

Parent-Faculty Organization @ ITC agenda and minutes

Wednesday, November 28th, 2018 5:30-6:30pm School Library



5:30-5:40 p.m.: Welcome & School News Update;

Ms. Formica spoke about Newschannel 9's "Cool Schools", who made a visit to and interviewed students in Automotive Pathway, the ACES leadership team, and P-Tech.

SPIRIT WEEK will begin 12/17/18 and will feature a Pep Rally, Ugly Sweater Contest, Door Decorating Contest (relate your décor to classroom content area) and a Blood Drive. [You have to be 17 years old to donate, or have parent permission] ITC will be partnering with PSLA for basketball.

The ACES sponsored a food drive for the **Salvation Army** which ended Dec. 14th.

An Honor Roll celebration happened Friday 11/30/18 for all 203 students who made the Honor Roll this report card period. This means all students were graded at 85 or above on their subjects. This is 38% of all ITC students. Students with good attendance were honored as well ~~ Congratulations ITC students!

January Regents Reviews ~ Boot Camp will start before Christmas Break.

News from SCSD: Plans are moving toward a STEAM Academy to be placed at Central Tech. It is a multi-million dollar plan that will take 3 to 5 years to be completed, if moved forward.

5:40 – 6:15 p.m.: Open House Survey Results – Topics for Future Meetings

Topics included <u>Safe Internet and Social media</u> use: Michca will look into getting McMahon Ryan to make a presentation.

How to choose a College ~ for juniors

<u>Managing Finances</u> – Christopher is looking into setting this up with a local bank that does school programming.

Parenting Teenagers and/or Teen Issues

Notes from November's SCSD Superintendent's Parent Council Meeting

6:15-6:25: p.m.: Update on Title I Information

Academic Showcase will get to fund some supplies. Nurtured Hearts Workshop will be scheduled for Spring. Updating and stocking Parent Resource Room

6:25-6:30 p.m.: Questions

We decided to not meet in December but hold a Bake Sale. Our bake sales are really well received. Next Bake Sale is Wednesday, December 19th, all 3 lunches. Please bake, send in store ought items or help sell. Let Kathie know how you can help via email: kmaniaci@gmail.com Currently, the PFO account holds \$684.49 primarily funded from our bake sales.

CALENDAR NOTES: Upcoming Dates

2018-2019 PFO Meetings Scheduled for:

December 19th, 2018. March 20th, 2019.

January 16th, 2019 April 24th, 2019

February 27th, 2019 May 15th, 2019



More CALENDAR NOTES ...

Winter Break December 24tth 2018- January 1st, 2019

We'd Like Your Input:

Some students have asked us about some basic t-shirts that can be worn by all students at ITC to promote school spirit and community. Seniors have also asked for some "Class of 2019" t-shirts as well. We'll be looking into this possibility in January. Our intention is to sell them at the bake sales for minimum profit and if they are well received we can think about taking orders.

If you have comments or concerns, please email Kathie at kmaniaci@gmail.com