

**Patriot Grandstand Club
Fundraising Committee Meeting Minutes
Date: January 3, 2005**

Attendance: **Tammy McGrath, Jenny Sherwood, Barney Stilphen, Barbara Christy, Anne Rowe, Lisa Mallia, Regina Garcia, Will Garcia, Phil Cleaves**

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action/Follow-up
Treasurer's Report	Barbara informed the group that our bank balance is \$3,468.22. She distributed a detailed cash receipts and disbursements report for the nine months ended December 31, 2004.	
Secretary's Report	Minutes from the August 10, 2004 meeting were previously distributed by Anne.	
FET Presentation	Scott Bartlett of FET, Inc. spoke to the group about how they run their annual fishing derby. Scott explained that the most important things are publicity, low ticket prices, and good prizes. He suggested taking pictures of sponsors in front of their businesses, and putting the pictures on the sponsor board. He said we should have three to six portable toilets, people to park cars, and people to pick up trash. He suggested that we give out as many door prizes as possible. Scott agreed to donate \$150 to the tournament.	
Ice Fishing Derby	The group reviewed draft brochures and decided to lower the ticket prices to \$5 per adult and \$1 for children twelve and under, with a \$15 family maximum. The group also decided to change first prize from \$125 to an ice auger, second prize from \$75 to \$150, third prize from \$50 to \$100, and the junior prize from a gift certificate to \$50 cash. (At a later date, first prize was changed to an LL Bean three-person ice shelter.) We will edit the brochure to say where tickets are available, and will also add a map. Anne will print brochures, posters, and tickets. Anne will also mail brochures to last year's participants and to all our football families.	Lisa will find out the price of ice augers at LL Bean.
New Fundraising Ideas	Discussion postponed to the next meeting.	
Next Meeting	The next Fundraising Committee meeting will be Monday, January 31, 2005 at 6:30 in the high school library.	