



DES PTO
Meeting Minutes
October 09, 2011
6:45

The following is an account of the minutes taken at the Dunbarton PTO meeting held between 6:45 & 8:00 PM on October 09, 2011.

Attendees

PRESIDENT: *Shelley Westenberg*

VICE PRESIDENT: *Lisa Cross (absent)*

MEMBERSHIP CHAIR: *Donna Nault*

TREASURER: *Nancy Sherman*

FUNDRAISING TEAM: *Christine Pollock, Michele Speckman (absent)*

EASY MONEY: *Chanti Berube (absent)*

SECRETARY: *Annie Bullis*

Meeting Agenda

- Welcome & Sign in
- Approval of October Minutes
- Treasurer's Report
- Principal's Report
- School Board Report/Area Agreement

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- Staff Member Concerns:
 1. Funding for Earth Day performer
 2. AIR Website page

- Old Business

- New Business

Motions Voted On & Approved

1. Motion was made by Christine Pollock to approve the October Minutes. Seconded by Karen Harris.
2. Motion was made by Nicole Spaulding to approve the Treasurer's report. Seconded by Christine Pollock.
3. Motion was made by Heidi Virta to pay \$200.00 to Copper Tom, story teller, for him to stay the rest of day to conduct a workshop for Earth Day. Seconded by Karen Harris.

Motions Denied or Benched

DENIED: None

BENCHED: None

Topics of Discussion

Principal's Report

Mrs. Thibaudeau reported that clickers will be equipped in all rooms for the Promethean boards.

Chief Wiggins gave a presentation on fire safety.

There were some bus route changes; however, most of them were in Goffstown.

Improvements were made on the trails outback by an Eagle Scout. Each class will take some time to explore the area.

A recertification CPR workshop is being held for the staff on the 14th, and 17th.

The 23rd is an early release day and there will be a play for the students that day called Banana Boat.

School Board Update

See school board minutes for details.

Staff Member Concerns:

Funding for Earth Day performer: Shelley read a request letter by Mrs. Shultz. She is asking for funds to pay for Copper Tom, Storyteller to stay additional hours and conduct a workshop with the children on Earth Day.

AIR Website page: The DES webpage will have a link for the AIR program to showcase the program. The school staff will be taking care of this.

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Old Business:

The profit from The Harvest Moon Supper far exceeded our goals this year. It was very successful.

New Business:

Sargent Camp Treasurer's Report: Nicole Spaulding, the Sargent Fund Camp Treasurer, shared the fund guidelines and funds report for the Academic year 2011/12.

Class of 2014 Sargent Camp Fundraiser: Ideas were discussed for possible fundraisers. Current fundraisers are School store, yard sale, Yankee Candle; possible fundraisers to add are setting up a table on Primary Election day and selling tickets for prizes.

Campfire/S'Mores Night will be held Friday 11/18.

The PTO is hoping to schedule Cookies with Santa in December.

Playground update: Continue to look into replacing the sand.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM.

NEXT PTO MEETING will be held **WEDNESDAY, January 11th at 6:45 PM.**

****Please note these meeting minutes haven't been officially approved yet****