



Friends of CSI

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Members in Attendance:

Deirdre Davis-Blunt (DB)
Renee Boles (RB)
Audrey Nesbit (AN)
Kim Lewis (KL)
Dr. V. Samuels (VS)

Members Absent:

LaHartha Phelps (LP)

Other Attendees:

Victoria-Dixon Mokeba (VM)

Members- Deirdre Davis-Blunt (President), Renee Boles (Vice President), Kim Lewis (Treasurer), Audrey Nesbit (Secretary), LaHartha Phelps (Volunteer Coordinator) Dr. Verdie Samuels (Faculty Liaison),

President Deirdre Davis-Blunt called The Friends of CSI (FoCSI) executive board meeting/conference bridge called to order **Friday, September 18, 2009 at 6:30 PM**. The following issues were discussed:

- **Curriculum Night /FoCSI Night Agenda –**
 - Dinner
 - Inquiry/Multi-Age Presentation – VD
 - Introduction of new CSI Board Members - VD
 - Introduction of FoCSI Board Members – DB
 - Overview of FoCSI 2009/2010 Goals - DB
 - Announcement of Fall Fundraiser – DB
- **Established FoCSI 2009/2010 Goals –** Playground Equipment – Replace wood chips, Books and Supplies for CSI Media Center as well as other projects throughout the upcoming year. RB purchased the Hand Sanitizer Units for the school. RB purchased 6 units (2 each for bathroom area; 1 gathering area; 2 front/cafe/entrance; and 1 in the media room). The total amount was \$50.40.
- **Fall Fundraiser –** It was agreed upon not to go with the Fruit Fundraiser. 40,000 pounds of fruit would have to be initially ordered – CSI does not have the manpower to unload the truck. We would also need storage/space/refrigeration. VS suggested the Pine River Snack Favorites fundraiser – flyer was emailed to each to review prior to meeting. \$5.00 for everything in booklet. CSI receives 40% of profits. The Fundraising campaign will begin October 1st and conclude on October 16th. All monies should be in on October 16th. Top fundraisers receive a limo ride to CiCi's Pizza.
- **Spaghetti Dinner –** Board agreed price of dinners would be \$5.00 each or \$10.00 per family of 4. Flyers will be communicated on the website as well as distributed in students' book bags. AN will design, copy and give flyers to Ms. Green for distribution. Ms. Patsy (Lunch Lady) will provide spaghetti sauce, bag salad, Texas toast, and cookies. Each board member is to provide 2 lbs of cooked pasta, dressings, any additional sides to salad, and volunteers to serve. DB suggested tickets to be given as folks pay for dinners.
- **T-Shirt Sales –** Pre-order of t-shirts will be sold during night. \$12.00 per t-shirt. There will be at least 2 persons on T-shirt sales table. KL & RB

- **New Business** – It was suggested that the Student Government be introduced to the CSI community on Curriculum/FoCSI Night. It was suggested by board for Student Government sponsor to extend special invitation to the following Student Government Officers:

- *Gabrielle Washington*
- *Kennedi Fee*
- *Kayla English*
- *Rakiria Brown*

The Meeting/Call was adjourned at 7:30 PM. Next Scheduled Meeting TBA.