Are You Smarter Than a Teacher?

- a. There will be four people, not five, per grade chosen to participate in this competition
  - i. If anyone signed up, tell them to check their emails to see if they were selected
- b. Will take place from April 27 to April 30, and May 5 in the Quad at lunch
  - i. 6th graders: April 27; 7th graders: April 28; 8th graders: April 29; semi-finals: April 30; finals: May 5
- c. Subjects that questions will be asked on include those taught in school, as well as miscellaneous

# 8. Teacher's Appreciation Week

- a. Week of May 4 through May 8
- b. Remember to thank the teachers for their hard work
  - i. You and your class could also get together and collect money to buy a present for your teacher, or come up with creative ways to show your teacher your appreciation for them
- c. Secretly create a card for your homeroom teacher
  - i. Have your classmates sign the card and hand it to your teacher anytime during Teacher's Appreciation Week

## 9. Mother's Day Grams

- a. The best way to make your mother happy!
- b. Selling at the Comic Battle Dance (April 24) this Friday and from April 27 through May 7 at the Student Store and in the Quad
  - i. Will be delivered Friday, May 8
  - ii. You will receive the flowers on Friday and can either give them to your mother early or on the actual Mother's Day (Sunday, May 10)
- c. Buy five carnations for \$5

### 10. Oscar Night

- a. Sign-ups are over
- b. The due date for the entries is now May 8
- c. The date for Oscar Night is to be decided
  - i. Will be moved back from the original date (May 8)
- d. There will be prizes for each category

# 11. Egg Drop Homeroom Competition

- a. Friday, May 1 at lunch in front of the Gym
- b. Remember to write your homeroom name and any other information on the gallon-sized bag you will be putting your contraption in
- c. Turn your contraption in to Room 14 during brunch on the day of the event
  - i. Will not be accepted if you turn it in on lunch
- d. Do not boil your egg; we will be checking
- e. There is no limit to how many people from your class can work on the contraption
- f. Remember that your contraption will not be dropped with care or dropped lightly
- g. Video link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lwaKzWknPtw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lwaKzWknPtw</a>

## 12. Newspaper Dress-up Homeroom Competition

- a. Friday, May 22 at lunch
- b. Collect as many newspapers as you can, but 25 full sheets of newspapers is the new minimum (used to be 40 full sheets)
  - i. Turn the newspapers on May 6 at brunch in Room 14
  - ii. If we do not have enough newspapers, we will have another collection date
- c. 1 full sheet: 1 homeroom point; 2 half-sheets: 1 homeroom point; 1 half-sheet does not mean half a homeroom point
- d. You are not allowed to make the outfit for the model beforehand, you will be making it during the homeroom competition
- e. More information will be given out as the event nears

#### 13. Homeroom Points

- a. You need to submit your homeroom results for Spirit Days during the time allotted (four days, from Friday to Tuesday)
  - i. We cannot make any exceptions
  - ii. Remember to constantly check the millersc.org website for the forms and submit your results after every Spirit Day

#### 14. Next meeting

- a. Wednesday, May 6 at 8:20 A.M. in Room 14
- b. You can also turn-in your newspapers at the meeting in the morning for your convenience

Meeting adjourned at 8:56 A.M.