



# Eisenhower Middle School PTO Minutes

**December 14, 2011**

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The meeting opened officially with the Flag Salute at 9:30 AM. There were 12 members in attendance.

## Executive Board Reports

**3<sup>rd</sup> VP** - Jennifer Calendrillo

- **Google Docs Special Presentation** - Mr. Skea and two sixth grade students came to discuss the use of Google Docs at EMS. The students shared a presentation that they worked on for a class project and gave a full explanation as to how the presentations are completed. Google Docs is great for easy sharing and group projects. There was also a Q and A time for Mr. Skea and the students about Google Docs.
- **Ladies Night Out** - The staff members that attended had a great time.
- **School Play** - Come see "Happy Daze" this Thursday and Friday.
- **Advisory** - This group continues to go well.
- **Heroes and Cool Kids** - This group from the high school came to visit the EMS students.
- **Rachel's Club** - This new club will be starting up at EMS. A meeting for those interested will be announced on ETV.

**1st VP** - Ming Chow Plotnick

- **Directories** - These are still available for purchase.
- **Hospitality** - Thank you to Lynn Stamatelatos for providing hospitality this AM.
- **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion Party** - The date has been changed to Tuesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>. We are looking for volunteers.

**2<sup>nd</sup> VPs** - Christina Gori and Francesca Ferrara

- **Ladies Night Out** - Thank you to all who helped make this night a success.
- **Ladies Night Out 2012!** - The date is set for Thursday, 12/6 at the Brick House again...mark your calendars early

**Secretary** - Becky Harris

- **November 2011 Minutes** - Presented and approved by membership vote.

**Treasurer** - Lisa Brefach

- **November 2011 Financial Statement**- Presented and approved by membership vote.

**Co Coordinator's Report** - Lynn Markarian

- **Co Coordinator Needed** - EMS PTO Ex. Bd. needs to fill one more seat for the Co Coordinator position to work with Lynn.
- **Donation** - The donation for the past quarter to EMS from the Economy Shop was \$910.
- **Shop** - Come and shop...the Economy Shop is full of great deals.

**President's Report** - Katy Mutterer

- **Ladies Night Out** - Thank you to the Co Chairs, Christina Gori and Bethel Borgeson, for an outstanding event. Please get the next year's date, 12/6, on your new calendars. We have this date already booked at the Brick House.
- **iPad Presentation** - There will be a special presentation at our January PTO meeting about the need of iPads in the classrooms. The PTO is seriously considering the purchase of a cart of iPads for the EMS students.

### Principal's Report

Stephen Raimo

- **iPads** - We need to be thoughtfully prepared for the future and continue to seriously consider the use of technology in the classrooms. Having this in mind, iPads in the classroom have a real use for both students and staff members. Currently the school has one cart of 25 iPads donated by WEF. There are also 10 staff members that have them from the district. The school is seriously considering the purchase of 20 more iPads for the staff.
- **Reserved Parking** - The sign is ready to be set up in the parking lot for the winner of the Ladies Night Out raffle. This special reserved parking spot is for one lucky individual until the end of the school year.
- **Staff** - Mrs. Fuller's replacement will most likely start at the end of January.

- **Trimesters** - The first trimester has finished. Feedback from parents was asked for from the parents.

**Committee Reports**

No Reports

**New Business**

No New Business

Respectfully submitted,  
Rebecca A. Harris  
EMS PTO Secretary

**Next PTO Meeting:  
January 11<sup>th</sup> @ 9:15 AM**