

John F. Kennedy High School Parents-Teachers-Students Association (PTSA)

GDOE Vision Statement

Prepares all students for life, promotes excellence, and provides support

JFK Mission Statement

To develop our island students to become globally primed high achievers

JFK ESLRs

John F. Kennedy High School students will be Responsible Citizens, Problem Solvers, Effective Communicators, and Technologically Literate

General Membership Meeting

12 May 2011 (6:30 pm)

JFK Tiyan Amphitheatre

Host Faculty: Math Department/Health Department

Host Student Organization: None

Principal's Report (Mr. Ken Chargualaf)

- Reiterate on the JFK Mission Statement
 - Ask yourself everyday: What is it that I can do today that can to make sure that my child is going to meet the mission of John F. Kennedy High School?
 - At the end of their High School Year, the students should be able to become problem solvers, responsible citizens, effective communicators, and be technologically literate
- This is the last night that this set of PTSA Officers will assume their duties and responsibilities
 - Improved partnership between home and school
 - Tonight is the highest parent participation we have ever had
 - Parents are a living testament that they are involved in their students' success; parent participation is just one aspect of how parents can get involved with their children. You can be a parent volunteer, guest speaker, etc.
 - Thank you for participating in the process of your child's education

Presentation of Appreciation Certificates of the outgoing JFK PTSA Officers (presented by Ken Chargualaf, Dr. Roberto, Ms. Hanzsek, Ms. Rosete)

- Award of Excellence presented and a special thank you to Mr. Marc Pido for the accomplishments of JFK High School, to include his participation in the 6 year Accreditation of JFK
- **Ms. Asherdee Rosete**
 - 02 June 2011: Graduation @ UOG Fieldhouse 2:00 p.m.
 - Senior Class meeting occurred tonight at the Tamuning Senior Citizens Center

- Advisors have already issued calendar of events for the seniors, lists all events up to graduation day. Contact the office for more information
- **Assistant Principal Student Support (Ms. Elizabeth Hanzsek)**
 - 26 May 2011: Last Day of School
 - FULL Uniform
 - Last two days of school, **NO** school bags will allowed on campus
 - If you received a letter regarding the TB outbreak, two letters were sent out to the students
 - 1st letter: Informing your child that he/she may have been exposed to TB; on the back of the form is a consent form for your child's participation in getting tested at the container office on campus. Testing will be on the 16th and reading is on the 18th (consent form must be signed prior to test)
 - 2nd letter: Information letter
- **Assistant Principal Finance, Operations, and Administrative Services (Dr. Roberto)**
 - Clearances: In the next two weeks, if you have received a notice that you owe for a book that you lost, this is the time to clear your obligations before graduation
 - New campus
 - 27 June 2011: Construction should be completed
 - 01 August 2011: Ribbon Cutting Ceremony, Relocation/on campus; keep in touch with the newspaper, we will need volunteers for the move
 - 21 May 2011: Interscholastic Sports Banquet 5:30 p.m. @ Reef Hotel, see Mr. Hattig for ticket purchase
- **Curriculum (Ms. Florence Camacho)**
 - SAT 10 Testing results submitted last week to GDOE Main Office
 - SAT 10 make up days were incorporated in the schedule
 - 20 May 2011: Senior grades due
 - At risk students NOT graduating, parents should have been notified already
 - Transcripts may be available first week of June for the seniors
 - 26 May 2011: 4th Quarter ends
 - 01 June 2011: Grades for all students due
 - End of June/First week of July 2011: Report Cards ready for pick up
 - Seniors who need transcripts for college
 - Last week of May/First week of June
 - Students need to see counselor; first transcript is free, there is a fee for any additional copies of transcripts
 - Out-of-District Enrollment
 - Expect 2-300 enrollment increase for out-of-district

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- New Out-of-District Applications will be reviewed, will call/email parents status of application; cannot guarantee enrollment until first or second week of the new school year
 - Out-of-District contractual obligations MUST BE MET will be taken into consideration for Out-of-District enrollment, this includes:
 - Attending the monthly General Membership JFK PTSA meetings
 - Attend Parent-Teacher Conferences
 - Students maintain a 70 percent passing grade
 - Students must not commit any disciplinary infractions, especially major infractions
 - Accumulation of six unexcused absences
- Current Attendance Zone for JFK:
 - Maina
 - Tamuning
 - Anigua
 - Adelup area
 - Dededo (some parts) – Sagån Inayan, Lower Astumbo (opposite of the Fire Station), Machanao (C&H Farm), Ysengsong Road, Ironwood, Solid Waste, Tumon, Harmon (McDonald's side); Zones will be added to the website
 - One application for JFK Teachers whose child is a potential Out-of-District student
 - One application for Out-of-District enrollment, one per child
 - Applications due 16-20 May 2011 to Ms. Camacho
- Summer School
 - Simon Sanchez High School (SSHS) will be hosting JFK students
 - SSHS will provide grades for students
 - SSHS will provide teachers and curriculum
 - Limited to 75 students total from JFK
 - Students who need the course graduating in June, or December, at risk graduation progress status (counselors currently evaluating). See your counselor for more details
- Status of Tiyan Campus after the move (Mr. Andres)
 - Concerns and issues of using Tiyan as a campus for a new high school have been removed from discussion due to funding

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Recognition of April Students of the Month (Islander Award) presented by Dr. Roberto (accompanied by Mr. Ken Chargualaf, Ms. Camacho, Ms. Hanzsek, Mr. Pido, Mr. Sablan, Mrs. Sablan, Mr. LeGrande, Ms. Aquino, and Ms. Gumataotao)

Zachary Zacarias

Brandon Quichocho

Abner Flores

Lea Villanueva

Shiina Yasukawa

Glenn Farol

Kezia Andrada

Doreen Andon

Rizelle Bacani

Cyrille Moises

Jeremy Berroya

Mikhail Perez

Jaydylee Martin

Wenwei Nian

Meiko Nakamura

Message from the Host Faculty (Mr. Hernandez/Mr. Mendoza)

- Health Department: JFK offers one year comprehensive health education
- Math Department: Top AP Programs; working with students to pass the UOG math exam
- Refreshments offered by the host departments

Outgoing President's Report (Mr. Marc Pido)

- Introduction of Outgoing Officers
- Introduction of Incoming JFK PTSA Officers
 - Mr. Greg Sablan, President
 - Mrs. Vicky Sablan, Vice-President
 - Ms. Essie Aquino, Treasurer
 - Ms. Pauline Gumataotao, Secretary
 - Mr. Ronnie LeGrande, Public Relations Officer (PRO)

Incoming President's Message (Mr. Greg Sablan)

- Encouragement for students to take academics seriously with the help and guidance of the parents; increa
- Challenge parents to have better commitment for this next school year 2011-2012
- See Pauline Gumataotao to take down your comments and concerns
- JFK PTSA will call on the parents to get involved with fundraisers and activities
- Challenge to the teachers, get your students involved not only in committees and also present yourselves to get involved
- Recognition to the Administration and Staff on the hard work and participation to prepare for the JFK PTSA General Membership Meeting set up. Recognize the custodial staff for setting up and securing the campus
- Look forward to continuing our partnership as Islanders!

Secretary's Report (Pauline Gumataotao)

- Spelling errors of students' names listed for award presentations, requesting the assistance of the parents for feedback on students' names
- Minutes are posted on the JFK website; links are located on the left hand side on the website; DRAFT minutes also posted and indicated as such, and pending approval for the next JFK PTSA General Membership meeting. Draft minutes are posted on the website for parents, teachers, students, and faculty administrators to view announcements, as they are presented in the PTSA meetings. Approved minutes are also identified as such
- You may contact me regarding issues, concerns, corrections, etc. to the DRAFT JFK PTSA Meeting Minutes at least two days before the next General membership Meeting via email @ opgumataotao@gmail.com
- Congratulations to the JFK Islander Paddling Team for all the awards they received; 1st Place Sottera Division; 3rd Place Sotteru Division; 2nd Place Sotteru/A Mix; 3rd Place Manhoben Mix; 1st Place Manhoben Boys
- Minutes of the meeting (14 April 2011) passed to the General Membership Meeting for review and / or changes

Motion to approve the minutes of 14 April 2011

Motion to Approve: Cyrus Toletto (JFK Student)

2nd the Motion: Joe Mafnas (JFK Faculty)

All in favor to approve the minutes; none opposed – Unanimous (passed)

Treasurer's Report (Marc Pido)

- Checking: \$824.46
- Savings: \$1,314.43

Yearbook (Dr. Roberto)

- Yearbooks are all sold out
- Supplement covers 4th quarter sports, cost is \$15.00
 - Will be ready at mid or end of the summer

SSGT Joe Mafnas (ROTC)

- JFK Competed in the Golden Bear National Drill Meet in California
 - Fred Susuico placed 9th place – the highest JFK has ever placed in this competition amongst all the Commanders
 - 1st year Cadet Color Guard – 3rd Place in the Color Guard Division (*name not mentioned*)

Other Topics Discussed

- None

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*** SAVE THE DATES and ANNOUNCEMENTS ***

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- 26 May 2011: Last Day of School (FULL Uniform)
- 02 June 2011: Graduation @ University of Guam (UOG) Fieldhouse 2:00 p.m.
- 09 August 2011: First Day of school
- 14 August 2011: First JFK PTSA General membership Meeting

**Next General Membership Meeting: Thursday, 08 September 2011
6:30 pm at the new JFK Campus in upper Tumon!**

Motion to Adjourn: Essie Aquino (Parent/PTSA Treasurer)
2nd the motion: Pauline Gumataotao (Parent/PTSA Secretary)
Meeting adjourned at 8:13 p.m.

JFK PTSA Elected Officers:

President: Greg Sablan

Vice President: Vicky Sablan

Treasurer: Essie Aquino

Secretary: Pauline Gumataotao

PRO: Ronnie LeGrande

May Minutes Approved by: Jenelle Velez (Parent) 2 nd the Motion: Ellie Toves (Parent) MINUTES APPROVED 08 September 2011

* Meeting transcribed: 20 May 2011