



## Brooklyn Tech PA Virtual Meeting Minutes via Zoom on 02/17/2022 @6:30 p.m.

PA Co- Recording Secretaries: Vito LaBella and Chris Zhang

- PA president Lincoln Favours called to order meeting, welcomed all participants.
- The following is Lincoln's president report
  - Safety concerns on students jumping in stair well, there were cases of getting hurt, students shall be warned.
  - Elevator shall be used by students with disabilities, & 3-ft distance shall be observed.
  - Students must be in assigned locations while in school.
  - Students shall follow policies, rules for the auditorium when occupying it.
  - Both PA & SLT will have positions opened up, encouraging parents to run for these positions, sending bio in advance.
  - Special thanks to Patricia Correge & her fundraising team; Shanny Bang & Michelle Cheung gathered wish list from teachers to help students; Kim Jalet, Jennifer Lu, Vito LaBella & all volunteers delivered the fun Lunar New Year event; Mia Lu & her communication team deliver wonderful weekly Tech Talk.
- Co-Treasurer LiLi presented January 2022 treasury report, thanks to all donors.
- Shanny Bang talked about "Wish List" project, PA funded a list of teacher's wishes would benefit students greatly.
- Lincoln presented the next PA online workshop, "Understanding College Financial Aid & Paying for College". Session 1 is at 12:00pm – 1:30pm, Session 2 is at 4:00pm – 5:30pm on Saturday, 3/12/2022. Mia Lu translated this message in mandarin.
- Patricia Correge of fundraising committee thanked all generous donors. She encouraged families to donate to win the private company's matching \$20,000 contribution to our PA, when we reach 40% of families to donate. Any amount is appreciated. There are 2 ways to donate to PA, check or on-line (<https://www.Brooklyntechpa.org/donate>).
- Jemal Carter talked about key dates for senior students.
  - Senior due date is 2/18/22. Missing this due date, could lead to miss the year book.
  - Prom will be held on Pier 61 on 6/4/22.
  - Graduation will be held in Arthur Ashe Stadium on 6/24/22.
- Parent Coordinator – Mary Huhn informed us all absents related to Covid-19 have being fixed. All students on early leave shall be picked up by parents. All attendance inquiries shall be emailed directly to [attendanceoffice@bths.edu](mailto:attendanceoffice@bths.edu). She can be reached by phone 718-804-6564, or by email, [mhuhn@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:mhuhn@schools.nyc.gov).
- Q & A session with our Principal, Mr. David Newman, covered a long list of questions & concerns from parents, such as SAT date, Student Lounge, Football Field update, Covid-19 test kit, and many more. Senior Assembly will be on March 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:00pm, more information will be sent out on 2/18.

Please follow BTHS PA website <https://www.brooklyntechpa.org/> for updates.  
For anyone who is interested watching this recorded meeting, please log on YouTube  
<https://www.youtube.com/brooklyntechparentassociation/videos>.

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Approved by Lincoln Favours