

**Meeting Notes from PTA
November 19, 2019**

Welcome and Introductions: Sandi Leclair (President)

Updates:

- **Meadow Farms Fundraiser-**
We sold \$16,824.00 worth of items up \$1,000 from last year
Our school goal was to sell 1,000 items and we sold 1,116
Also received \$545.00 in donations in lieu of fundraising
With our cut from the fundraiser plus donations will be over \$7,000
Top three sellers were Tucker Diorio \$732.00; Gabby Leclair \$578.00; and Makenzie Watson \$523.00. They will receive \$50 GC to Amazon
Vote: To award 6 students who sold more than \$300 a t-shirt and B & N GC
- **Square One Art Fundraiser-**
Last day for online and phone orders is tomorrow 11/20
So far we have sold \$5,660 worth of items
Standard profit is 33% if your reach 20% participation or 38% if we reach 40% or more parent participation. We are currently at 30%.
- **Bookfair**
Was very well attended by parents, students, and faculty
We should receive a letter in the next few weeks as to how we did financially (last fall book fair we received \$1,114.78 in a GC).
We made a few hundred dollars on the raffle baskets which cover the costs of making them.
- **Reflections**
Is a National Art contest that is sponsored by the PTA.
This year's theme is "Look Within" Students are encouraged to enter works of art in six categories.
Everyone who has completed a "call for entries" form has been getting weekly emails with updates and reminders about the Reflections program, due dates, and rules
Art entries are due to the school next Wednesday 11/27
Four local professionals have been selected and have volunteered to judge entries-this will happen in December. They will choose winning art entries that will go on to states.
The school Reflections Art night will be held on January 9th to honor and celebrate the students who participated in the program.
It's not too late to participate!
Even if you did not turn in a "call for entries" form, you can still complete and art project for the 11/27 deadline.
Contact Adrian Newton at avsptareflections@gmail.com with any questions.
- **Monster Mash:** Wendi Guillette

They added popcorn & DJ (netted 2500)

- **Principal Update:** Dr. Lori Collins
Replaced all banners in Gym
Veterans Day went well
December 5th EOL
Extra-long Christmas Break
Focus on more recycling
2021 Budget Meeting
January New Space will be ready at school
- **School Board Update:** Janice Baker
Budget Season – increasing positions in one area and decreasing (figuring out the field, mowing maintenance etc)
Undergoing teacher contracts 3 years 7/1/2020
Bathrooms near gym is getting finished
Baseball field is coming
100k left for pockets of project- possibly gym floor
GOALS- finish construction project
Undergoing Kindergarten Study
New Curriculum
Social Emotional Learning
- **Financial Report:** Mindy Bedard

Discussion topics

1. Holiday Fair Event

- *Directly invite local friends/family
- *How to increase attendance (shoppers)
- *Need raffle items (who do you know that would want to promote their business) \$500 cash
- *Santa Workshop sign – DANNY
- *Emails will be going out this week to volunteers

2. New PTA Committees

- *Membership – Kristal Diorio (PTA Kids) Sarah from the cafeteria will help
- *Spirit Wear – Maria Armstrong
- *Fundraising – Crystal will lead and Jennifer Anderson will help

Upcoming Events/Important Dates

Reflections Entries Due—November 20th

Reflections art entries are due to the school—November 27th

PTA Meeting- NO meeting in December

Holiday Fair/Breakfast with Santa—December 14th

School Reflections Art night—January 9th

Cash Calendar sales will begin February 3rd

NO School—Primary Day—February 11th

NEA NH K-8 Parents and Students- FREE CENTER OF NH 6:30-8pm