

PTF Meeting Minutes – 12/18/07

Present: Wendy Olcott, JoAnne Post, Linda Oddo, Jane Woodhouse, Martha Evangelista, Janice Brisco, Kathy Renfrew, Wanda Berwick, Kirsten Szendrey, Jean Dedam, Neal Gombas, Wendy Mackenzie, Matthew Langham

5PM – Pot Luck

5:30 – Meeting

Expansion Presentation - Jean Dedam presented on the expansion committee work. Discussion followed presentation.

Instrument Policy Discussion – It was agreed that PTF should have a policy for parents and students for use of Peacham School instruments. Martha will draw up policy to be reviewed at next meeting.

Burke Mtn Ski Program – It was decided that PTF will once fund and coordinate the ski program. All students in grades 1-6 will be eligible to ski. Ski dates will be announced in the near future.

Spring Auction – The PTF Auction will take place on March 15th this year. Jonathan Kaplan and Neal Gombas have agreed to chair this event. Jane Woodhouse will be in charge of food donations.

Financial Update – Linda presented the financial update.

January PTF Meeting – On January 10th from 6PM-7:30PM Shelley Green will present a parent workshop about children's relational aggression and bullying. This is part of the ongoing work that Shelley is doing with the school staff. Parents are requested to join us for this important workshop. Baby sitting will be available.

Spring Artist-in-Residence – PTF agreed to invite Ben and Twa back this spring for a week. PTF will arrange with staff regarding dates. PTF and school board prefer an evening presentation of the students work. PTF is willing to consider additional artists-in-residence if the staff has ideas and preferences.

PTF Purchase - Wendy Mackenzie found chairs and tables to purchase for PTF events. PTF agreed to purchase these items.