**High Bridge Parent Teacher Organization**

**Meeting Agenda**

**April 1, 2014**

* **Welcome**
* **March Highlights -** Read Across America, ES Book fair, Play ground fundraiser, Last KNO at ES and MS, “Little Mermaid” performance
* **Finance Report –** Questions / Comments regarding Finance
* **Dr. Greg Hobaugh**  (Superintendent/MS Principal)
* **Mr. Brian Bizzoco** (ES Principal)
* **Teachers Liaison**
* **School Board** – next meeting April 14, 2014
* **Cultural Arts**
* N**ew Business**
* Motion to purchase baseball/softball equipment iao $280; 2nd motion \_\_\_\_\_;

All in favor \_\_\_\_\_ All Opposed \_\_\_\_\_\_ abstaining \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Grant received for “Garden” NJEA Pride Program; grant includes ***fencing, food, drinks, and a water bottle clip for the garden at the elementary school.* The plan in summary is to put in the initial garden and fencing on a weekend in August, involving the Scouts, PTO, parents, teachers - all volunteers for the initial work. The garden will eventually supply produce to each cafeteria - MS & ES. It is a community project. The fencing will have a plaque, stating that it is donated by High Bridge Teacher Association**
* **Old Business**
* Three vacancies in PTO Executive Board: President, ES Vice President and Secretary Terms end July 1st, 2014. Nominations forms will be sent out in April and ballots in May.
* Swing set has been ordered
* **Upcoming events**

MS Book Fair – Week of April 7th - BOGO

April 12th Middle School Clothing Drive

Spring Break April 18th – April 22nd

Incoming Kindergarten Parent meeting April 29th @ 7pm

Author Visit - Dan Gutman – May 23rd

Teacher Appreciation Luncheons date TBA

* **Volunteers needed**: **Questions/Comments:**

*Next meeting May 6, 2014*

Feel free to contact the PTO with any questions and comments [hbschoolspto@gmail.com](mailto:hbschoolspto@gmail.com)