

RKA Parents Association

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RKA PA MINUTES for General Parents Association Meeting

October 7, 2019 Next RKA General Parents Association meeting November 4, 2019

- Welcome Parents
- Principal's Report
 - Principal O'Mara discussed Triple C: College, Career, Culture. She discussed the program in how it prepares students with their college applications.
 - RKA is looking for outside volunteer opportunities, mentors, and internships
 - Summer opportunity fair is scheduled on February 12, 2020
 - Ms. O'Mara answered a question on suicide prevention at RKA and sexual harassment
 - Mosaic Mental Health continues to be available to students
- Treasurer's Report, Approval of Budget: RKA PA Budget for 2019/2020 was approved.
- Introduction to Executive Board and Committees
 - Board members introduced themselves and described their position and responsibilities
 - Committees: grant-writing, auction, and hospitality
- Fundraising Committee Update:
 - Merchandise sales from 6th grade orientation and Back to School were very successful
 - Car Wash was fun and had a lot of student volunteers
 - NY Yankees Tickets
 - 6th Grade Parents Night Out had a good turnout
 - Upcoming fundraiser: merchandise sale at Parent/Teacher conference, HS & MS dances, auction
- SLT Election: there was one parent position on the School Leadership Team-offered to a 6th grade parent: PA elected Rosa Henao. Next SLT is October 17, 2019.
- New Business:
 - Need volunteers for future merchandise sales, camp fair, dances, and other fundraising events
- Adjourn

Calendar & Events and Call for Volunteers

- **11/4 – Next General Parents' Association Meeting, 7PM**
- **10/10 – Triple C (10 & 11)**
- **10/11 – Triple C (9 & 12)**
- **10/14 – Columbus Day (schools closed)**
- **10/16- RKA College Fair**
- **10/17-School Leadership Team Meeting**

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- 10/18-End of Marking Period
- 10/21-College Application Week
- 10/21-RCC Open House Week
- 10/22-Breast Cancer fundraiser movie night -
- 10/22-PTC Scheduler opens for P/T Conferences
- 10/24-HS Halloween Dance
- 10/25-Fall Honor Society invites distributed (7-12)
- 10/26-SHSAT

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