

JANUARY MINUTES



NHS PAL MEETING MINUTES - - - January 22, 2024

Welcome & Introductions; In Attendance

Sherrri Clerk, Megan Chartier, Caitlin McCown, Susan Snyder, Yvonne LeBlanc, Lynn Sansoti

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were read from the November meeting and approved.

Administrative / Enrichment Update

Susan Snyder / Megan Chartier:

- All computers in the computer lab have been replaced with new Mac desktop computers.
- Food drive kicks off 1/26 through 2/8
- Good teacher and UA collaboration monthly meetings. Space project. New 5th grade drone unit.
- May 15th teacher appreciation week, good to go with Lexi's food truck.
- Jaggy Awards planned for the Friday before April vacation, 4/19
- Plant sale/book fair in May

Budget (Year End is July 31)

Caitlin McCown:

- The charitable gaming application was submitted to Ocean State Gaming. 2024 Dates are Feb 2-9 and July 14-17. Need to market charitable gaming days. Work with Joe Manzi and NH Talks to advertise
- The operating account has \$15,713 with no outstanding items.

Events / Fundraisers / Direct Donations ('23-'24)

Spirit Wear: Talk to Frances about selling spirit wear at plant sale/book fair

Community Nights:

- November 13 – Community Oven made \$749
- January – Los Cantaros – Jan 22 for dine-in only and Jan 29 for take-out only. PAL meeting 1/22
- February 12 – Seacoast Soups – all day

- March 12–Sweet Chix
- April 11 –Thirsty Moose
- May TBD Whym with Jaggy and PAL recruiting

Teacher Appreciation:

- January – stock the staff room 1/25 Sherri & Lynn
- February – Order pizza 2/14 for half day
- March – stock the staff room – theme National Nutrition month.
- April – stock the staff room
- May – teacher appreciation week – stock the staff room, Lexi’s food truck on 5/15, daily raffle

PAL Recruitment: Add flyers to Friday folders we are seeking new members! Conduct survey to see what families are looking for from PAL and ideal meeting times

Gala: June date TBD

End of AY: treat for staff and students TBD.

Next Meeting Date

February 20, 2024 @ 6:00 PM in NHS Library

PAL 2023-2024 Executive Board

1/22/2: Motion to adjourn was made at 6:55 p.m. and was passed unanimously.

Co-Chairs: Sherri Clerk & Maggie Clifford

Enrichment Coordinator: Megan Chartier

Treasurer: Caitlin McCown

Secretary: Jamie Walther

Member at Large: Wendy Wallus