

PDTA Executive Committee Meeting
June 4, 2007
Minutes

Present: A. Balch , K. Boardman , B. Canfield , L. Chaput , M. Donner , B. Gibson , G. Herman , H. McAulliffe, S. McGrath , J. Menchel, B. O'Brien , L. Riley , B. Shapiro , K. Shield , L. Traynor , P. VanGraafeiland

Absent: M. Brown

1. **Treasurer's Report:** Stipends for Executive Committee members were distributed.
2. **Building Elections:** Building Reps handed in slates for next year to B. Shapiro.
3. **PDTA Budget** was handed out and reviewed. It will be voted on at the June R.A. meeting.
4. **FSA:** September 28, 2007 is the deadline to submit all paperwork for the previous year for those who have Flexible Spending Accounts. After September 28, 2007, no reimbursement will be give for the 2006-07 school year.
5. **August 30, 2007** is the first day of the 2007-08 school year for all staff. It is a full workday. Concerns were raised about taking that day off. You can't unless you are sick or have business that can't be done any other time (as stated in our contract). This is the procedure for any workday.
6. **PDTA Office Move:** Effective June 12, the new location is BRMS Room 302, new phone 267-1035.
7. **Conference Reimbursements:** B. Shapiro and J. Menchel will write up expectations for cost-cutting procedures for conference attendance. To be included:
 - carpooling
 - sharing rooms
 - meal limits
 - report for PDTA upon completion
8. **NYSUT Summer Leadership Conference** will be at a different time this summer. Contact B. Shapiro if interested. B. Shapiro will send invitations to new PDTA leaders.
9. **June R.A. Meeting** will be June 18, 2007, 3:45 p.m. at the Burgundy Basin Inn. This will be an important meeting. New leaders should also attend.
10. **PDTA General Meeting** will be June 19, 2007, 4 p.m., CRMS Auditorium.

11. Postings/Transfers: Special Ed is completed. They are running behind on the SRP postings. Although there may be some reduction in SRP staff for next year, we anticipate that everyone will still have a position due to negotiations/retirements.

12. Negotiations will be meeting off-site on June 6-8.

13. Building Reports:

AC-There are concerns about the continued decrease in the enrollment at AC. M.A. Price will meet with staff to hear their concerns.

JR has had a slight decrease in population.

MCE-There are continued concerns about the continuous increase in enrollment. Class sizes are increasing.

PR-Marcia Brown is at home recovering from illness. Abigail Epstein got married.

TR-No report

BRMS has loss of classrooms due to some district offices moving in. Because of added costs for a new roof, asbestos removal and repairs to the pool, all renovation projects are on hold.

CRMS-No report

MHS-Amy Shannon recently had a death in the family. Kerry Thompson had a baby. Belated congratulations to Erin Khuns for the birth of her child.

SHS-No report

SRP-There were some initial questions regarding required work days over the summer.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew Balch
PDTA Secretary