

NPHS Meeting

November 1st, 2018

Monica Cantelli (host)
Alicia Erickson
Jane Farrington
Isabelle Demyttenaere
Jen Anderson (officially the VP of NPHS)
Andrea Cinnamon
Emily Nelson
Francis Blair
Gina Cothey

Introduction

Jen Anderson committed to being the VP of NPHS this year

Fall Fundraiser Recap

~\$2400 profit

A successful morning of bowling

Planning on doing this again next fall 2019

Will set the date in the Spring

Will decide on a number of sponsor tickets to encourage more people to attend

Will speak to the teachers to get them involved with getting more to the party

Review of meeting with Ms. Sotos

Chris, Isabelle, Alicia, Jen along with the Principal Fellow met with Ms Soto
Projectors are priority #1 and Ms Soto has given us the green light to move ahead with the project. The company ProAV has walked through the school and we are planning for installation over the Christmas break. 22 projector will be installed in all classrooms. Quote will be around \$80K. There will be some training for the teachers.

Auditorium project

Ms Soto is very excited about the project. BPS needs to be installed. It would be great to have it funded by the Mayor or some other source. We are going to pursue different tracks for funding. Chris is making a guess at \$180K for this project. Brainstorming on ideas for promoting the auditorium update at Tropi by buying a puzzle piece etc.

Field Update

Chris to look into getting the machine that will take care of the new field. It will also replace the snowblower. Jerry will take care of 'fluffing' the field.

STEM Room

Ms Soto's final ask would be a STEM room. STEM week was organized by <https://i2learning.org/stem-week/>

8 ways to land K-12 Stem funding -

<https://www.insidephilanthropy.com/home/2014/5/14/eight-ways-to-land-k-12-stem-funding.html>

<https://www.stemfinity.com/>

Cafeteria Tables are Broken

2 out of the 8 cafeteria tables are broken and have not been fixed in the last year
Isabelle will get the information about the table supplier and follow up with the situation.

School Roof is Leaking

The roof is leaking but is classified as adequate by BPS. The leakage damage has been documented and photos are on Alicia's phone. Mass State Authority can be contacted about the leaking roof.

Classroom Door Locks

Annisa is passionate about classroom doors locking from the inside.

Ms Soto considering reinstating Principal Coffee Hour

We will not need coffee or pastries. Hopefully this will start in December or January 2019.

Tropi

Nothing pressing right now.

Emily to take care of sponsorship and ads

Monica with food and décor

Gina to do the Social Media

Andrea to do the Program again

Lou for cleanup and volunteers

Noel is in charge of the bar

Isabelle to lead auction – It would be good to find a co-chair
Talked about adding in a 70s vibe to Tropi
Gina to set up a Google folder for photos to use for Social Media
Alicia to book Love in Lights

Annual Appeal

Alicia has started drafting the Annual Appeal letter. She will highlight the projectors .Alicia to ask about printing the letter with Matt Waltrip. Aiming to send it out by early December (December 1st).
Send out a Mailchimp email prior to the mail piece

Next meeting November 28th and Gina Cothey 33 Union Park #1