

PTA 3rd Meeting Minutes

November 6th 2019, 9-10AM (ECLC PE room)

Attendees: Aileen Suh, Julia Chung, Kyonghwan Kim, Sofie De Groote, Sutida Bunrad, Susan Bak, Concha Hernandez, Galina Ilchevska, Sunghee Kim

1. Ladies Night: postponed due to teachers training on Nov 23rd

New date confirmed on Friday Nov 22nd, place and time TBD

2. Half day playdates

Next playdate will be held on Jan 24th 2020. Galina kindly volunteered for coordinating the event, at Wonderball Day Park. Future dates: Apr 24th, May 29th

3. ECLC Fundraising Goal

Miss Concha introduced her vision and the educational values of adding a Plinko Board to the playground. Furthermore, it would foster creativity as K2 students would participate to create backgrounds of the Plinko Board.

Miss Concha will work out the plan / details / cost and PTA will support for fundraising. Mr Kyonghwan Kim offered support to pitch the idea / storytelling to ECLC parents in order to raise funds.

4. International Day

Confirmed on Fri Nov 22nd from 10.30 to 12.30 in ECLC PE room. The event will be coordinated by Michael. The photo backdrop will be set in the playground, 1 day ahead of the event with the help of 2 volunteers (still needed). Susan Bak volunteered as photographer for the event. Annie volunteered for spirit wear sale. The backdrop will be used for class photos.

5. Movie morning

Confirmed on Sat Dec 14th from 10.00 to 12.00, in ECLC PE room.

Parents must attend with their kids and the playground will be closed for safety reasons.

Invitations can be extended to alumni.

First step: participants list through room parents, with maximum capacity of 30 pax. If maximum capacity is reached, we will split in 2 groups (Toddlers + pre-school / K1 + K2).

Tickets (KRW 5,000 / pax) will include drinks and pop corns. Proceeds will be accumulated as part of the fundraising objective to improve the playground.

Parking issues reminder to be sent.

4 volunteers still needed to prepare / clean up the room.

6. Gift drive

Sutida, Julia, Sofie, Sunghee and Annie met after the PTA meeting to discuss the organization, coordination and deadlines. The team selected the Haesimwon orphanage as beneficiary of the action (target 35,000₩ per kid). Sunghee volunteered to get in touch with the orphanage to settle the details (number of kids, age, gender, etc.), which should be obtained early next week. The orphanage accepts used items as long as they are in good condition and clean.

Here is a recap of the next steps:

When?	What?	Who?
Nov 11 th	Get answer from Haesimwon orphanage	Sunghee / Sophie
Nov 12 th (10.00, supply room)	Make the Christmas tree with wishes	Gift Drive volunteers
Nov 18/19 th	Set Christmas tree in ECLC	Gift Drive volunteers
Nov 18/19 th	Parents pick up wishes and buy/prepare gifts & donations	All parents
Nov 29 th	General reminder to parents	Julia
Dec 17 th	Sorting & delivery of gifts to Haesimwon orphanage	TBD

Gifts can be stored in ECLC. Parents can collect wishes either physically when visiting the school, or through mail to Claire / teachers with the help of their respective room parents.

7. Spirit wear

Beanies have arrived in many colors.

PTA will launch limited edition vests in 3 colors (beige / blue / pink) → Susan

The idea of starting parent's spirit wear came up → to be discussed

8. Gala → to be discussed in next meeting (Dec 4th 2019)

9. Side notes

Galina introduced the idea of a flea market as way to raise funds.

This idea could be associated with the "Fun Around The World" event planned for spring 2020.

Water tattoo with ECLC logo have been discussed (Julia volunteered):

- Step 1: ECLC logo water tattoo.
- Step 2: ECLC tattoo design contest with students.

Once month coffee meeting with room parents to discuss all events.