



Lee Sustainability Advisory Committee Meeting
APPROVED Minutes March 12, 2019 3:15 PM
Oyster River High School L-150

This is the third meeting of a task force planning the event:

Sustainability Community Suppa' and Expo at ORHS, April 22, 2020, 5-8pm.

LSC is joining with ORCSD groups, town groups and UNH to make an Earth Day community dinner and expo.

This was also an announced public meeting of the LSC as a quorum of LSC members were present and planning to participate in the meeting.

LSC Members present: Paul Gasowski (chair), Chuck Cox, Dean Rubine

LSC Members absent: Jennifer Messeder

Public Present: The public here are the other members of the task force who attended:

Maggie Morrison, ORCSD Sustainability Coordinator
Jon Bromley, ORHS Sustainability Club Advisor and Science Teacher
Jonathan Gagne, STARS Project Fellow, Sustainability Institute, UNH
Kay Morgan, Seacoast Peace Academy, Former ORHS teacher
Nine students, names omitted, ORHS Sustainability Club

I. Call to Order 3:20pm

II. Preliminary Actions

A. Introductions N/A

B. Approval of Agenda

Approved by group

III. Public Comments

N/A

IV. Discussion Items/Updates

A. Review menu with group

Edits: Options 2. Take out green beans, peas, add squash

Options 2 & 3: meat option, beef stew

Paul: Jean Nelson said there's money to subsidize dinner

Maggie: If we have to cancel, April 10 is the last day

B. Layout Discussion

Tables are 3'x 3', 100 available. 35 8' folding tables & chairs available. We need to reserve ASAP if we need these.

Jon: Have the food in the middle, dividing dining from exhibits

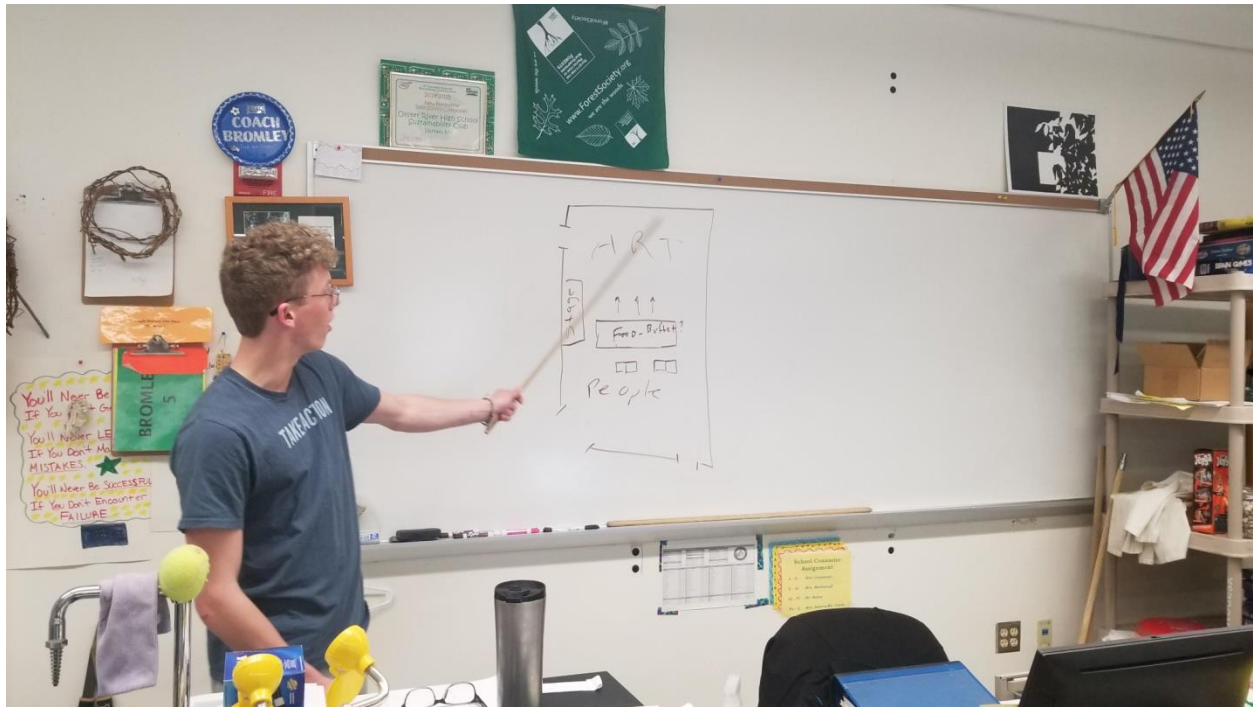
Power outlets: three along the vending machines wall, three along hall side, one net connection too.

Q: Is a buffet or island possible with condiments

MM: Sit down and get served?

Dean: Many events have the exhibits along the walls

Student: For sports banquets they put the food along the wall near kitchen



C. Participant Spreadsheet

Kay: add Wagon Hill Garden Cmte, Kay will invite

Neighbors: Blue Grass band Chuck would invite

Chuck: Ryan Thompson – maybe, Lamprey River band, Emily & Peter, not committed yet.

Chuck talked with two libraries

Table for the ORHS Sust Club to exhibit? JB says no

Student (Marion): Other speakers? Father knows Ron Boucher, Paul College, UNH, Prof. of Culinary arts, might be interesting, talk about food.

MM: ORHS Sust no table. Talk during dinner. PTO parents may have a table.

JB: Important to recognize people who contribute, make clear to everyone that things are happening in Oyster River.

PG: ORHS Sust wants table

Brenda: Swap shops, yes.

Dean: Include warning with exhibitor invite to respond soon because space is limited.

Table space for vendors who supply dinners?

Business: Seven Rivers Paddling

MM: remove NEMO, high end camping gear, committed to sustainability. Don't invite yet.

Artists and Artisans.

Chuck: Can we get writing about sustainability?

KM: Ms. Kara Sullivan working on land journaling. Share research.

Jack: Make art out of sustainable or recycled materials. Change curriculum to match current times. Reuse clay.

JB: Sust Club needs a mentor(?), punch list, Kara Sullivan, Ms. Rose. JB: I'll do that, get in a room with teachers.

Nina Fox Herlihy wife of Alex Herlihy does art with found objects

Emma: Kara Sullivan

KM: It would be great if clay is involved – Durham has a history of clay.

Brenda will talk to Ms. Best re NHS volunteers. Bussing, serving, hosting, setting up, cleaning up, helping artists and exhibitors. We're hoping for 24 volunteers in the 3:30-9 pm time frame.

MM: Let's try to keep it simple this year.

PG: Letter

JB: One band

PG: Poetry?

Let's invite Barrington for all the town related stuff just like we did the three Oyster River towns. There's a conservation group in Barrington that would be a good fit.

Chuck: We forgot to mention sustainability and the name of the event in the invitation letter

Kay: People think about grant money

Produce a big poster to represent the ORCSD sustainability audit work

Follow lead of school district re corona virus re future meetings, event itself.

PG: Plan everything, if we're deferred we're ready

JB: Audit

JB: Overarching theme, the New Normal.

V. Closing Actions

A. Agenda Planning – leave to Paul

Next meeting 3/20/2020 3:15pm ORHS L-150

VI. Adjournment

4:05 pm

