

VIBRANT MINDS CHARTER SCHOOL

Family and Staff Team (FAST)

Regular Meeting

October 18, 2023 1:30 p.m.

412 W. Carl Karcher Way, Anaheim, CA 92801

The meeting was held on Zoom

Minutes

- I. Call to Order: 1:38pm
 - A. Introduction and Roll Call: Itzel Vazquez, Jessica Aguilar, Marina Cancino, and Yvette LaValle
 - B. Adoption of Agenda - Motion: Jessica Aguila, Second: Itzel Vazquez, Vote: 4/4
 - C. Approval/Correction of Minutes from the Meeting on July 14, 2023. There were no adjustments to the minutes

- II. Public Speakers on Agenda Items-There were no guest speakers

- III. Updates from FAST President - Itzel Vazquez
 - A. Future Plans for The Vazquez family- Itzel shared that they have recently relocated to Irvine. They have attempted to continue to travel to VMCS as it has been a challenge with the long commute. They are in the process of enrolling into the local school. They are expecting to be enrolled close to the Thanksgiving break.

- IV. Updates from FAST Treasurer - Yvette LaValle
 - A. Treasury Report- Yvette shared the treasurer's reports for July, August, September and October.
 - B. Cow Chip Bingo Report: Yvette shared that the Cow Chip Bingo fundraising event Grossed \$19,000 with the expenses about \$3,800. The payout for 6th grade Astrocamp was \$5,076 and 4th grade Knott's Berry Farm Field trip payout was \$1,260. 17 families chose not to participate. 26 families took tickets and never returned them with a loss of \$4,500 of ost revenue. We will be reducing the amount of tickets given to these families in the future.
 - C. Budget Goals for 2023-2024- Yvette shared the need to come up with our vision for what we would like to have for our budget and established amounts.

- V. Updates from VMCS Staff - Yvette LaValle
 - A. New Location - Yvette shared that the CUP process has moved forward and the project will be going before the Building Commission in November. The next steps would be to submit our building plans to the City Planner and get a date before the City Council.
 - B. 2 New transportation Vans: Yvette LaValle shared that she presented a plan for purchasing 2 passenger vans for the school to the VMCS Board. The presentation went well and the board will be voting on the approval on September 18, 2023.

VI. Updates from Members:

A. Dress-Up Days:

1. 50's Dress -Up day for the 50th day of school on October 19, 2023.
2. 60's Dress-Up day for the 60th day of school on November 3, 2023
3. 70's Dress-Up day for the 70th day of school on November 17, 2023
4. 80's Dress-Up day for the 80th day of school on December 14, 2023

B. Glow Party: October 20 2023. Yvette shared that the event will be held My Day Counts again this year. We have many parents volunteering for the event. We will be handing our glow sticks to all the kids as they walk in.

C. Halloween Festival and Parade. This year we will be a part of the Festival. Our booth will be providing a craft of a light up mummy. We will be there from 11 to 5:30. Following that we will be in the parade. The check in is at 5:00 and the parade begins at 7:00 pm until 8:30. Our 17 cheerleaders will be performing along with the advance band paying "This is Halloween".

D. Red Ribbon Week will be held on October 23-27 this year. The theme is "Be Kind to Your Mind" There will be 5 dress up days.

E. Super Hero Day: October 31, 2023. The scholar will dress up as superheroes in lieu of halloween costumes. We will have a backdrop for pictures.

F. Music/Art/Drama Showcase and Chili Cook Off will be held on November 13, 2023 at the new school site. The top prize will be awarded to the best chili. A consent form will need to be filled out that they are eating at their own risk.

G. Lunch with a Loved One will be Held on November 17, 2023. We will be encouraging the parents to leave their scholars at school for the rest of the day.

H. Snow Day will be held on December 15, 2023. The snow has already been ordered from Snow Pros.

VII. Action Calendar:

VIII. Council Discussion:

IX. Future Agenda Plans:

X. Adjournment: 2:19p.m.