Mc Vey Elementary School PTA Meeting September 14, 2021 7pm

- I. Welcome
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Minutes
 - a. June Minutes Approved
- IV. Treasurer Report
 - a. \$26,364.16 with money pending.
- V. Slate passed for 2021-2022 Executive Board. Congratulations:

Karen Baker & Shannon Necci - Co Presidents; Jennifer Reinhardt- 1st Vice President; Amy Ramnarine-2nd Vice President; Julienne Leake- Treasurer; Karen Heckman- Recording Secretary; Jennifer Pevsner-Corresponding Secretary

VI. Principal Report, Ms. Dunne

- a. It has been a wonderful start to the school year. School is growing, 7 sections of kindergarten and added a section of 1st grade over the summer.
- b. Universal Pre-K now in the building-overseen by SCOPE. Need to determine if they will be included in events throughout the year.
- c. New Orchestra teacher coming mid-late October from another district. Ms. Mander is now at the High School.
- d. Mr. Simone went to Woodland and we gained Mr. Hanlon from Woodland as our new Gym teacher.
- e. We will have some sort of Halloween Celebration for our children.
- f. Beginning fire drill and planning emergency drills for the beginning of October.
- g. Hoping to be able to have outdoor field trips.
- h. Shortage of Bus Drivers, some buses have been late. Setting up a Remind App for Buses so parents can be informed.
- i. In contact with the Nassau County PD regarding parents not obeying traffic laws. Will be giving parents a warning and then they will start ticketing
- j. Thanks to the PTA for the great McVey Madness sale

VII. Assistant Principal Report, Mr. Minerva

- a. Playing catch-up with buses. Please be patient.
- b. Talking with other schools about possible Adventureland trip for 5th Graders in the spring.

VIII. Presidents Report, Karen Baker & Shannon Necci

- a. PTA Membership: Amy Ramnarine: Up to 301 members, Goal is 479. Thank you for your support and keep it going.
- b. Spirit Wear Sale: Danica Valentine: Seems to be going well. 46 orders as of today. Hopefully we can do spring sale if there are no stocking issues.
- c. McVey Matters sale on 9/10/21 was huge success. Sold shirts, magnets, water bottles, chocolate, and membership.
- d. Chocolate sale has been very successful, sale ends on October 8th.
- e. Picture Day will be held on Sept 28 &29 by Lifetouch. Pictures taken inside and class picture will be a composite of all the individual photos
- f. 5th grade committee met on Sept 13th, good turnout with lots of fundraising ideas in the works.
- g. Box tops: keep scanning receipts & Amazon Smile to place orders: a percentage goes to McVey.