CONCORD CARLISLE COMMUNITY EDUCATION BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY - FEB. 16, 2018

Members present: John, Ron, Christine, Marla, Demi, Jill, Kristin

DATES OF FUTURE EVENTS TO BE AWARE OF:

Wed., March 7 – True Islam (Understanding Our Community) – First Parish Church Breakfast provided but need to register – FREE

Tuesday, April 3 – 7pm @ CCHS – Conversations in a Civil Society: Agreeing to Disagree – Tickets \$10. In advance/\$15. @ the door

**** Would be wonderful to have a full representation of the Board at both these events. Your help will particularly be needed the night of the Forum in April.

MINUTES FROM THE MEETING:

Registrations are on target for courses and our budget healthy. The spring/summer catalog is at the printer and will be mailed March 12th.

A composite of new summer music classes are being offered.

Gleason Library in Carlisle will be home for one of our courses this spring and the hope is to have them offer 1-2 courses per semester going forward.

Bookshop Window: Will be set up Feb. 26th at 10 am – Marla, Jill, Stephanie collaborating on this. Ron will assist the take-down March 5th @ 9:30 am.

Jill submitted an Annual Report to both the School Comm. and the Town.

Jill submitted grant request for \$15,000. to cover scholarships to Comm. Chest.

SPRING FORUM: Advertising begins next week

The CCHS Black Box Theater, Learning Commons and Auditorium are all on hold for this event depending on our #'s.

Christine will organize CCTV

Ron – will check with the library re: outside advertising

Demi – will spread materials to faith communities

Jill – Newbury Ct., Council on Aging, League of Women Voters, teachers at CCHS, Middle Schools, private schools in town, Middlesex Comm. College, School Comm. members and other organizations.

*** Any Board members have suggestions for advertising contact Jill.

Board decided the most appropriate Follow-Up venue for the Forum was to set up a blog w/opportunity for attendees to respond to. Blog would be up and running for about a week after the event.

NEW EVENT TO CONSIDER FOR THE FALL

Board member- Marla brought to the Board's attention the opportunity to host a program in the Fall (Nov. 7, 2018). It's called: DEFAMATION by Todd Logan –Race, Religion and Class Collide in a Courtroom Drama.

(www.defamation/theplay.com) 2 hour presentation - \$5700. Pricetag

Board determined we should solicit sponsors to help defray expenses.

ASSIGNMENT FOR ALL BOARD MEMBERS: Please bring a list of potential sponsors for the Board to consider approaching for this event.

NEXT BOARD MEETING: Friday, March 16, 2018-Ripley Bldg. Conference Room

Respectfully submitted – Demi Ayres (Chair)