

## Central PTO Meeting Minutes

4/16/21

- Kelly Azim
- Maxine Clarke
- Sara Dahlstrom
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- Jane Devron
- Emily Heinlein
- Trisha Kocanda
- Sarah Levi
- Missy Shinall
- Allison Wiese
- Victoria Willer
- Megan Panje Wilson

### District/Superintendent Update (Trisha Kocanda)

- Update on move to full day, in-person schedule for all schools/grades
- Update on graduation activities planned for 8<sup>th</sup> grade
- Update on activities to transition 4<sup>th</sup> graders to Skokie and 6<sup>th</sup> graders to Washburne, including in-building activities in August (prior to start of school)
- “Recovery” plan under development to ensure next school year gets off to a strong start (academics and SEL for all students)
  - Denise Matthews, who was appointed to the role of Director of Students Services, Inclusion and Equity, and has already begun orientation to ensure readiness for next school year
  - Additional focus groups will take place with parents and teachers to ensure all have the opportunity to share ideas, concerns and learnings to inform the future
- Crow Island new principal search is underway
- The group discussed “silver linings” and key learnings from the past year