

Tuesday April 9, 2024 - IN PERSON MEMORIAL LIBRARY
7:00pm

1. Call to Order

2. Introductions as needed

3. Principal's Report

Approximately 42 school days left for the year with many events on the calendar. Review of MCAS schedule with changes affected by recent delay start. Three new, 8 week enrichment groups open for enrollment. Groups include 2 different level Pokemon clubs, arts and crafts group and math club. In May the second round of 4 week enrichment groups will return giving students who have not participated priority enrollment based on availability. The job fair was not as busy as expected but Hopedale was able to connect with some professionals to hopefully fill the opening anticipated for the 24/25 school year.

4. Treasurer's Report

SEED requests **No new SEED requests**

Possible "thank you" gift to Sacred Heart Hopedale for use of Parish Center for talent show auditions? Already sent a thank-you note. **Possible whiteboard donation as a token gift for generosity of donating their space.**

Thank you gift card for Mr. Chatham and Mia for helping with the talent show - already given **\$50 Dunkin Donuts and \$50 Amazon gift card.**

Donation to 6th grade dance for DJ? **Unsure of cost but estimated at \$250- \$500 dollars**

5. Donation to 6th grade party - **\$500 - approved.** Lisa Novelli chairing the 6th grade party, details to come soon!

6. Yearbook - updated by Kristen Poisson (taking over yearbook for next year), can now order yearbook - ONLINE ONLY and no extra yearbooks are ordered! **Following up with a dozen students for photo requests, are uploading photos from recent Talent show events as well as 6th grade eclipse viewing. PACE orders a yearbook to add to the library collection.**

7. Talent Show recap - new co-chair for next year Lisa Wood-Westhaver! As always, the event was very well planned and very well attended. Ran into no problems with planning and executing the evening of events and are SO grateful to the chairs and volunteers to make the evening a success. Collected \$368 in donations to upcoming TAW events.

Used a more simple format for event program which worked well and to be continued for next event, will also plan to order medals for all participants again next year, it worked very well and was a simple piece of memorabilia for all participants.

8. Square One Art - **profit est to be @ \$1600.00**

9. UPDATES for UPCOMING EVENTS:

Boosterthon Fun Run - Thursday June 6th

Field Day - TBD

TAW - Monday May 6th- Friday May 10th

Breakfast- Monday May 6th

Luncheon - Friday May 10th - main course catered by Gene's Variety, Ice Cream truck This is a time where we like to not only show our teachers how much we appreciate their hard work and dedications, but we also like to recognize ALL of the support staff that keeps our school running with day to day needs. We always buy gift cards for our transportation staff as they have limited availability to participate in the breakfast and luncheon events we have planned.

Sign up genius to be sent out for donations for breakfast and lunch has been circulated and we are receiving lots of support and involvement already.

10. SPRING ENRICHMENT - Thursday May 23rd - Chris Poulos \$2,000

11. Nominations for new President, Vice President, Treasurer, Ways and Means - elections in May

12. Questions or comments

Book Fair proceeds \$6,365.65 to be collected as Scholastic Dollars. If received as cash would be a much smaller amount, the board agrees that the Scholastic dollars has helped to support so many SEED requests that it is in our best interest to continue with scholastic dollars at this time.

Next Meeting Tuesday May 14, 2024 7pm IN PERSON