



# Valley Middle School & Transitional High School

## Parent Advisory Group

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**November 16th, 2023 @**

**2:15pm Minutes**

- I. Welcome and Introductions of Members
- II. Mission Statement
- III. Goals for the group
- IV. Fundraising brainstorming
  - Discussed an individualized “swag” clothing/item fundraiser
  - Last few years (Fun Drive –Savers, yard sale, fundraising letter to local companies/businesses, March Madness raffle, bake sale)
- V. Family Workshop
  - Topics parents are currently interested in include (guardianship, transition, support for special education child siblings, the new IEP)
- VI. School Functions
  - Planning on organizing an after-school activity (bowling, mini golf)
- VII. Staff Appreciation Event
- VIII. Parent Feedback
  - Parents are looking to have the next meeting at 10am
  - Parents are looking to have a shared google doc where they can connect, share resources, and ask questions of the Valley PAG community-TBD
  - Parents are looking for more district wide communication
- IX. Parent Rights and Responsibility
  - [PAG Overview of SPED Rights & Laws](#)
- X. Date of next meeting: January 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 @ 10am