

**Ramblewood Middle School**

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**School Year-2011-2012**

**PTO meeting**

**August 3, 2011**

**Call to Order:**

Meeting called to order by Elizabeth Aiello, President, at 2:10p.

Elizabeth Aiello, introduced herself. All executive board members present introduced themselves and the meeting for the 2011-2012 school year was promptly started.

The PTO executive board for the 2011-2012 school year is as follows:

Elizabeth Aiello -President

Chaynea Fox-Sampson-Vice President

Wanda Nieves-Treasurer

Denise Clarke- Assistant Treasurer

Denise Regolizio-Secretary

Committee Chairpersons are as follows:

Bonnie Murphy-Volunteers

All other Committees are TBA /TBD

**President's report:**

RMS has been granted Title I status for the 2011-2012 school year. More information and details explaining this status will be offered at the RMS Open House, scheduled for 9/8 for incoming 6<sup>th</sup> grade and 9/15 for all others, for the 2011-2012 school year.

Agendas, t-shirts, and school supplies will be sold at RMS during schedule pick-up and thereafter as well, dates and times TBA. Agendas cost \$5 each. T-shirt prices vary. Pre-order forms are available in the front office.

Several administration changes have taken place for the upcoming school year and are as follows:

Dr. Jones has joined RMS as the 8<sup>th</sup> grade Assistant Principal (AP, going forward)

Ms.Wessinger has relocated to another school as their new principal and we congratulate her and wish her all the best in her new position.

Mrs.Neville has taken a new position at RMS as our 6<sup>th</sup> grade AP.

The Curriculum Specialist for RMS this year will be Mrs.Haynes; who will also act as the Title I Coordinator for RMS this upcoming school year.

Mr.Wenhold will move forward with his 6<sup>th</sup> graders from the 2010-2011 school year as the 7<sup>th</sup> grade AP.

The theme for the 2011-2012 school year will be “There Is No Place Like Home”. This will be reflected in any and all events that take place for the school year as well.

Volunteers are needed for the following events:

“Welcome Back” breakfast – 8/15/11 Set up at 7a and clean up following (approx. 12N)

Schedule pick-up- 8/19/11 Set up at 8a and clean up following (approx. 12N)

The front office has a request for assistance answering the phones from 8a-8:30a on 8/15-8/19/11

Please register to volunteer at [www.getinvolvedineducation.com](http://www.getinvolvedineducation.com) as soon as possible in order to be a volunteer in any Broward County school.

Schedule pick-up is 8/19 from 9a-10:30a for incoming 6<sup>th</sup> graders and 10:30a-12N for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders.

Important dates for the 2011-2012 school year are as follows and are subject to change:

9/7/11-Fall pictures-volunteers are needed

9/8, 9/15-Open House 6:30p

10/12- Fall pictures re-take

10/26-Teacher’s Dessert Bar-1<sup>st</sup> one of the school year-donations accepted at the front office before 8:30a-can be homemade or store bought. Please add your child’s name and grade to your dessert so we may follow-up with a thank you. Any and all desserts accepted.

11/18- Annual Fall “Boogie Bop and Bounce” for the kids

12/14-Holiday teacher luncheon

RMS is installing a new fire/sprinkler system at the present time.

Ms.Zabko-RMS Guidance Director, Mrs.Neville-6<sup>th</sup> grade AP, Mr.Wenhold-7<sup>th</sup> grade AP, and Dr.Jones-8<sup>th</sup> grade AP introduced themselves and thanked everyone for their support and commitment to RMS for the upcoming school year.

**Principal:**

Mrs.Recchi introduced herself and thanked everyone for their support and continued commitment to RMS. Mrs.Recchi is looking forward to another successful year at RMS and hopes everyone enjoys the remaining days of summer break. See you on August 19 as we start another GREAT year at RMS!

**Other business:**

PTO is in need of several volunteers for committee positions. If you are willing and able to donate your time, talents or both please contact one of the PTO Executive Board members. See the RMS website, [www.r-m-s.org](http://www.r-m-s.org), for contact information.

Elisa Wolfe volunteered to be the Fundraising Chairperson for the 2011-2012 school year. A vote was taken and decided that Mrs. Wolfe shall be our new chairperson. Thank you Mrs.Wolfe and we look forward to working with you as we journey together on the path to greatness at RMS.

PTO meeting dates are the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month at 4p. Some exclusions apply. Please see our website for the complete list of dates and note these dates are subject to change. Meeting dates and information about upcoming events are also posted on the RMS marquee in the front of the school.

Any questions or concerns regarding PTO business can be addressed to any member of the PTO Executive Board. Please feel free to call or email and we will get back to you as soon as possible. We welcome any and all suggestions, ideas, and/or comments. If you would like to be a part of our PTO or would like to help out in any way please call or email. All ARE WELCOME! Thank you for your support.

Our next PTO meeting is September 20, 2011. Please join us as we strive for a better tomorrow for our children!

Meeting adjourned at 3:15p.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Regolizio

RMS PTO Secretary