



Brooklyn Tech PA Virtual Meeting Minutes via Zoom on 03/24/2022 @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:
 - Need volunteers to help set up at stadium for graduation in June.
 - Review draft of the PA bylaws revision.
 - Both PA & SLT will have positions opened up, encouraging parents to run for these positions, sending names, contact information, & bio in advance. Especially the current president is leaving in June, this position has to be filled (extremely important). The election will be held at the general PA meeting in May.
 - Special thanks to Sarah Hu – VP of Events & volunteers, Chris Zhang & Samantha Abeysekera for the 2 successful PA online workshop, "Understanding College Financial Aid & Paying for College".
 - Special thanks to Patricia Corregge & her fundraising team.
- Treasurer Michelle Cheung presented February 2022 treasury report & budget review, thanks to all donors.
- Lincoln presented the next PA workshop will be held on Saturday, 04/15/2022.
- Susan Small of fundraising committee thanked all generous donors. She encouraged families to donate to win the private company's \$20,000 contribution to our PA, when we reach 40% of families to donate (current donation rate is at 24% of families). Any amount is appreciated. There are 2 ways to donate to PA, check or on-line (<https://www.Brooklyntechpa.org/donate>).
- Our guest speaker Dr. Dalan Read presented "Connecting Adolescents to Comprehensive Healthcare" (CATCH). This program is a Reproductive Health Services" for teens in our school.
- Judy Clare – Senior Class Parent Rep. talked about senior graduation.
 - Prom will be held on Pier 61 on 6/4/22. Tickets are on sale. Special rate will end on 3/31. Every student is allowed to bring one guest.
 - Graduation will be held in Arthur Ashe Stadium on 6/24/22, from 12:00-3:00. Students are scheduled to enter at 10:30; families are scheduled to enter at 11:00. We are looking for volunteers at the event.
- Parent Coordinator – Mary Huhn informed us:
 - All faculties are very happy receiving items from wish list project, which is funded by our PA.
 - The spring musical "You're A Good Man" by Charlie Brown was a success.
 - Parent – Teacher Conference is coming up in April. We set up some limitations because DOE limits PTC to be held in 2 days only. For any parent who is not able to discuss with any teacher, should contact that teacher direct.
- Q & A session with our Principal, Mr. David Newman:

- Mr. Newman was not able to attend this Zoom meeting; Q & A session is suspended.

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>.

Prepared by Chris Zhang

Approved by Lincoln Favours