## **Community District Education Council District 26**

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## **MINUTES OF CALENDAR MEETING**

## Date: Tuesday, April 13, 2010 Time: Calendar Meeting, 7:00 P.M. Location: MS 74, 61-15 Oceania Street, Bayside, NY 11364-Auditorium

The meeting of the Community District Education Council of District 26 (CDEC26) was called to order and chaired by Rob Caloras, President at 7:05 pm in the Auditorium.

Rob started off by thanking everyone for coming out to see the Ballroom Dancers from District 26 perform. Rob announced the CDEC members present: Rob Caloras, Pia Alexander, Irene Fennell, Ricky Chan, Jeannette Segal, Marie Pollicino, Ismael Fuentes, Dina Quondamatteo, Esther Jung, Irene Cheung, Susan Shiroma & Marian Mason, Administrative Assistant Also in attendance was Anita Saunders-Community Superintendent & Lori Butera-District Family Advocate

Rob stated that at tonight's meeting everyone will be entertained by the Ballroom Dancers from PS 26, PS 41, PS 98 & PS 178.

Rob introduced Mary Paik-Bow, Parent Coordinator of PS 41 who proceeded to call the dancers up for their performances.

1. Merengue; 2. Foxtrot; 3. Rumba; 4. Swing; 5. Tango

**District 26 Announcements** 

Newly Appointed Assistant Principals
 Rob introduced Ms. Patricia Bullard, Assistant Principal of PS 221.
 Anita Saunders spoke on behalf of Patricia Bullard. The CDEC presented her with a certificate and flowers. Ms. Shelia Twomey, Principal of PS 221 also spoke on Patricia's behalf.
 Rob introduced Ms. Kathleen Levine, Assistant Principal of PS 188.
 Anita Saunders spoke on behalf of Kathleen Levine. The CDEC presented her with a certificate and flowers. Ms. Janet Caraisco, Principal of PS 188 also spoke on Kathleen's behalf.

Rob introduced Councilman Mark Weprin who presented citations to both Ms. Patricia Bullard & Ms. Kathleen Levine. Councilman Weprin congratulated the ballroom dancers for their dedication and hard work.

Rob introduced Councilman Dan Halloran who also congratulated the ballroom dancers and the Assistant Principals.

All the dancers performed the last dance (Swing) together at the end. The ballroom dancers were given backpacks, pens and certificates on behalf of the CDEC and thanked for their dedication and hard work.

The Parent Coordinators were also given certificates and flowers for their hard work and dedication to students:

PS 26-Christine Marziliano; PS 41-Mary Bow Paik; PS 98-Debbie Govier & PS 178-Phyllis Corley.

Rob thanked the principals for allowing the ballroom dancers to perform and appreciate their skills for bringing this type of program into the schools and again congratulated the newly appointed Assistant Principals.

Meeting ended at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Marian Mason, Administrative Assistant, CDEC 26.