AWARDS COMMITTEE

MINUTES
April 13, 2011
Central Office
6:30 p.m.

THOSE IN ATTENDANCE: Ed Strumello, Fred Stanek, Gene Coppola, Terri Ferrara, Regina Fitzgerald, MaryAnne Mascolo

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Mascolo at 6:45 P.M.

1. Review nominations forms and select recipients for Brumer, Gallagher, Kobasa, and Petruny Awards

Mr. Stanek reviewed the criteria for the Brumer award and reviewed the nominations that might fit the criteria. After some discussion, a recipient was selected and all were in favor.

Mr. Stanek reviewed the criteria for the Gallagher award and reviewed the nominations that were submitted. The committee discussed the nominations, selected a recipient, and all were in favor.

Mr. Stanek indicated that there were no nominations for the Petruny Award. Mr. Stanek asked the committee if they had any nominations and they did not. Ms. Mascolo committed to reviewing the criteria with Mrs. Hamad and asking her to nominate a student who fits the criteria. Ed Strumello suggested contacting the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts for nominations next year.

Mr. Stanek reviewed the criteria for the Kobasa award and reviewed the nominations received from the high school students. There was some discussion on the lack of information provided by the students regarding their nominations. Mr. Stanek indicated there was nothing in the by-laws that prevented the same teacher from receiving the award more than once especially since they are being nominated by a different class. The committee discussed several of the nominations and decided on a recipient for each level (elementary, middle school, and high school).

The nominations will go to the full board on May 2, 2011.

2. Discussion of next year's Awards Advisory Committee members

There was a review of the current members to see if they still qualify to sit on this committee. We will need a high school representative and two student representatives (1 senior, 1 junior). Mr. Stanek asked that the committee meet in September or October 2011 to review and plan for the upcoming awards.

3. Chairman's Report
None

4. Superintendent's Report
None

MOTION: (Mr. Coppola, sec., Mr. Strumello) to adjourn the meeting at 7:22 P.M.

SO VOTED

AFFIRMATIVE: Ed Strumello, Fred Stanek, Gene Coppola, Terri Ferrara, Regina Fitzgerald

The meeting adjourned at 7:22 p.m.

Submitted by:
MaryAnne Mascolo