

Southington Education Foundation

Board at Large Meeting

December 4, 2012

“Celebrating Success”

Attendance:

Members: Carmela Avery, Dan Daigle, Dawn Dickau, Kim DiFusco, Dr. Erardi, Linda Flynn, Jan Galati, Beth Hosmer, Bill Lutz, Kelley Maccione, Ann Micacci Flynn, Dawn Miceli, Dr. Monti, Beth Pestillo, Steve Proffitt, Sherry Russman, Rick Veilleux

Invited Guests from the Community Foundation of Greater New Britain: Jim Williamson, Marc Pelletier

The Board at Large meeting of the Southington Education Foundation was called to order at 6:35 at Derynoski School. This first in a series of presentations entitled “**Celebrating Success**” provided an opportunity to hear from past grant recipients, introduced by Vice-chairman Jan Galati. The following grant recipient presentations were featured via discussion, power point or DVD:

Who Wants to be a Science Extraordinaire?

SHS Teachers: Judith Dunn, David DeStefano

Mysteries of Math in Music

Kelley/Plantsville School Teacher: Kate Fitzgerald Diaz

Classroom Planetarium

Thalberg School Teachers: Chanel Curtin, Mandy Hubeny

Give a Little...Get A.L.O.T.

Flanders School Teachers: Joyce McAloon, Dan Murdzyk, Krista Tibbets

Refrigerated Saltwater Aquarium

SHS Teacher: Debra O’Brien

Questions and comments from the audience added to this informational meeting. Dawn Miceli acknowledged each presenter with a gift card, generously donated by Anthony Jack’s Restaurant.

New Business:

The Outback Luncheon is being chaired by Linda Flynn. Tickets for the January 26th event are now available at a cost of \$25 for a first rate meal of chicken, steak, and vegetable with drink. The ticket also entitles entry into one winter SHS sporting event of purchaser’s choice. Each ticket provides \$20 to the SEF for future grants. Members may contact Linda (860-620-0786) or Dawn (860-479-9199) for information about tickets.

Motion to adjourn made by Bill Lutz and seconded by Kelley Maccione. Meeting adjourned at 7:45. Next “Celebrating Success” Board at Large meeting will be held in March at a place to be determined.

Respectfully submitted, Jan Galati, vice-chairman Southington Education Foundation