



**PHACT PTSA**

December 11, 2018

6pm-7:15pm in the PHMHS Library

Attendees- Ben Card, Heather Victoria, Lisa Labelle, Heather Hartley

1. Approval of November minutes- approved
2. Recent Accomplishments
  - a. Willimantic Parade of Lights- great night and there are plans to participate again next year.
  - b. Paint Night- a very special night. Mrs.G was an amazing teacher and \$1167 was raised for the Dakota Noel-Bartlett scholarship fund.
  - c. Reflections- 4 first place winners. The East Brook Mall Art Gallery showcase opening night is December 21st. Art gallery is looking for volunteers- high school juniors and seniors would be welcome.
3. Membership Report- 101 memberships so far! Looking into online payment options.
4. Treasurer Report provided
5. Old Business
  - a. School of Excellence Survey- roadmap was received and survey questions were reviewed. Most of our ratings from the initial survey were very good to begin with so most of the roadmap indicates to keep up the good work.
6. Committee Reports
  - a. Reflections-see Recent Accomplishments
  - b. Appreciation and Recognition- none since last meeting
  - c. Media- articles in highland herald and Hampton Gazette. Next articles will be on Reflections and Fall sports awards.
  - d. Health and Wellness-will look into “Say Something” Program
  - e. Fairs and Festivals- spring fling, will be forming committees in January.
  - f. Fundraising- no news
7. New Business
  - a. Windham Chamber of Commerce - Lisa to invite their president to a PTSA meeting to learn more about the benefits so we can decide whether to renew our membership.
  - b. Google and FaceBook Grant- not announced yet
  - c. Community Crisis Fund
    - i. Community Families- discussed how we can help and support
    - ii. Adopt a family gifts/donations- PTSA will donate \$100



8. Open Discussion- a) Will reach out to Doug Dubitsky to request a time to meet. b) Think about attending Legislative Breakfast and inviting legislators.
9. Next meeting January 8th, 6pm in the PHMHS library

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