# SEF Board at Large Meeting Minutes November 9, 2010

## **Opening:**

The Board at Large meeting of the of the SEF was called to order at 6:30pm on November 9, 2009 in Hatton Elementary School by Beth Pestillo.

#### **Present:**

Beth Pestillo, Tony Sheffy, Dawn Miceli, George Costanzo, Jan Galati, Dave Monti, Ron Marut, Kim DiFusco, Bill Lutz, Linda Flynn, Michelle Graveline, Mike Sarazen, Alan DeBisschop and Ron Marut

### **Business**

## A. Treasurer's Report- Alan DeBisschop

1. Fan of the Foundation Overview: \$28,133.98 profit

2. General Treasurer's Report

Motion to accept Bill Lutz / Second: Dave Monti

**Motion Carried** 

## B. Fan of the Foundation ReCap- Overall Successful and well-received Event

Points of Discussion:

- 1. Start time -
- 2. Check out concern Smooth Check In
- 3. Bad Food -
- 4. Program Document-
- 5. Sponsorships-
- 6. DJ

Dawn will send out "Save the Date" Beth is completing thank you Notes.

### C. Marketing – Dawn Miceli

- 1. Great Follow-up Stories
- 2. General Information on Pleads for Reads-To be held at the American Legion Next Monday the 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

3. Newsletter: Snail Mail vs. Email

Motion to accept the Marketing Report made by Bill Lutz and Second by Dave Monti- Motion carried

### **D.** Grant Committee

- 1. Budget of \$5000 for upcoming grants
  The committee has applications and will meet next Thurs the 18<sup>th</sup>
- 2. Motion by Bill Lutz and Second by Dave Monti to recommend to the board of directors the following allocations for the upcoming year:
  - A. Phase 1 of STEM April \$25,000
  - B. \$10,000 spring grants

### E. Nomination Committee-

Dawn will chair this committee, which will begin the search for new board at large members and directors for the spring.

## F. Discussion of Board at Large - Bill Lutz

Bill Lutz made a brief presentation regarding improving the Board at Large. His suggestions are that Board at Large Members:

- 1. Must take an Active Role
- 2. Must make a Financial Contribution \$ 100
- 3. Must attend 3 of 6 BAL meetings
- 4. Must assume a leadership role on 1 subcom
- 5. That there is a limited Term of 1 calendar year, subject to re-nomination and a BAL member may be removed by 2/3 vote of the Executive Board
- 6. Must attend annual Fan of Foundation event
- 7. Must attend 75% of all Committee Meetings

Motion to adjourn made at 7:45pm

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Next Meeting- date 01/11/11