

MINUTES OF PAA MEETING December 2, 2009

Attendance: Larry Fisher, Marie J. Meehan, Dan Thornton, Elaine Poretta, Marie Pinzone, Monique Swansen, Lynn Viselli, Ivars Jacobsons, Phyllis Nolan, Renee Llorente, Kathy Porter and Jola McCarthy

Dan Thornton

Notes from School Committee Meeting

Budget is 1M short – 10% cuts (60 teacher positions)

Full cut of athletics being discussed – that means 100% in user fees

Right now we pay 60% and school pays 40%

Discussed sending a letter from PAA to superintendant regarding the loss of student athletes and the detriment to the school if fees go to 100%

Larry Fisher

More discussion was had on bringing all the booster groups into the PAA to accomplish bigger goals.

Fundraising and Funds Requests

Hockey wanted approval for a fundraiser at West Newbury House of Pizza.
APPROVED.

Hockey team would like to purchase 20 hockey bags @ \$70 each or \$1400 +/- for varsity players. They will recycle them every year. PAA APPROVED.

Boys Basketball coach requested new uniforms for freshman boys (they had no shorts)
17 @ \$140 each or \$2,380.00 PAA APPROVED.

Adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

Next Meeting January 6, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at High School