

**CDL Parent Council Minutes  
August 19, 2008  
East Lansing Campus**

In attendance: Laura Raubinger, Maggie Terry, Kate Quinn, Becky Roberts, Margret Cho, Corie Costello and Directors Kellye Wood and Laurie Linscott.

- I. Introductions were made**
- II. Email Communications**
  - a. Parents can email [cdlpc@hotmail.com](mailto:cdlpc@hotmail.com) to be added to a parent council listserv that will be used to send reminders of upcoming events.
  - b. A sheet will be at orientation for parents to sign up.
- III. Newsletter**
  - a. Draft copy was passed around
  - b. First edition will go out the first week of school.
    - i. To include bios and photos of directors
    - ii. Calendar of events
    - iii. Campbell label fundraiser information
  - c. Suggested that future newsletter to introduce parent council with photos and a few lines of text about each person.
- IV. Upcoming Parent Orientation**
  - a. Members of parent council that attend will be introduced
  - b. Laura will present a PowerPoint presentation
  - c. A short video about Mary Jane's Creative Moment Class will be played at table
  - d. A giving tree that contains items Parent Council needs for the year will be set up.
- V. Mary Jane's Creative Movement Class**
  - a. Planning to follow same schedule as previous year
    - i. 4 weeks in first semester
    - ii. 6 weeks in second semester
- VI. Fall Calendar**
  - a. Japanese Student Visit
    - i. Pizza dinner to meet host families September 11, 6 pm
    - ii. Families will host students September 13 & 14 - host families still needed.

- b. Fall picnic for Haslett and East Lansing is tentatively planned for October 2, 5:30 – 7 pm depending on park availability.
- c. Make a plate and shirt order information will go out the week of September 17
- d. Cookie and popcorn sales information will go out the second week of October.
- e. Fall work party will take place sometime in October

**VII. Future Parent Council Meetings all start at 7:30 pm**

- a. September 16 @ Haslett
- b. October 21 @ East Lansing
- c. November 18 @ Haslett
- d. No December meeting
- e. January 20 @ East Lansing
- f. February 17 @ Haslett
- g. March 17 @ East Lansing

**VIII. Miscellaneous Business**

- a. Volunteers needed for library cart and classroom parents – if interested, contact Laura Raubinger.
- b. Minutes from parent council meetings will be posted in PDF form on CDL web site.