

Partners in Education

May 16, 2019

Executive Committee Members: Ted S, Gretchen P, Debby W, Amy D, (Jen T. absent)

Parent Members: Zandra Zuraw, Tracey McElroy, Kerry McSharry, Genie Peterson (Nikki McCay absent)

Review of minutes from the meeting on March 21, 2019

Field Trip ideas:

Gretchen emailed Waypoint – information to come

Hall Reservation – too expensive

Canobie Lake

Kerry McSharry, Senior parent will send out information Monday 5/20 on event

Canobie Lake - June 8th

\$50 per person which includes lunch

Senior Week

Tuesday – Seniors will come to practice commencement –

Odyssey for lunch on a Boat Cruise

Wednesday – Bowling at Kings

Thursday – Paw Sox reserved seating, lunch and a hat

Fundraising next year

Talked about the idea of doing the wrapping paper/mix

Tracey will spearhead – Gretchen will get information

Money raised will replenish the parent fund

50/50 raffle another idea

Future activities

Start the school year with a cookout for all families

Genie will develop with Gretchen a survey for parents

Include interest for events and needs for volunteers

Establish events for school year

Establish ambassadors for each event – then have others volunteer

Parent run activities:

Red Jacket – skiing

Fun Group – Nikki will not be doing after end of school year

Parent outreach

Have a coffee meet and greet in three areas:

North Shore, South Shore and Metro west

Current parents host – a few families

Invite parents from previous Open House attended - informal conversation

Ted and/or Gretchen would attend

Speaker Series

Once each quarter

Speakers come to LPS for parents

Topics: anxiety, sex ed., reading neuro evaluations, transition series, making friends and how to keep them