



CRPTO General Board Meeting
May 16, 2018

Meeting called to order at approximately 9:00 a.m. by Carly Parkhill, CRPTO EVP.

CRPTO Board Members Present:

Excused Absence:

Jennifer Wetzler, President	Jenny Shorr, VP Membership
Nikki Forman, Secretary	Karla Clay, Co Asst. Treasurer
April McCracken, VP Communications	Rochelle Gabriel, Past President
Carly Parkhill, EVP	Marnee Medress, Asst. Treasurer
Stephanie Halvorson, VP Events	Aimee Nordini, VP Campus Support
Andrea Behmer, VP Fundraising	
Starr Christ, Treasurer	Special Guests:
Kay Rodgers, Volunteer Coordinator	Mrs. Slover, Principal
	Ms. Waldron, Asst. Principal
	Mr. Gates and his 1 st Grade Class

Welcome

Carly Parkhill, EVP, welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Mr. Gates and His Fabulous First Graders:

We had a special visit from Mr. Gates and his First Grade class. They presented a Thank You Book to our CRPTO President Jennifer Wetzler. The book consisted of letters of thanks that the kids wrote to CRPTO. They performed a few very special “thank you” chants led by Mr. Gates. What a heartfelt performance and special way for the kids to say thank you for all that CRPTO does for them!

Principal Update:

Mrs. Slover thanked everyone for Principal’s Day.

She discussed STEM showcase happening on Thursday, May 17th. She stated SRO Mitchell would be here for security. She also stated that in 7th and 8th Grade this year they would be displaying the top 5 outstanding projects per class.

Kindergarten Graduation is Wednesday, May 23rd at 10:00am.

8th Grade Promotion is Thursday, May 24th.

Middle School Update:

7th and 8th Grade have the highest requirement of instructional minutes per year. Due to Red For Ed and missing days of school, we filled in the time needed to fill the 1,000 minutes of instructional time.

Summer Reading:

5th graders going into 6th grade need to read a book and chose a project to complete. Honors students need to pick 1 project to complete.

Math Acceleration for Middle School:

For students who take the math placement exam and test up a grade level, they will be placed with other kids their same grade level and learn both grades so there is not a gap in knowledge. They will learn both grades at an accelerated pace. More information to come.

Letter Grade:

We are in the final round of consideration of our letter grade from last year. After all things were factored in, we are 1 point away from an A. We will hopefully hear by the end of the school year. Our A+ status is good for 3 years. Fall of 2020 we will reapply.

EPICS Program (Engineering Projects in Community Service):

Mrs. Slover is excited to announce that we will be the only school in the district next year to have the EPICS program at their school. 6th, 7th, and 8th grade Honors Science students will work in teams, investigate their environment, and engineer a solution. At the end of the year, they will present to the board at ASU. If they win they will receive funds to build their project.

VP of Volunteers:

Kay Rodgers gave a huge thank you to all the Room Moms and volunteers for the year. CRPTO thanks you from the bottom of our hearts!

Communications Update:

April McCracken stated that she is very proud of how far we have come in our communication. We built a website, CRPTO.com. Mrs. Kadavy writes an article that goes out to Windgate Community, McDowell Mountain, and Los Gatos. Our CRPTO has come a long way in the last few years.

CRPTO 2018/2019 Elections

CRPTO members voted and elected into office the new Board members for 2018/2019.

Carly Parkhill – President
Nikki Forman – Executive Vice President
Treasurer 1 – Stephanie Larscheid
Treasurer 2- Cathy McNally
Treasurer 3 (Spirit Wear) – Lindsey Harrington
VP Fundraising – Andrea Behmer
VP Membership – Jenny Shorr
VP Communications – April McCracken
VP Volunteers – Christine Deaton
VP Events – Stephanie Halvorson
VP Campus Support – Nicole Cusano
Secretary – Catherine Carrillo

AUGUST

7 – First Day of Classes
7 - Welcome Back Coffee and Questions with Mrs. Slover – 9:00am Room 608
22 – Room Parent Information Meeting – 9:00am Room 608
29 – Early Release – 1:15pm

SEPTEMBER

3 – Labor Day Holiday – NO SCHOOL
5 – FIRST PTO MEETING 9:00am Room 608
5 – Middle School Volunteer Committee Meeting 10:00am Room 608
10 – District Recess – NO SCHOOL
13, 14, 17, 18 – Book Fair Set Up
19 – District Recess - NO SCHOOL
21 – Middle School Book Fair
24-26 – Elementary Scholastic Book Fair
21, 24 - 26 – Donuts with Dads 7:30-8:30am

Minutes submitted by:

Nikki Forman

Nikki Forman, 2017-18 CRPTO Secretary

Approved by:

Jennifer Wetzler

Jennifer Wetzler, 2017-18 CRPTO President