

SUDBURY SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL  
Sudbury SEPAC

Meeting Minutes of May 13, 2013, 6:45 p.m.

Superintendent's Conference Room, 40 Fairbank Road, Sudbury, MA

Present: L. Riley, J. Seney, L. Kouchakdjian, D. Dixon, P. Moyer, L. Demerle, S. Houle

**Old Business:**

1. April meeting minutes approved.

**Treasurer's Report:**

1. Treasurer not present. Paula reported \$455 (raffle) plus \$250 (10% of T-wisted's profits) from fundraiser at T-wisted.

**New Business/Assignments:**

1. Fundraiser: Profit – see Treasurer's Report, above. Gift certificates to restaurant and Boston Red Sox tickets went over very well. Face Painting and Tattoos went ok, but other events in area were offering similar for free. Christo's might have gone better if we had kept raffle open later (when teenagers would be there). Plan on doing another fundraiser there again next year, either Sept/Oct or April again.
2. Fundraising idea – 5K – good idea. Paula will ask Jenn Mitchell to research what is involved (police presence, etc).
3. Parent Survey – Lisa K. has a friend who does surveys who will look at ours when we have a draft. Parent feedback – how do we get to people whose kids were deemed ineligible for services? Deb D. might be able to do that for us. Members are being asked to review surveys, provide feedback. Speak with Leslie Leslie of MassPac re: questions, wording, format, etc. Need to give parents a voice, a way to be heard.
4. Allison Andrews' presentation – May 23, 2013 at 7 p.m. at Senior Center. Need to get the word out!!! Lynn Riley will post on Craigslist, the Patch. Lisa K. will provide snacks/water. Paula will get key.
5. Selectman Social – SEPAC do a Meet the Selectman night? League of Women Voters has one already scheduled, maybe see if they would be willing to co-host? Election is June 25.

**Adjournment:** 8:20 p.m.

**Submitted by:** Laura Demerle, Secretary

**Future SEPAC Meetings/Events:**

Friday, May 17, 2013 @ 7p.m. – Parent Social at MetBar in Natick

Thursday, May 23, 2013 @ 7p.m. – Families and Stress and Special Needs – Senior Center

Monday, June 3, 2013 @ 6:45 pm – SEPAC Board mtg, Superintendent's Conf. Rm