



Port Angeles High School  
School Improvement Team  
Minutes  
May 17, 2010  
Room 115



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Present: Cecilia Jacobs, Michelle Ahrens, Bernie Brabant, Diana Tschimperle, Tom Swanson, Jeff Clark and Bev Eisele.

Minutes from the May 3 meeting were accepted.

**Parking at graduation** will be restructured to run more efficiently. For large events in the gym people tend to park on the service road. In the event of an emergency this would be a difficult situation for emergency responders. NJROTC will have students available at graduation to assist parents. We will send out a press release to inform students and parents.

**The pros and cons of arena scheduling vs. student led conferences** were discussed. Arena conferencing concerns are privacy issues and the time allowed to meet with the teacher. Student led conferences hold the students accountable. Sit is not in favor of arena conferencing and would like to explore other options.

**Scholarship Night** is Tuesday, May 18, 2010. There are 114 students receiving a scholarship out of 133 students who turned in a notebook. The number of donors is 145. Local money totals \$274,457.00. The total number of local money, outside money, and 4 year renewable college money is 1,505,260.00.

**After school make-up time** will begin June 1 in the library. Students in need of making up homework may go to the library and get teacher help from 2:40-3:40. More information later.

Michelle Ahrens suggested an event, Lip Dib is one example, that includes the whole school may be a good idea for a spring "spirit week." Jeff Clark also mentioned having a "Seven Arts Week." Many good ideas were shared.

In previous years, students have displayed their artwork in the county commissioner's courtroom. Recently, Brent Basden took office after Bill Knebes retired and Michelle mentioned Mr. Basden would like to display student's artwork in his courtroom as well.