

**Vergennes Union Middle and High School
Commodore Parent Group Meeting
May 13, 2015 - 6:30 pm**

1. Call to Order Jay Stetzel
2. Brief Recap (minutes)
3. Administrative Update Stephanie Taylor/Jay Stetzel

Other Business:

Title 1 Presentation: Margo Grace and Meghan Olson came to explain how Title 1 funds will be used at the VUHS middle school next year and how the Title 1 program operates in general; the group was asked for feedback as to how to strengthen the partnership between the school and families

Rummage Sale - recap:

Grant Requests: Enrichment Grant Application - \$400 for Justin Gay and Sarah Thompson to take 2 Biology I classes to the LaPlatte River in Shelburne to help plant trees and remove invasive species. Group decided to fund this opportunity. Only question was what would happen with the gloves and shovels afterwards. Donate to the sustainability group starting on a garden project

Vote "Yes" Campaign: Kristina looked into buying signs for the next budget vote stating "Vote Yes for VUHS" that the parent group would buy; VUES parent group will support our effort to buy signs; Lynn shared that 6 parents from the VUES group would go through the voter list to see who did not vote and call those parents who did not vote last time; Other ideas - put the message out on Front Porch Forum; include more information in the e-News; Social Media; Robo-call; Stand out with signs on the day of the Vote; Get information out at Memorial Day festivities?

Next Meeting: Next Meeting - Monday June 15th 6:30 pm at Tania's house 3 Hopkins Road, Vergennes