**School Governance Committee**

**High Horizons Magnet School**

**October 19 2016-4:30 pm**

**Members in attendance:**

Dorothy Gill, James Grantham, Greta Brown, Andrea Zambrano Pamela Dale, Elizabeth Elliot, Beth Aronstam, Elis DeCosta, Nancy Harding, Diana Draper

**Members absent:**

Elizabeth Green, Bob Carbone, Terral Gay, Francine Carbone

**Old Business**

* **September’s SGC minutes reviewed and approved**
* **Review Strategies to improve ADA (Average Daily Attendance):** Classrooms for perfect monthly attendance are being rewarded with a pizza party. In some classes, students with perfect attendance are receiving homework passes.

**New Business**

* **SGC Membership:** New parent member Elis Costa joined SGC.
* **PBIS upcoming event:**
* There will be 2 “Glow Dances” held in the gym
* Students in K-4 (9:30-11:00) need 30 PAWS to attend
* Students in 5-8 (1:00=2:30) need 50 PAWS to attend

A HHMS parent has donated a DJ to play at both dances. The school has purchased glow necklaces, face paint for the am dance, and chips. Students can use extra PAWS to enter a raffle. There will be 15 items in the raffle.

**-SVA Read Aloud:** Community volunteers will be coming at 9am to read to classes in grades K-6.

**-District Technology:** There will be an iReady presentation for parents on 10/19. Ms. Gill reviewed login procedures for MyOn (through CLEVER) and shared that some students continue to receive literacy support through LEXIA.

**-Trunk or Treat:** Will take place on 10/28 @ 6:00 pm in the HHMS parking lot. Parents have been donating candy, and some parents and community members will distribute candy from the trunks of their cars. Proceeds benefit the 8th grade graduation trip. Proceeds from the BBQ will benefit HHMS.

**- Nature’s Classroom Expenses:** Ms. Gill and Ms. Zambrano will present a breakdown of expenses at November’s SGC meeting.

**-Mrs. Draper shared that there were $6500. In sales from the fall fundraiser.**

**-Cultural Pot Luck Dinner:** will be held on December 6th.

**Meeting adjourned at 5:20 pm**