

OCPTA
General Membership Meeting Minutes
June 12, 2023

Meeting called to order by J. Palaganas at 12:30pm at the OC Intermediate School.

In Attendance:

Jocelyn Palaganas, President
Katie Grim, Vice President - IS
Stephanie Foglio, Vice President – PS and Financial Review Chair
Roisin Roche, Corresponding Secretary
Dale Braun, Recording Secretary and Bylaws Chair
Sandra Han, Treasurer
Jill Adamson, Member
Maureen Baldini, Member
Dave Baltozer, Member
Jackie Baltozer, Member
John Barbato, Member
Kevin Barnes, Member
Jessica Bechtold, Member
Tara Becker, Member
Kim Beckmann, Member
Andrew Benfer, Member
Stephen Berseris, Member
Julie Bickings, Member
Jennifer Black, Member
Brenda Braun, Member
Holly Buck, Member
Frank Butterick, Member
Mike Cappelletti, Member
Lauren Cisek, Member
Cara Clemens, Member
Patricia Coley, Member
Eileen Conover, Member
Christine Dinsmore, Member
Carla Dorr, Member
Michelle Dubs, Member
Megan Duffey, Member
Nick Foglio, Member
John Gaskill, Member
Denise Gaskill, Member
Kate Geary, Member
Rose Green, Member
Shannon Halliday, Member
Stacie Hay, Member
Rachel Holloway, Member
Cheryl Holmes, Member
Bruce Hunt, Member

Ashley Jueig, Member
Regina Juliano, Member
Judith Kelley, Member
Candace Kolins, Member
Jess Kriegner, Member
Matthew Lane, Member
Ita Lanterman, Member
Samantha Leonard, Member
Jill Levchuk, Member
Jillian Loro, Member
Samantha Marino, Member
Michael Mattina, Member
Shannon McAllister, Member
Lindsay Morris, Member
Denise Nielsen, Member
Taryn Noll, Member
Kelly O'Hara, Member
Megan Oneil, Member
Catherine Panico, Member
Sonja Parker, Member
Kristy Pittaluga, Member
Christie Pontari, Member
Erin Porter, Member
Jen Schlembach, Member
Ashley Schmid, Member
Robert Spiegel, Member
Heather Thomas, Member
Pearson Veit, Member
Nick Verducci, Member
Jodee Wagner, Member
Cholehna Weaver, Member
Laura Wheeler, Member
Amber Wira, Member
Kristen Young, Member
Marianne Zelinski, Member
Liz Nicoletti, Non-Member

Officer Elections:

J. Palaganas thanked everyone for coming and then turned the meeting over to the Nominations Committee, chaired by K. Pittaluga. K. Pittaluga then gave a report on the nominations process, including when the committee selected their slate of candidates and that the announcement of the nominated candidates and the date for the General

Membership and Officer Elections, and instructions for any possible Write-in candidates, was sent out by email at least 30 days before. An additional announcement was made via our Facebook page. The nominated candidates are Katie Grim for President, Stephanie Foglio for VP-Primary School, and Samantha Leonard, Recording Secretary. There was also one write-in candidate received by the deadline for the office of President, Laura Wheeler.

Each of the four Candidates was then given up to two minutes each to speak.

The Committee then gave out ballots to eligible members and the members then placed their completed ballots in a box. The Committee then tallied the votes and announced the following results:

President – Katie Grim 76 votes; Laura Wheeler 4 votes
VP-Primary School – Stephanie Foglio unopposed
Recording Secretary – Samantha Leonard unopposed

All elected positions are for two years beginning July 1, 2023 and ending June 30, 2025.

The Nominations Committee was thanked for their service and the General Membership meeting resumed.

Minutes: The minutes for the February 8, 2023 meeting were approved unanimously on a motion by S. Foglio and seconded by R. Roche.

Financials: S. Han presented the financial report as of June 11, 2023.

The following grants were presented by J. Palaganas:
\$6,000 – IS: Various non-construction upgrades for the Staff Break Room.
\$1,100 – IS: STEM Robots

M. Mattina, IS Principal, then gave an overview about these needs.

On motion by B. Braun and seconded by S. Hay, both grants were unanimously approved.

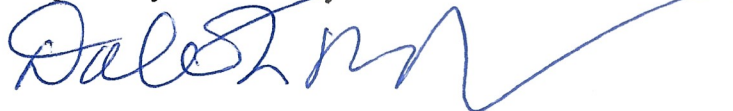
Other Business:

Various events since our last General Membership Meeting were reported on by their respective Chairs or J. Palaganas in absence thereof, such as the IS Dances, IS Sun & Fun, PS Yearbooks, PS Field Day, IS Dodgeball, Movie Days, Pool Day, PS Fun Day, PS Spelling Bee, Pocketbook Bingo, Teacher Appreciation, PS Crafts, Book Fairs and the PS Bench Dedication in memory of the late PS teacher Mikensie Helphenstine.

J. Palaganas and D. Braun then gave remarks about their many years of service as Officers and Chairs to OCPTA and thanked everyone for their support.

J. Palaganas then ended the meeting at 1:45pm.

Respectfully submitted by:



Dale Braun
Recording Secretary