

Northampton High School PTO Monthly Meeting
 380 Elm St Northampton MA 01060
 Wednesday May 14, 2014

In Attendance: Ruth Ever, Monica Green, Sharon Saline, Geri Kleinman, Wendy Bernstein

Topic	Discussion	Action/Responsibility
<p>Intro, Approval & Review of Meeting Minutes</p> <p>Meeting Minutes March 2014</p> <p>PTO Leadership</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Officer Nominations/Volunteers for 2014-2015 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting Minutes approved • The following people have agreed to be nominated Monica Green Treasurer Wendy Bernstein Chairperson Carrie Goldstein Secretary • Goal is to find parents to fulfill events, activities and projects that have a defined beginning and end date 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NHS PTO voted and approved minutes • Will take an official vote for 2014-2015 NHS PTO Officers @ next meeting • All NHS PTO members are encouraged to consider 10th grade parents for these jobs
<p>Finance & Fundraising</p> <p>Treasurers Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monica reviewed Treasurers Report 	<p>Eat for Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All checks except for 2 have been rec'd • To date have rec'd ~\$4700 <p>Tech Drive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have met \$16000 goal (Fall Fund Drive, FSB Grant, Valley Gives & Eat for Education) • Have met with Angelo, NPS Dir Technology to review what items are needed and will purchase in June 2014 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angelo to follow-up with

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<p>Honor Thy Teacher</p>	<p>Honor Thy Teacher</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussed what need we will fulfill for NHS Faculty when soliciting for Honor Thy Teacher. Will focus on Teacher's Wish Lists • Will define what parameters (\$\$) we will use before we ask Teachers for their wish lists to alleviate broad ranges of wishes • Will ask Bryan to send out email to NHS Faculty once parameters defined <p>This topic was passed</p>	<p>specific list of items needed by NHS Faculty (will email Monica)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geri & Wendy have volunteered to manage Honor Thy Teacher, Monica to provide orientation in June 2014 • Will define parameters at next NHS PTO meeting • Will write email with aforementioned parameters and send email to NHS Faculty in early August 2014
<p>Northampton Arts Council</p> <p>Community Building</p> <p>Rachel Simmons Event</p> <p>State of Technology</p>	<p>Event was reviewed and discussed Event was well attended ~100-140 ppl</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date June 9 @ 7pm NHS Library • Sharon met with Bryan and reviewed goals of the event 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Library has been reserved 6pm onward • Refreshments Wendy to coordinate • Sharon is in communication

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<p>NEF/PTO Spring Meeting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Questions will be submitted to Bryan in advance of the event ○ Bryan, Angelo and 2 NHS Faculty will be on the panel ○ In addition to prepared questions also make note to share <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ What has the NHS PTO purchased (invested) in the last 5 years for NHS (LCD Projectors, Auditorium screen, digital cameras etc) <p>Publicity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharon requests others manage publicity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ NCTV ▪ Press Release ▪ Email ▪ FB/Listserve <p>Wed May 21 @ 7pm @ A2Z</p> <p>Aug 25, 2014 Volunteers needed for set-up ~8-9am</p>	<p>with NHS admin re questions/logistics of event</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharon to ask Chris Brennan the history of tech advancement @ NHS in the past 10 yrs • Bryan to select NHS Faculty to attend • Monica will retrieve info from past documents • Geri NCTV • Sharon will ask Megan Zinn to write press release • Email/FB/Listserve will be posted as usual
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