

**Kenmore PTA Meeting Minutes  
October 8, 2013**

Official Meeting Started at 7:00pm

**Review and Approve - PTA Meeting Minutes From September -**  
Motion made to approval; all in favor.

**Principal's Report - Dr Word**

- Discussion on community engagement. How to improve. Met once with School Plan Action Board. One more meeting to go. Need to get group of students and parents. No more than 10 parents for committee. Need to get people comfortable with school.

**Activities for the Year**

- Reflections Program - Karen Sosnoski - Deadline changed to October 26.
- ACI - Sarah Baker - Kenmore Representative - next meeting is October 11
- Grants Committee - Alissa Karton - Grant request due Oct 11; 2 received, more expected
- Hispanic Committee - Janeth Valenzuela - Problems with Parentvue, activation codes, tardies (sometimes wrong). Meetings to help parents with this.
  - Newsletter - Main topic of discussion was the newsletter. Electronic vs paper? Separate Spanish newsletter? Having journalism students help. Need blurbs on all the new teachers.

**Fundraising - Nina Austin**

- Kenmore Night at the Silver Dinner - made \$302.73. Need tax exempt form before we can work with any other restaurants, stores.
- Silent Auction-Spring 2014 - Nina Austin - solicitation letters going out soon.
- Kenmore vs. Gunston Faculty Basketball Game - Tommy Baugh talking with Gunston. They want Marymount. We want here.

**Treasurer Report - Cathy Constantine**

- \$5000 grant approved last year not paid. We should pay it. Need to re-do budget because of this unexpected expense.

**Other School Business**

- Next PTA meeting is November 12 at 7:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm