

W.E.R PARENT AMBASSADORS MEETING
Tuesday, April 25, 2017

AGENDA

I. Parent Ambassadors Financials

We currently have \$7,621.63 in checking and \$7,209. 92 in our savings account

II. Update on past events/fundraising

a. PaintNite—this was a great event!

- i. We had 61 families request tickets and 7 families did not attend.
- ii. \$3,416.25 total cost of the event was (food—adults and children, alcohol, child care, art instruction etc).
- iii. \$925 ticket sales

We saw a lot of new families in attendance. Everyone had a great time. We will definitely do this again next year!

III. Upcoming events 2017

a. Yankees Pinstripe Fundraiser—April 28th –separate email sent

b. Assembly on Immigration, Safety with NYPD Commissioner—April 30th – separate email sent

c. Father/Daughter/ Mother/Son Dance May 20th 6—8 pm—

- i. Time has changed because another event will be held in Neumann Hall before our dance.
- ii. tickets will go on sale next week.
- iii. The committee has decided on colors, ordered decoration, food has been ordered.
- iv. We will need volunteers for this event—to setup during the event. We accept grandmothers, uncles, aunts, neighbors as volunteers. It takes a lot of put this event together!

d. ICS Family Festival, Thursday, May 25th. More information to come

e. FunFuzion for families—Saturday, June 17, 2017—more information to come after the dance.

IV. Donations

- a. As promised, we have purchased (12) \$100 Visa gift cards to help families at ICS who are in need. Ms. Diaz and Sr. Patrice have identified 12 families who could use the extra funding.

V. Additional topics

- a. **Cheerleading at ICS**—this was a topic brought up by a family. While this is a good idea unfortunately we do not have the funding to hire and manage a cheerleading team,
- b. **Academics**—we had an in-depth discussion of the 3rd grade curriculum and the difficulty of this transition. Sr. Patrice identified the 6th grade as another difficult move for students. We discussed different ways we could help families successfully move over into these new years. We discussed possibly having a meeting with the teachers of those years before end of the year to talk about how the children should prepare for this time.

Reminder: Exercise class every Tuesday, 6 pm school gym

Next meeting: Tuesday, May 23, 2017 (last meeting of the year will be shortened to wrap up the year)