

DEEP MINUTES
March 12, 2014
Danvers Educational Enrichment Partnership
PO BOX 387, Danvers, MA 01923
978-777-8925 X-2215, Mark B. Strout, Secretary
www.supportdeep.org

Mission Statement: To enrich Danvers Public Schools' educational process through a unique partnership comprised of schools, community volunteers and businesses.

2014' MEETING DATES

April 9, 2014

May 7, 2014

June 11, 2014

Teacher Memberships: \$10 per year

Non-Teacher Membership: \$20 per year

Corporate Memberships: \$250 minimum level

Sign up now!---Either send your check payable to DEEP at PO Box 387, Danvers, MA, 01923— or Go to the www.supportdeep.org website---or forward your check to the office of Mr. Mark Strout, Secretary, C/O DHS, 60 Cabot Rd., Danvers, MA, 01923.

MEETING LOCATION: People's United Bank Community Room, 7:45 AM. All are welcome to join us! (Located at 16-28 High Street) Contact Person---Mr. Mark B. Strout, Secretary, 978-777-8925 X-2215

STUDENT OF THE MONTH PROGRAM

VILLAGE AUTOMOTIVE GROUP-- "KEYS TO SUCCESS PROGRAM"

Tamara Strong—Volvo Danvers.

Members Present: Glenn Boutchie, Rick Bettencourt, Julie Maynard, Dr. Lisa Dana, Peg Sallade, Mary Beth Verry, Lily Hamel, Matt Schroeder, Gayla Bartlett, Kevin Dillon, Sharon McManus, Mary Wermers, and Mark Strout.

Minutes: Motion was made to accept the February meeting minutes and passed unanimously.

Treasury: Diane Langlais was unable to be at the meeting due to a previous commitment.

DEEP SPELLING BEE: The annual DEEP Spelling Bee will be held at the Liberty Tree Mall tonight at 6:00 pm. Teams from the Holten Richmond Middle School's 6th, 7th, and 8th grade will be competing. Gayla Bartlett will have a DEEP table set up in the Mall Food Court to promote the event and DCAT will film the event

HALL OF HONOR: Gayla Bartlett stated that Maria DiChiara was going to revise the Hall of Honor *NOMINATION* form for next year, and to make sure that we could put it on the DEEP website, www.supportdeep.org.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS: Mark Strout requested the board to consider reinstating the Community Service Awards. These awards were given to community members, who distinguished themselves throughout the year, by being of assistance to the goals and programs of DEEP. President Gayla Bartlett asked that members bring forward names of the possible recipients to the next DEEP meeting. Those honored, will be asked to appear at the June 9th School Committee meeting for awards presentation.

DEEP TEACHER GRANT PROGRAM: Mark Strout stated that he electronically sent out the DEEP Teacher Grant applications. He stated that individuals could apply for up to \$500, or MORE if people apply as a GROUP. The purpose of the DEEP Teacher Grant Program is to fund *innovative* curriculum within the classroom. The **DEADLINE** for submission of grants is *Thursday, April 17th*, the day before spring vacation. All applications must be submitted via "hard copy" to the office of Mr. Mark Strout, C/O Danvers High School, 60 Cabot Road, Danvers, MA, 01923.

PLEASE consider becoming a DEEP family member for only **\$20**. Teachers have a discounted rate of only **\$10** annually, which is tax deductible. It is a great way to support a true civic/business/school collaborative effort to bring about excellence in our schools! Purchase your auditorium chair on the DEEP website: www.supportdeep.org

Next meeting is **April 9, 2014!** We meet at the Peoples United Bank Community Room at 16-28 High Street at **7:45 AM**. Meetings guaranteed to last no longer than 1 hour.

Respectfully submitted,
Mark Strout, Secretary