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SCHOOLS & EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING
NOVEMBER 2021

The Schools & Education Committee held a meeting on Monday, November 8th at 6:30PM via Video Conference.

CB 2 Schools & Education Members Present: Patricia Laraia (Chair), Akeela Azcuy, Amy Brenna, Rich Caccappolo, Mar Fitzgerald, Matt Metzger and Georgia Silvera Seamans

CB 2 Schools & Education Public Board Members Absent with Notice: Keen Berger, Barbara Glassman and Michael Markowitz

CB 2 Schools & Education Public Members Present: Shino Tanikawa

Other CB 2 Members Present: Jeannine Kiely (CB 2 Chair), Eva Mai and Lois Rakoff

Guests: We had over 100 people in attendance.

Agenda:
1. Discussion with student panel on High School Admissions

The meeting was called to order at 6:35PM

This was our second year doing this panel on high school admissions. It was attended by over 100 people because high school tours are still virtual due to the pandemic. Students and families are hungry for information from local high schools regarding their curriculum whether it's progressive, traditional, or collaborative. They wanted to hear the various experiences from our student panel from 15 different local high schools. We asked various questions such as: What kind of student would not feel supported or able to succeed at your school? How is your school addressing academics and social-emotional learning/creating community? And What is one thing you wished someone had told you about your school?

Business session: Schools & Education Committee met and discussed that we should continue this kind of engagement over zoom because it was so informative.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15PM

Meeting Focus

Student Experience Not NYC DOE Admissions

- **What We Know**
  - High School Tours are still virtual
  - High school application and Specialized High Schools registration are done via the MySchools DOE Portal
  - DOE has not announced a deadline as yet
- **What We Can Share**
  - View presentation at facebook.com/CB2Manhattan/

Our Student Panelists

- **Art and Design**, Erika Ahlman
- **Bard**, Liane Chapin
- **Beacon**, Luna Arce
- **Clinton**, JP Osborne
- **Eleanor Roosevelt**, Izzy Pingrey
- **East Side Community**, Daniel Velez
- **Essex Street Acad.**, Madeline Wright & Warren Axelman
- **Harvest Collegiate**, Myles Maldonado
- **ICE**, Jasper Krents
- **Lab**, Olivia Harden
- **Millennium**, Piper Krause
- **Museum**, Nicholas Lee
- **NYC Harbor School**, Oggie Stahleberg
- **Quest to Learn**, Ari Osmanaj
- **School of the Future**, Alex Laraia