**Wilton SEPTA**

 **Meeting Minutes – Wednesday, March 13, 2019**

**9:15- 10:30 am Zellner Gallery**

SEPTA Updates

* Membership and Financial
	+ 71 members
	+ 105 followers Facebook
* Parent Survey – Survey was sent out through the district. A few tech issues but finally did get out.
* SEPTA goals – Kara shared the mission statement and goals
	+ Met with Fairfield SEPTA. They offered much perspective and support.
* Spring Planning
	+ Inclusion/Disability Awareness Month
		- Programming at the schools: TIMS Performances MD 4/2 and CM 4/5
			* Based on the book – Spaghetti in a Hot Dog Bun
			* A script was created that draws from the major themes from the book. High schoolers will perform for MD and CM
		- Volunteers Needed: Bee Kind Leaders for MD and CM.
			* April 5th dress like a Bee day
			* Bee costume contest through Good Morning Wilton
		- GMW Drawing, Bookmarks, promotion and printing. Bulletin Board at Middlebrook
			* Screening the Being You.
			* Interactive software that helps to think about future career choices
		- High School Update from Melissa Barrett
			* Ian screening
			* Rock Your Socks – March 21
			* Wilton United Variety Show – April 3
			* Spread the Word to End the Word – April 8-12
* Spring Social – April 11 @ 5:00 ~ Ambler Farm:
	+ 25 RSVP’s – parent and staff
* Volunteers needed to do:
	+ Sign up genius: set up, clean up, bartender, food/ bev items
	+ Permits and paperwork for Ambler Rental
	+ Decorations Committee
	+ Community donations for raffle baskets: 50/50 raffle
	+ Check in Table/ Registration/ SEPTA Bracelets: petty cash
	+ Sign-up sheets for committees for next year

Administrative/ PTA Updates

* Leadership training with SDE – middle and high school students
* Presenters coming to Wilton to have students weigh in on the updates being proposed for the IEP’s.
* Several students applying to student spots on SDE.
* Chris Boucher – Social justice project at charter school in Bridgeport.
	+ High school requirement for graduation but filtered down to younger students.
* Training
	+ Full district – Assessment of IEP educational benefit process
	+ Social Learning and Thinking – April 5
	+ April 4 – Executive function
	+ Summer – Co-teaching and UDL training
* Budget
	+ Has been approved by the BOE and BOF. Now goes to town vote.
	+ May 6 town vote.