

ARTHUR E. CANTY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
3740 N. Panama Ave.
Chicago, IL 60634

Dr. Lucja Mirowska-Kopec, Principal
Miss Collette D. Laurencell, AP

Mr. Wojciech Wloch – LSC Chair

Local School Council Meeting
October 7, 2013 ~ 6:10pm ~ Rm. 102
Minutes

1. Call to Order @ 6:11pm Chair

2. Roll Call Secretary
John Rice [JR]; Mr. Wayne Wiberg [WW]; Mr. Wojciech Wloch [WW2]; Dr. Lucja Mirowska-Kopec [LM];
Mr. Ryan Forbes [RF]; Mr. Scott Babich [SB]; *Mr. Javier Silva [JS]*; Mr. Ronald Yak [RY];
Mrs. Catherine Laduzinsky [CL]; Mrs. Mary Anselmo [MA]; *Mr. Frank Paolucci [FP]*; Mrs. Cynthia Mavridis [CM].

Members that are in italics, underline and bold were absent from the meeting.

3. Approval of Minutes from last meeting Chair

First Motion: CL
Second Motion: MA
All in favor: Yes
Motion passes

4. Announcements /Introduction of Guests Chair
None

5. Public Comment Chair
None

6. Reports:
 - a. Chair: Congratulations to the increase involvement of our parents for helping bring Canty's overcrowding issue to the Board of Education's attention.
 - b. Principal: Report in folder, We are now a Level 1 school, the Engineer position will hopefully be filled sometime in November, talked about tree trimming in front of the school, grass is now growing in the outfield, boilers are being worked on, due to student based budget we were going to lose money within the budget but BBB sent out an email stating that we are now keeping that money this year, projections were off by 29 students (about 1 student for each classroom), since we were able to keep the money we are going to open a fourth KDG position and a RTI/5th grade teacher position, a tech person (parent worker) was hired to help with technology for 3hrs a day, Oct 25 is CPTC Halloween party/dance/movie night, Attendance committee has instated a dress down day for each month if a student's has perfect attendance (no absences, tardies or early dismissals), Classroom with 97 percent attendance for the entire year will get a free bus in June.
 - c. PPLC (Professional Personnel Leadership Committee)- The committee was elected on September 9, 2013. We had our first meeting on October 1, 2013. Cathy and I met with Dr. Mirowska-Kopec on October 1, 2013. Dr. Mirowska-Kopec is working on the points that were brought up.
 - d. BAC (Bilingual Advisory Committee):
No Report ~ LM: BAC meeting was on Sept 18, they elected a board, Ms. Laurencell presented a parent workshop on Gradebook.
 - e. CPTC (Canty Parent Teacher Club):
A written report is requested each month from the CPTC. Fundraising proposal for Store coupon books.
First Motion: CL Second Motion: WW All in favor: Yes Motion passes
 - f. LRE (Least Restrictive Environment)-:
No Report
 - g. Wellness Committee:
Bike day will be on Friday Oct 11, 2013, We will have a to walk to school day on November 8, 2013, in January we will be working on getting a fitness club, Zumba class and a Teacher vs Students Volleyball or Basketball done at the Park on January 23, 2014, the 5k Marathon is going to be on June 7, 2014 (More details to follow once approved to close streets by the Alderman.)

h. Addition Committee:

A group of parents went to the Board of Education meeting in September to push for an addition, MA: Reported about the meeting she went to about the 10 year facility plan, WW2 wrote a letter to the Board of Education about the 10 year facility plan with data.

7. Old Business

Chair

a. Internal Accounts Report

Internal Accounts Report for July

First Motion: RY
Second Motion: SB
Yes: WW, WW2, LM, SB, RY, MA
No: none
Abstained: CL, CM
Approved: Yes

Internal Accounts Report for August

First Motion: SB
Second Motion: MA
Yes: WW, WW2, LM, SB, RY, MA
No: none
Abstained: CL, CM
Approved: Yes

Internal Accounts Report for September

First Motion: RY
Second Motion: WW2
Yes: WW, WW2, LM, SB, RY, MA
No: none
Abstained: CL, CM
Approved: Yes

b. Transfer funds
None

c. LSC vacancy

Motion to vacate the Community Representative position held by John Rice

First Motion: RY
Second Motion: WW2
All in favor: Yes
Motion passes

Application for a new Community Representative will be due on Oct 31, 2013.

There will be an announcement on the website and on the LSC bulletin board.

d. Addition

Look for the Addition report under reports

8. New Business

Chair

None

9. Announce the date of the next meeting

Chair

Monday, November 4, 2013 at 6:10pm (Community Forum)

10. Adjournment @ 7:05pm

Chair

First Motion: CL Second Motion: CM All in favor: Yes Motion passes

Respectfully submitted by:
Ronald Yak
Secretary

Minutes approved as read without corrections
Date: 11/6/13