



Parent Partnership Committee (PPC) Meeting Minutes
February 21, 2018

Attendance: 6 parents, 4 VCS staff members, 1 VCS board member

Opening Prayer:

Lori Gorton, VCS PPC Prayer Chairperson, opened the meeting in prayer.

Meeting Facilitator:

Dr. Bejan Pazdel, VCS Board Vice-Chairman & VCS parent. Dr. Pazdel recapped from last night's Parent Open Forum meeting. Re-enrollment is progressing nicely with 22 tours last week for new families. The Board has chosen 5 candidates to interview for the HOS position. 4 of the 5 candidates have responded for scheduling an interview.

HIS Club Update:

George Allen, VCS Director of Operations, provided an update on upcoming HIS Club projects. Mr. Allen shared that has 10 volunteers from TAFB to assist with working on the track & field area. Mr. Allen is planning to work on the MS bathrooms and Elementary siding during the summer and will be looking for volunteers

Sign-ups for HIS Club opportunities is available through Sign-Up Genius. If you want more information on upcoming HIS Club projects, or did not receive the Sign-Up emails, please contact Dena Danner at dena@dannertrio.net.

Food Services & Maintenance are in need of assistance. Full-time and part-time job opportunities are available. Please contact Christine Botkin at christine.botkin@go-vcs.com.

Athletics Update:

Michael Gomez, VCS Athletic Director, shared that men's basketball are in the playoffs. Their next game is tonight at Faith Christian. The Spring sports has started their season, with games starting Friday.

Middle school co-ed soccer will begin March 5th.

VCS Booster Club:

Michelle Aas, VCS Booster Club Treasurer, shared that the last Booster Club meeting was well attended. Booster Club meeting minutes will be posted on the website. The next Booster Club meeting is scheduled for Thurs., February 22 @ 7:00 p.m. in the CRC (Room 202) at the VCS High School. All parents are encouraged to attend.

VCS Boosters provided all high school students with a pizza lunch on Thurs., Feb. 15th and a tailgate party on Fri., Feb. 16th. Boosters will be providing a pizza lunch for middle school students on Wed., Feb. 28th.

VCS Booster Club is planning a fundraiser color run, tentatively scheduled for March and an Athletic Gala (ESPY) in May 2018. Stay tuned for more details.

Enrollment:

Dr. Pazdel shared on behalf of the Admissions Dept. Re-enrollment is proceeding along. Last week, admissions conducted 22 new family tours. The VCS Board has agreed to extend the priority registration date to April 10th.

VCS Board Updates:

Dr. Bejan Pazdel, VCS Board Vice-Chairman, shared that VCS has a mid-term accreditation visit scheduled for March 2018. All administrators are currently working on their budgets for the 2018-19 school year. VCS has a 5-year strategic plan with quarterly objectives. The VCS high school will remain open.

Crab Feed Update:

Debbie Huntley, VCS Crab Feed Coordinator, shared that the VCS Crab Feed is scheduled for Sat., February 24, 2018. Over 500 tickets are sold. Mrs. Huntley encouraged parents to share the Crab Feed event page on social media. If you are interested in purchasing tickets or becoming a sponsor, contact Debbie Huntley at debbie.huntley@go-vcs.com.

Cynthia Martinez, Crab Feed Dessert Auction coordinator, shared that she is low on sign-ups for desserts for the crab feed. Please go to the following link to sign up:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0444a9a72a1-crab1>

VCS Conservatory Update:

Sandra Cassinelli, VCS Conservatory Admin Asst., shared that April is a big month for the Conservatory. The students are planning a radio marathon on April 20-21, 2018. Students will be visiting radio stations in Sacramento and Davis.

Open Forum:

VCS parents shared that the Parent Open Forum went well. They felt it was enlightening and informing.

Parents asked if VCS could email a written version of Scott Jacobs' presentation at the Parent Open Forum for those that missed the meeting.

Dr. Pazdel shared that VCS parents can assist by sharing positive messages about VCS to the community. Their goal is to rekindle the relationships with our local pastors and churches. VCS staff and board currently attend the monthly VCMA meetings.

Dr. Pazdel shared that the VCS Board has invited local pastors to join them and pray before each monthly Board meetings, offering pastoral covering.

Closing Prayer:

Lori Gorton closed in prayer.

Next Parent Partnership Committee Meeting – Wed., March 7, 2018 @ 8:00 a.m. in the First Baptist Church Conference Room.