



TMHS PAC Meeting Minutes, January 30, 2012



Attendees:

Maura Rauseo, Cathy Burgoyne, Diane Dunlevy, Paula Fairweather, Lisa Kuegler, Linda Poli, Loretta Ryan, Linda Rekkbie, Stacy Downing, Toby Sedgwick and Vice Principal Eileen Osborne

Introductions and Minutes:

Co-chair Diane Dunlevy opened the meeting at 7:09 P.M. The November 28th minutes were presented and approved.

Reported: Diane Dunlevy reported that Nicole Dunlevy's project to help children at Heart House was a big success! Thanks again for the Pac donation.

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer's report was presented and approved. The check for Erin Murphy was delivered. A brick for the new High School was purchased in the fall from the class of 2012 at a reduced rate of \$37.50. We have funds to cover 8 - \$500 scholarships at year end.

Action Items:

Eileen Osborne told the PAC that a tour for PAC members would be planned for the end of Feb./begins March based on work progress in the new building.

Items for Purchase: The Life Skills class requested a vacuum . Eileen will look into exactly what is needed and whether this is a school or PAC expense. PAC authorized \$200 to spend for the vacuum if it does not fall under school item budget.

Principal's Report/Discussion:

Eileen Osborne reported that they are finalizing bids for technology and furnishings. Current desks and furnishings will be re-used where possible.

IPAD Pilot program started this week. They are working out the bugs for the wireless situation for the internet. The first Literacy Committee will be held on Jan. 31st. More information to follow.

The new High School building will be ready in August and is meeting the construction deadline.

The internet is working at an acceptable level at this time.

Trivia Night:

All the tables are taken except for 2-3 (5 people are on the waiting list for tables)

DJ – same price as last year. Diane needs baskets and items to raffle. She will communicate via email about what is needed. Loretta will get the golf course certificate to raffle again.

Town Wide PAC Meeting Update:

Study Island is at the High School. It is available or 10th Grade Math and English and Grade 9 Biology.

Demo date for current High School is August, once everything has been moved out! The project will take a large part of school year to complete.

Race To No Where – A Dewing PAC fundraiser will take place on Feb. 1st at the Wynn School.

Next Year, members of the PAC would like to get involved with the Town Wide PAC and plan an event that all the schools can participate in such as World Hunger Day.

Free Rice Event:

This event needs to be rescheduled. The Echo Club is sponsoring. Eileen O. to speak with Ms. Boudreau-Hill about a new date. For more information Freerice.com

Meeting Discussion:

Any parent or guardian of a TMHS student can vote at the PAC meeting. A copy of the PAC by-laws was submitted for the PAC binder.

College Fair 2012 – tables are needed to be rented. Date is April 13th 2012. Vote for \$350.00 for tables was passed.

Hannaford's Helps – Money from this fundraiser went to help fund freshman orientation. Loretta Ryan told Eileen to watch for payment which should be delivered soon.

Scholarships:

We will have 8 scholarships at \$500 each including the Meghan McCarthy Scholarship. All voted to include this one again this year. Loretta Ryan who will be serving on the Scholarship Committee will develop and organize criteria to distribute the scholarships.

Next meeting is scheduled for February 27th at 7 PM in the TMHS guidance office.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:08 P.M....

(Notes recorded by CB)