

May 18th, 2022

Community Education Council District 8

Calendar/ Business Working

Meeting Minutes via Zoom

ID: 879 4173 4674

Calendar Meeting 6:19 pm Call to Order

Announcements by AA: Erendida Cerrillo

Interpretations

Quorum: 6

CM Burgos Liaison Myladis Flores and Angel Gaud Jr., Bronx Borough Office

Roll Call by Aurora Ronda

Present: Crystal Brockington, Latoya Coleman, Sandra DeJesus, Farah Despeignes, Lourdes Jibodh, Aurora Ronda,

Absent: Gina Staton, Sabrina Rocchio, Jadali Small

Approval of Minutes 4/13:

Motioned by Aurora, 2nd by Lourdes

Yes: 6 No: 0 Absent: 2

President Report: Farah Despeignes

Voices of parents must be heard,

Reading: Success with DLT/SLTs with parents to be involved.

Members Report:

Latoya Coleman: Thank you, The 5/21 Health Fair Coming up at Barreto Point Park, PS 130 Career Day to be a CEC Member; Honor a Moment of Silence for Khyara Tay

Aurora Ronda: Moment of Silence Khyara Tay, Yankee Day with Dr. Tobia., Borough President Dinner.

Crystal Brockington: Focusing on Health Fair, Vendors: a few people reaching out to schools. Nothing outstanding, Project hearing completion/ Capital Improvement hearing.

Announcements

Superintendent Report: Jennifer Joynt,

Report of the District; One of our own students Khyara Tay from PS 48/BAMM passed away due to Gun Violence

PS 75: Gifted and Talented Location for Fall 2022 starting with 3rd Grade.

Q+A: (Gina Staton's Inquiry) Health Screeners: Child is absent, COVID related, the Health Screeners are tricky because there are online and paper versions.

Absenteeism and coded for Attendance: There is a code for COVID related moments

Presentations:

- a. **Office of Nutrition Services:** Peggy Thomas, Shawn Chambers
- b. **Federal Stimulus Funding and Contracts4Excellence:** Mayra Bernard, SGO

Public Session: Comments, Questions or Concerns:

Q: Summer Rising: Busing

A: Only if student has current IEP in District 8 for 10 concurrent months

PS 72 has 12 months service of busing for Temporary Housing. Metro Cards will be given out depending on distance.

Jean Lennon is in charge of Summer Rising: All the PCs are pushing concerns; all the Parent Coordinators are pushing the concerns

Sandra DeJesus Question: When do parents find out when student go accepted into Summer Rising?

A: Immediately

Pre-3 to Pre-K: No Daycare options

Q: Can schools make a camp for Pre-K? Limited spaces in schools, Dr. Roz is out Pre-K

Comment: If kids aren't safe what's the point? Bring out an action call. Time is now to do something.

DA Darcel Clark: D8 Schools: workshops with kids; peer pressured.

Saturday Night Lights for Middle School/ High School

NYCCEFT- Adequate Resources

Adjournment- Motioned by Aurora, 2nd by Sandra at 8:21 PM

Yes: 6 No: 0 Absent: 2

Working Business Meeting 8:23PM Call to Order

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Events for the rest of SY: Health Fair, Legislative Breakfast, Family Day

- Health Fair 5/21 Sepulveda Attendee, Participate; not on DOE list
 - Angel/BSWWA; Elijah/ Yoga Hunts Point Rec Center
- Legislative Breakfast Committee 6/3 9-1p: Castle Hill YMCA
- Parent Day/Family Day Committee 6/11: Maybe yes, maybe no?

Open Meeting Laws: Revisit after July 15,

Working Business meeting to have protocols, Change Bylaws, How to address community

Adjournment: Motioned Aurora by; 2nd by Crystal at 8:42 PM

Yes:6 No: 0 Absent: 2