

Jingle Bell School

Minutes of the first PAC Meeting: 2021-22

Date & Time - 26th July 2021(08:45 to 11:00 a.m.)

Venue - M.P. Hall

Proceedings

Welcome

The Chairperson welcomed all the members present in the meeting.

Introduction

Ms. Manjula Jhunhunwala welcomed the group of new PAC members and apprised them of how our school values their suggestions for improving our system and functioning.

Principal showed some photographic glimpses.

The members were asked the quiz based on their class and they inturn introduced themselves by telling their name and what contribution they could do in the school.

Madam Director said that the role of PAC is very important as they represent the class. If they do not attend the meeting they are not connected. They will not come to know what the school wants from them and it would be unfair. Some previous years PAC members shared their responsibilities.

Madam Director explained the responsibilities of PAC and requested the members for the following:

- Hold meeting with the parents of the represented class from time to time and apprise the school management of the needs of the children
- Represent the parental concern of the class in all PAC meetings
- Attend the PAC meetings along with all important events mentioned in the diary or as informed by the school
- Look for developmental possibilities and contribute by sharing own expertise as well as of other parents and resource persons
- Facilitate mutual support and stimulate communication between the parents and staff
- Convey minute problem to the management
- Be a mouth piece of school system
- Share the innovative ideas with the management so that it could be implemented in the classes
- To come forth for voluntary teaching in any class of choice as per the talent and expertise in any particular field

Suggestions

- Children miss their previous teachers as they are very small and consider Montessori teachers as their own
- **Will have the interaction of Montessori teachers with Nursery children**
- Due to Google meet children are misusing the mobile after the class
- Children should be called physically to school and visiting hours can be increased
- **'P' remarked that we are ready to call the children but the Government has still not given the permission for the same**
- **Madam Director said that parents can send the children**
- Every child should get chance for giving answers during the Google meet. One of the parents appreciated the strategy which Ms. Lovely has developed in giving opportunities to all the children

- **Teachers were asked to make a system and give chance to each child to speak**
- Teachers should send weekly time table
- **Teachers were asked to send the time table every week**
- Children are unable to play at home
- **Madam Director stated that the parents are welcomed to send their wards to school to play. Children should not wear the school uniform**
- Online class has given strain to the eyes of children
- **Madam Director added that everyone is helpless because of the current scenario. Further she suggested that anti glare glasses are also available in the market**
- Core values should be developed in children
- **It is going on through stories and other activities**
- Foreign language should be implemented

Madam Director shared some points

- She shared that we are running charity school like Amar school, Khushi- Khushi and Krishna Niketan and said that these school are running on the same methodology followed in JBS. Interested members can visit these schools
- Members were encouraged to help the teacher in organizing the field trips as per the project. They were asked to accompany their children as per their wish
- Madam Director stated that if they come across the people who could take special activities with the children for their development that could be informed to the school
- Madam Director briefed the members about the Eco bricks which the children of Amar school are making out of wrappers. Ma'am asked them to send the wrappers to school if they have but forbidded them to purchase for the sake of giving

Vote of Thanks

Towards the end of the meeting Ms. Manjula Jhunhunwala (Director) thanked the members for Volunteering to be the PAC member 2021-22 and sparing their time and actively participating in the proceedings of the meeting.

Conclusion

There being no further points, the meeting came to an end at around 11.00 a.m. and the members dispersed.

(Beena Agarwal)
Principal