

**Gateway Parent Association**  
**July 8, 2009**  
**Pauline's Pizza**  
**6:30pm**

Members present: Martha Fulmer, Jude Deckenbach, Sandra Proctor, Antonella Goldsborough, Ginny Gjested, Gary Goldsborough, Terri Ahuruonye, Gloria Yee, Elia Pochron, Sharon Olken, Nancy Chetaitis.

Events for the first semester. Volunteers needed.

1. Family Work Days, Saturday and Sunday, August 15 and August 16, 10am-4pm  
Need captains for following sections:  
Gardening: Antonella will volunteer to captain both days.  
Painting: Gary Goldsborough will captain both days.  
Moving: Nancy will volunteer to captain on Sunday.  
Cleaning: no captains yet

Students can volunteer and get community service hours.

Elia Pochron will volunteer both days to greet families (and be available to sell logo wear).

Gary to call volunteers to remind them of event.

2. 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> Picnic, Sunday, August 23, 1-4pm  
Jude Deckenbach and Sandra Proctor to assist Mike Johengen  
Notification will be included in August mailing.
3. Family Directory  
Notification will be included in August mailing. Jude, Julie, Antonella and Sandra will help as early as August 15<sup>th</sup> for data input of Freshman families and checking data for other grades. Directory will be available before Back to School night.
4. GPA meeting dates. All meetings to be held at Gateway library, unless otherwise noted.  
September 22, October 13, November 17, January 12, February 9, March 16, April 13, May 18, June 8
5. Carwashes  
Gary suggested having 4 events. But, due to other events, Board decided on two: September 19 and March 20.
6. International Night, October 15  
Do invitations to encourage staff participation.  
Sharon suggested the music group to play if later in year. Next year?
7. College Night, October 7. No grade-level meetings this year.

8. 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Night, September 2, 6-8pm

Changes from last year: All attendees will meet together first. Jude suggested the Cafeteria. GPA to have tables for Logo wear, Carpool, Escrip, Volunteer sign-ups, etc. Decided to group attendees by House. Learning Center section will be moved to a different date to accommodate all grades.

Need food. Ginny suggested bread (from donation), cheese, dips, grapes.

9. Open Enrollment Nights

Elia, Ginny, Sharon, Tina to make presentations.

10. Teacher Appreciation, November 10 and April 21

Sandra volunteered to post notification in Communitator for volunteers to bring food for staff in evening. She will also be there both days to help collect and setup the food table for the teachers/staff. Antonella will lead the November 10th (Sandra will "shadow"), then she will lead the April 21st event.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Julie Hagelshaw, Secretary