

MINUTES
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REGULAR WORK MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

DATE: TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2008
TIME: 7:30 P.M.
2007-2008-20

PLACE: DEER PARK HIGH SCHOOL
1 FALCON PLACE
DEER PARK, NY 11729

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mrs. Rose Bruner
Mr. Robert Marino
Mr. Keith Rooney
Mr. Ron Wayne
Mr. Frank Wilkinson

MEMBERS ABSENT: Mr. Dennis P. Ryan, President
Mr. John Gouskos, Vice President

STAFF PRESENT: Ms. Elizabeth Marino, Superintendent
Ms. Eva Demyen, Asst. Superintendent
Mr. Gene Levenstien, Interim Asst. Supt.
Mr. Frank Caliguiri, Asst. Superintendent
Mrs. Lisa Brennan, District Clerk

**APPROVAL
OF MINUTES**

Upon a motion by Mrs. Bruner, seconded by Mr. Marino, the Board of Education made the necessary corrections and moved for the approval of the minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 18, 2008.

NEW BUSINESS:

**ADOPTION OF
THE 2008-09
BUDGET**

Upon a motion by Mr. Wilkinson, seconded by Mr. Marino, the Board of Education unanimously approved the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Deer Park Board of Education adopt the School District Budget for the 2008-09 school year, as presented with total appropriation of **\$94,471,150** and that the budget be submitted to the qualified voters in a referendum scheduled for Tuesday, May 20, 2008.

PRESENTATIONS:

WINTER POST SEASON HONORS AND SCHOLAR ATHLETE TEAM AWARDS

By: Anthony Amesti and Coaches

Congratulations to the following student athletes for their accomplishments in achieving honors while representing Winter teams within our Deer Park Athletic Program.

BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL
Coached by: John McCaffrey

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete team, which means 7 Varsity Basketball athletes maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Josh Malone

***All County
All Conference II
All League IV
Scholar Athlete***

Anthony Valerio

***All League IV
Exceptional Seniors Game
Scholar Athlete***

Jonathan Smalls *All League IV*
Exceptional Seniors Game

Kenny Quarles *Academic All County*
Scholar Athlete

Additional contributing Scholar Athlete Team Members

S.M. Nafiul Alam
Marques Charlton
Hui-Hung "Mike" Hwang
Timothy Wong

BOYS JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL
Coached by Cory Black

This team and coach were awarded the distinction of being recognized as a Section XI SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD for the 2007-2008 Spring Season.

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| <i>Anthony Alleyne</i> | <i>Keith Bond</i> |
| <i>Jervon Bush</i> | <i>Troy Corbin</i> |
| <i>Ryan Littman</i> | <i>Andrew Metz</i> |
| <i>David Michel</i> | <i>Shaun Midy</i> |
| <i>Christian Montanez</i> | <i>Christopher Ottersen</i> |
| <i>Nicholas Rose</i> | <i>Dimitry Russ</i> |
| <i>Tyrique Tillman</i> | <i>Qiyam Williams</i> |

GIRLS TRACK
Coached by Eli Acosta

Kristina Watt *All League*

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete team, which means 12 Varsity Girls Track athletes maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Contributing Scholar Athlete Team Members

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| <i>Jenelle Christopher</i> | <i>Teleah Davis</i> |
| <i>Samantha Friend</i> | <i>Nicole Goh</i> |
| <i>Lauren Indelicato</i> | <i>Deanna Ingrassia</i> |
| <i>Kristina Legland</i> | <i>Kristen McKenna</i> |
| <i>Allison Nunez</i> | <i>Arianna Pantin</i> |
| <i>Megan Reilly</i> | <i>Nerissa Williams</i> |

BOYS TRACK
Coached by Christopher Kauter

Michael Sena *State Qualifier (Long Jump)*
All County
All League

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete team, which means 12 Varsity Boys Track athletes maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Contributing Scholar Athlete Team Members

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| <i>Ahmel Arshad</i> | <i>Matthew Betzold</i> |
| <i>Armando Cabrera</i> | <i>Kenneth DeJohn</i> |
| <i>William Depalo</i> | <i>Ka-Chung Hung</i> |
| <i>Yong Woo Kim</i> | <i>Ian Kowalchuk</i> |
| <i>James Napoli</i> | <i>John Plumitallo</i> |
| <i>Robert Prescia</i> | <i>Michael Soldano</i> |

GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL**Coached by Michael Gennaro****Holly O'Donnell**

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| <i>Alyson Dzierzynski</i> | <i>League IV All Rookie Scholar Athlete</i> |
| <i>Andrea Desvignes</i> | <i>League IV <u>All Rookie</u></i> |

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete team, which means 7 Varsity Girls Basketball athletes maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Contributing Scholar Athlete Team Members

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| <i>Nichole Alvarez</i> | <i>Jasmine Gonzalez</i> |
| <i>Kayla Lanier</i> | <i>Shayna Robinson</i> |
| <i>Kayla Saraniero</i> | <i>Megan Stange</i> |

WRESTLING**Coached by Jack Truncale****Michael McLaughlin****Ed Goldrick**

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| <i>Joey Nunez</i> | <i>All County Champion - League IV</i> |
| <i>Christopher Lugo</i> | <i>All County All League</i> |
| <i>Richard Lugo</i> | <i>All County All League</i> |
| <i>Damien Lugo</i> | <i>Champion – League IV</i> |
| <i>Brandon Cauchi</i> | <i>All League (2nd place)</i> |
| <i>Eric Wiener</i> | <i>All League (3rd place)</i> |
| <i>Joseph Mayer</i> | <i>All League</i> |
| <i>Kyle Lynch</i> | <i>All League</i> |
| <i>Joseph Bilello</i> | <i>All League</i> |
| <i>Ryan Hodgetts</i> | <i>All League</i> |

BOYS VARSITY BOWLING
Coached by Anthony Tannacore

Philip Vizzari

All League (2nd team)

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete team, which means 7 Varsity Bowling athletes maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Contributing Scholar Athlete Team Members

Michael D'Agostaro

Andrew DiGeloromo

Alexander Herrera

Edward Kane

Michael McFarland

Louis Stricker

Erik Zimmerman

BOYS SWIMMING
Coached by Craig Mangio
Ed Libretto

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete team, which means 11 Boys Swimming maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Contributing Scholar Athlete Team Members

Salvatore Caldarello

Chattha Charumaneeroj

John Paul Cotrone

Adam Grunseich

Sean Hughes

Brandon Maharajh

Vincent Negri

Tariq Omar

Joseph Paskewicz

Johnny Ramirez

Jacob Sonera

MARCHING BAND SCHOLARS – Directed by Tammy Cotrone

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as Deer Park Marching Scholars, which means 10 students maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Contributing Team Members

Emma Rosenthal

Arielle Victor

Daniel Nunez

Johnny Ramirez

Kaitlyn Sicinski

Christine Verghese

John Paul Cotrone

Janelle Grizzle

Tae Ken Kim

Carissa Scarfi

KICKLINE

Coached by Colleen O'Brien

Melissa Esposito

This team won its FIRST NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP in the POM Division at the National Contest of Champions in Orlando, Florida. They were also UNDEFEATED in KICK for the entire 2007-2008 season

Alanna D'Aries

Leanne Esposito

Nicole Falzone

Kaitlyn Lucas

Meaghan Lucas

Brooke Marro

Kristen McDonough

Ariel Miano

*Alexandra Miceli
 Dana Norman
 Marissa Penberg
 Christina Rocco
 Jessica Swany
 Olivia Watkins*

*Alyssa Napoli
 Kirsten Norman
 Holly Petrone
 Bridget Roy
 Patricia Ury
 Christina Zabas*

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as Deer Park Scholar Athlete team, which means 7 student athletes maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Contributing Team Members

*Kaitlyn Lucas
 Ariel Miano
 Alyssa Napoli
 Kristen Norman*

*Brooke Marro
 Alexandra Miceli
 Dana Norman
 Holly Petrone*

Bridget Roy

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**DISCUSSION ON CAPITAL – PROJECTS WITH MR. MARINO**

**Concerns,**

**Comments,**

**Questions - Board of Education**

**ADJOURNMENT**

Upon a motion by Mrs. Bruner, seconded by Mr. Rooney, the Board of Education adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Brennan  
 District Clerk



