

**Skyview Home and School Mtg**  
**November 14, 2023**  
**7 pm**

**Attendees: Gina Stover, Agata Dajewski, Irene Garvin, Michele Ferrante, Carolyn Maniscalco, Leslie Slingsby, Andrea, Bryna VanBlargan, Michelle Bell, Zenia Ardesna, Beth Pfeiffer**

**Principal/ Dean of Students Report: Mrs. Berical, Mr. Conran**

Thank you to the home and school for “everything fall,” including back to school events, Skyview Strong efforts, Fall Parties and Veteran’s Day event. We are excited for the Winter parties. There was positive feedback from the teachers regarding the Fall parties. We look forward to welcoming parents for American Education Week on Wednesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>.

**SEA Updates: Zenia Ardesna**

November 15<sup>th</sup> is the first SEA presentation. This is a change in date from its previous date. Waiting for email updates.

**President’s Report: Gina Stover**

Gina asked for approval to continue doing “Welcome to Skyview” packets with small gifts for every incoming 5<sup>th</sup> grade student (Approximately \$700 total). Motion was approved. Gifts will be ready by early Spring for distribution per Mrs. Berical. She also asked for approval for an Auntie Anne’s soft pretzel truck for teacher appreciation week (cost is approximately \$800-\$1000). Motion was approved.

Two mini grants were approved, including one for Mr. Bickle for the expansion of his fish tank Hydroponic projects and one for Mrs. McGowen for sensory playground equipment.

A reminder that Winter parties will be on December 21<sup>st</sup> from 1:45-2:30.

**Secretary’s Report: Carolyn Maniscalco**

Carolyn requested the approval of the October home and school meeting minutes. Motion approved.

**Yearbook Update: Beth Pfeiffer**

Beth is requesting help in taking pictures at events.  
Add Beth to homeroom lead – Clark, 5<sup>th</sup> grade

**Treasurer’s Report: Irene Garvin**

Our Skyview Strong fundraiser raised \$24,662.  
Request to approve Art Goes to School program benefiting 5<sup>th</sup> grade students. Approved  
Request to donate to Post Prom event. Approved  
Request to approve donation to SEA. Approved  
Request to approve \$250 for Bus Driver Appreciation event. Approved

**Old Business**

Fall Fest was great. Good turnout.  
Some Skyview Strong incentives have taken place and additional incentives are scheduled for November and the end of the year.  
Dine to Donate raised \$123 at PJ Whelihan’s.  
Science Night was a success. There were more stations, very interactive.

Mrs. Berical said the Veterans Day event was meaningful to the students. Decorations were well done.

**New Business**

Skyview Movie Night is this Thursday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>. One theater nearly sold out.

The Skyview Glow Party is December 8<sup>th</sup>.

The next Dine and Donate is December 13<sup>th</sup> at Chick-Fil-A.

We still need chairs for various 2024 events. We will start promoting out the need for support.

Mtg adjourned at 8:40 pm.