

## Parent Diversity Advisory Council

Indian Prairie School District 204

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Hope and grief can co-exist

| DATE   | 2023 - 2024  |
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| September<br>21 (Thurs)<br><b>7-9pm</b>      | Liaison Training: Roles & Responsibilities<br>Mandatory Training for School PDAC Liaisons Only   |
| October<br>5th (Thurs)<br><b>6-8pm</b>       | Screenagers Under the Influence: Vaping, Drugs, & Alcohol in<br>the Digital Age<br>Movie screening at Metea Valley High School   |
| November<br>14th (Tues)<br><b>7-9 pm</b>     | <b>Community Meeting</b><br>Dr. Nader Najjar, Asst. Superintendent of Equity and Innovation on the IPSD204<br>Strategic Plan, Equity Plan, and how parent volunteers fit in.   |
| January<br>18th (Thurs)<br><b>7-9pm</b>      | Liaison Meeting: Mid-Year Review & Planning<br>Mandatory Meeting for School PDAC Liaisons Only   |
| February<br>27th (Thurs)<br><b>7-9pm</b>     | <b>Community *Zoom* meeting</b><br>DuPage County Health Dept. will discuss youth mental health trends, challenges, and<br>resources available  |
| March<br>14th (Thurs)<br><b>7-9pm</b>        | <b>Community Meeting</b><br>Desi Rainbow to talk about the intersection of race, ethnicity, religion, and LGBTQ+   |
| <b>April</b><br>18th (Thurs)<br><b>7-9pm</b> | <b>Community Meeting: Book Club</b><br>Please join for a discussion of "The Inclusive Mindset" by Justin Jones-Fosu and<br>"Recitatif" by Toni Morrison  |
| May<br>9th (Thurs)<br><b>7-9pm</b>           | Year End Celebrations, Reflections, and Goals<br>How what has been done will inspire what we will do. Reflection and Envisioning   |
| ABOUT<br>PDAC                                | The Parent Diversity Advisory Council facilitates monthly discussions to promote<br>collaboration amongst parents and district staff to address equity and diversity, and share best<br>practices in order to improve experiences and opportunities for all students. The meetings are<br>open to District 204 parents, staff, and community. For more information, please visit:<br><u>http://www.ipsd.org/Subpage.aspx/PDAC</u><br>Liaison Meetings will be at Crouse Education Center, 780 Shoreline Dr.<br>Community Meetings will be held virtually via Zoom. |

## Looking for more ways to get involved with PDAC?

Contact your school Principal to get in touch with your school's PDAC Parent Liaison.

Parent Liaisons collaborate with school administrators and faculty members to identify opportunities to support equitable and inclusive experiences for students and families. Parent Liaisons also work closely with the PDAC Leadership team to learn more about district initiatives and resources aligned with diversity, equity and inclusion.