

ASEPAC December 8,2016
Hyman Fine Elementary School

790 Oakhill Ave. Attleboro, MA 02703

MEETING DATE/TIME/LOCATION

December 8,2016 6:30p.m.-7pm parent support 7:00p.m.-9pm general meeting Hyman Fine Elementary School Library

PRESENT AT MEETING: see attached sign in sheet

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Angela Ferreira: chairperson Susan Akell: co-chairperson

Julie Doxsey: Public Relations coordinator

Becky Nunes: Treasurer

Michelle Brouillard: Workshop coordinator

RECORDING SECRETARY: Susan Akell

6:30pm-7pm. Parents and caregivers are given the opportunity to discuss specific questions and concerns with ASEPAC board members. Due to privacy regulations these specific concerns are not recorded in the minutes.

7:00pm GENERAL MEETING:

Angela Ferreira:

Welcome attendees, please remember to sign in

Introduce board members present at meeting

Reminder on January 24th 2017 there is a grade 8 parent night from 6:30-8:30. Parents are encouraged to attend this meeting to gain valuable information about their student's transition to high school.

There is a regional SEPAC meeting on January 24th 2017 at Natty's Green's Tavern 7:00pm-10:00pm. A few ASEPAC board members are planning to attend with many SEPACs from surrounding towns.

Next ASEPAC meeting is Thursday January 19th 6:30pm-7:00pm parent support 7:00pm-9:00 presentation: How Big is the Problem& Tools for the Coping Toolbox presented by Compass Social Skills & Counseling

Still seeking volunteer for secretary position.

Seeking parent volunteers for the following sub committees:

- 1) update ASEPAC bylaws(need 3-4 volunteers)
- 2) ASEPAC Recognition Award Program(3-4 volunteers)
- 3) Disability Awareness Fair(5-6 volunteers)
- 4)Apple Institute Conference Aril 11th-13th 2017(looking for 1 more parent)

Volunteer sign up sheets, information and books along with light refreshments are located at sign in table. Reminder to sign in.

PRESENTATION: viewed documentary film Raising Matty Christian

DISCUSSION AND Q&A

Parents discussed their feelings, reactions and emotions to the movie. The movie invoked a roller coaster of emotions.

OLD BUSINESS: none

<u>NEW BUSINESS:</u> Becky submitted a treasurer's report. Motion made to accept the report as submitted. Seconded .vote 5-0 motion passed.(see attached report)

ADJOURNED: 9:05pm

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