

MINUTES OF THE NORTH TONAWANDA YOUTH BOARD MEETING
February 17, 2022

I. ATTENDANCE – Alex Domaradzki, Michelle Bernas, Martha Russell, Eric Herbert

II. CALL TO ORDER – 7:06pm

III. OLD BUSINESS –

1) **Approval of January minutes:** Motion Alex, Patty second

2) **Treasurer's Report:**

Opening Balance: \$7,792.88

Debits: (\$224.80)- Snack Shack- Sam's Club

(\$232.56)- Snack Shack- Sam's Club

(\$172.30)- Sensory Santa Event- Petty Cash

Credits: \$723.00 (Snack Shack Deposit)

\$1046.00 (Snack Shack Deposit)

Balance to date: \$8,932.82 (1/27/22)

Opening Balance: \$8,932.82

Debits: None

Credits \$306.75 (Snack Shack Deposit)

\$161.40 (Snack Shack Deposit)

\$230.25 (Snack Shack Deposit)

\$200.07 (Snack Shack Deposit)

Balance to date: \$9,831.29 (2/16/22)

Balance that was questioned at last month's meeting was verified. Balance to date is as of 2/16/22. Motion Michelle, second Patty.

3) YOUTH PROGRAM UPDATE-

- Theater Club currently practicing Tuesdays & Thursdays at NTI. Looking to have performance June 3 & 4.
- Cheer Camp- 26 registered participants practicing Tuesday & Friday with an April 2 performance.

IV. NEW BUSINESS-

- **Post Prom:** We have a desire to do a post prom event; however we don't have any information on date for prom yet. Michelle will reach out to the school advisors and find out their Prom Plan. Our board discussed ideally having the Post Prom event at the Hope Center like we had previously.
- **Junior Youth Board:** We will re-establish a Junior Youth Board with a leadership/empowering focus. Students will get some leadership training each month, and be pushed to create committees to create programs/events

etc that will serve the community. The JYB will also serve as student representation to voice ideas and provide feedback for our current youth programs and offerings.

- **Senior Display:** Michelle discussed changing the location of our 2022 senior display. Botanical Gardens is a beautiful backdrop, but the idea of having it in a higher trafficked, more visible area would be a nice change. Patty suggested the front greenspace at NTHS by the statue. Michelle will look into the space and reach out to Principal Fisher.
- **Easter Egg Hunt:** Set for April 9, 2022. We discussed having two time groups as the feedback was great from last years COVID changes that had us split locations and time groups. This year will be back to Pinewoods Park only; however we will do a 9-10:30am time group and a 11-12:30pm time group. Sensory easter event will be held afterwards 1-2:30pm.

- 1) NEXT MEETING DATE – Wednesday March 16 @ 7pm. Zoom link to follow. (Meetings moving forward will be on Wednesday evenings).
- 2) ADJOURNMENT – 7:46pm motioned by Michelle, second by Alex.