

**Hollis-Brookline Middle School PTSA
General Meeting Minutes**

November 14, 2017
HBMS Conference Room

PRESENT:

Kelly Callahan, Bob Thompson, Lisa Getter, Julianne Finnegan, Tiffany Testa, Cheri Vanderpool, Lydia Acheson, Patty Flynn, Jen Campbell (HBMS staff), Tammy Fareed, Kristine Turcotte, Rebecca Mitchell, Davi Peters

CALL TO ORDER at 8:36a.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: September and October 2017 Minutes approved.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Red Ribbon Week went well. Powerful presentation by recovering addicts well-received. Tremendous Fall Sports season.

Many holiday cards filled in by students in ROCK for service members on US Roosevelt, collected by Mrs Garber.

Veterans Day assembly biggest in last 6 years with 43 veterans in attendance.

Student Council hosting the Giving Tree for holiday donations, in office.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Most recent bank statement (10/25) shows balance : \$11,383.79

Erin White requesting ~\$250 from PTSA for Recycling Conference 2018 for 20 kids to travel.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

KidsStuff

Sell more in office - Lydia to make office display.

Sell at Winter Concert.

Collect unpaid books/checks (Q=60-70)

All night meetings but last need rescheduling due to conflict. Must always check availability with Melissa.

Halloween Dance was huge success. NEXT STEPS: Schedule another in February.

Lock in "Up All Night" tabled until next year (2018/19) due to scheduling.

Thanksgiving Luncheon signup Genius almost full. Ordering roasted turkey breast from Shaws

NEW BUSINESS

Discussed hosting annual PTSA Basketball Tournament Fundraiser. Kristine Turcotte explained how it was successfully done in her Nashua school system experience. She is willing to co-coordinate, possibly with Mrs. Franklin. NEXT STEPS: date (January 19 or 26?)

Student Council Reps Mr. Capraro and Christina Hall have hosted a Showcase/talent show that maybe the PTSA can run or co-host.

Host a Step-Up social for 6th graders in June. NEXT STEPS: date

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting TBA.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 10:20a.

Respectfully Submitted,
Kelly Callahan, Secretary HBMS PTSA