

**Minutes of Old Bethpage Elementary School PTA
General Meeting
Meeting Held on November 16, 2016 at 7:30 p.m.**

Introduction: Call meeting to Order

- Elina Pavic, President Opened Meeting, welcome message
- Attendance Sheet was passed around and signed by all in attendance
- Relay for Life Announcement by Jen Biren
- Kathy from Deliceful made a presentation on Lice - how to treat it, avoid it and discussed misconceptions
- Amazon Smile - order from Amazon Smile and a portion of your purchase goes to our PTA
- Parkway Elementary to be renamed Judy Jacobs Elementary

Principal Announcements:

- reminder to send children in with jackets for recess
- 4th graders voting on student government
- maker space - supply donations needed
- teachers working on bench marking - staying at a letter longer
- kindergarten workshop for writing
- reading goals
- less stressful homework being assigned
- extra help in progress every Wednesday
- trying to get security system linked to Nassau County PD
- chrome books to be given to greeters

Committee Reports:

Treasurer: cash on hand - \$26,043.00

Fundraising: spiritwear, mixed bag, pretzel sale, box tops - ongoing

Membership: current membership 232

Transportation: working on text and email notifications; discussing mandatory seat belts for next year

Cirriculum: music to continue as is; Joe Bracco - Health

Upcoming Events:

- 11/30/16 - deadline to submit relay for life designs or donate
- 12/2/16 - deadline to register for drama club
- 12/6/16 - picture retake day
- 12/9/16 - drama club tryouts
- 12/14 - 12/15 parent teacher conferences
- 12/13 - 12/15 book fair
- 12/20 - 12/22 holiday boutique

Meeting Adjourned

Respectfully,

Andrea Mc Auliffe, Recording Secretary