



2/15/18 Meeting Highlights

- Marie Reed has a new public calendar on the website.
- This summer Marie Reed will host its own summer camp as well as a Higher Achievement Program. To register, contact Mr. Castillo at walter.castillo@dc.gov.
- The 1st ski trip was a success! 3rd, 4th and 5th graders went to Ski Liberty with Ms. Bender. A big shout out to Ms. Bender for organizing this experience for our children!
- Academic Parent Teacher Team (APTT) meetings started on Thursday 3/1. Parents are also invited to schedule time with their child’s teacher to discuss their child specifically.
- Principal Lundgren is working on the 2018-2019 school year budget.
- Students celebrated Black History Month with performances on 2/23.
- The PTA and Principal Lundgren have reviewed teacher funding requests. Stay tuned for a detailed report of requests funded.
- PTA Treasurer, Anne Rodriguez presented the 2017-2018 Budget through 2/14/18. It reflected total receipts of \$28,000. Some planned expenses are summer camp \$7,500, Food Prints \$5,000, before care \$3,000, after school \$3,500.
- New PTA bylaws will be presented at the March meeting. Please share your thoughts in our open comment period through 3/31. A vote will occur at our April meeting.



Mark Your Calendar

- 3/2 – 2nd APPT meetings – all grades, 9am
- 3/8 – PTA meeting @ 5:45pm
- 3/14 – Pi Day and Math Night, Math Bowl
- 3/16 – International Night
- 3/26-30 – Spring Break
- 4/20 – Movie Night #3
- 5/7-11 Teacher Appreciation Week

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Facebook: @MarieReed ES (667 followers)

@PTAMarieReedElementary (40 followers)

Instagram: mariereedes (77 followers)

marie_reed_pta (49 followers)

Let’s see if we get 100 FB followers by next month!

Also coming soon is a PTA group on the **What’s Up** app and a group text chain to receive news from the PTA...

To join the PTA

Google Group, an online forum for teachers and families to communicate, sign up here or scan the QR code:



<https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/marie-reed-ptajoin>

DC won a grant which provides **after school program**

services FREE for DCPS students for the rest of the year! Will you consider donating your savings to the PTA? Donations will go towards funding our summer camp! You can donate via check made payable to the Marie Reed PTA. All cash donations can be dropped off at the front office. Or visit our Paypal link to make an online donation.

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