



## MINUTES

PTA General Meeting  
January 21, 2020

Begin 6:15. (about 40 people) Sign in sheet does not reflect the correct amount of people (see attached sheet)

Guest Speaker: Alonzo Chadwick, Manager of Parent Engagement at SEI, is the Facilitator to help start a conversation on race.

Group Agreement: discussed (Everything said in the room stays in the room, everything learned is passed on).

Video: A healing Moment at the Movies with Joy De Gruy from “crackingthecodes.com”

Questions posed to the group:

1. “How did you or who did you identify with in the video”
2. “Are you reactive or proactive talking about race with your kids?”
3. “How comfortable are we (adults) at talking about race?”

### **PTA Business**

Amy: Raised Motion for Chris McMurray to become Co-president of PTA - Approved

Amy: Motion to spend \$500 to spend of PTA fund to continue Diversity equity talks - Approved

Kim Cotter: Motion to receive \$4250 and \$2000 in PTA funding for GROW in 2020-2021 school year. Grow is a program to bring in educators and curriculum to each class centered on the garden. -Approved

2020 Census: Kindergarten parent discuss the need for local (97203) people to help gather census data. PT job available \$18/hr

Next General Meeting Feb 18, 2020. Continue the discussion on Race with Alonzo Chadwick.