<u>In attendance</u>: Catherine Briggs, Tom Lynd, Gwen Vandenburgh, Marcia Miller, Lisa Scott, Helen Tyler, Eleanore Ralston, Steve Rix, Tina Rix and Dan Evans.

Welcome: Catherine Briggs opened the meeting at 6:35 P.M.

<u>Introductions</u>: Everyone introduced themselves as we had new members.

Approval of Minutes:

The minutes of the February 15, 2012 PTSA/SAC meeting were approved.

Treasurer Report:

Current Balance: \$858.43

New Business:

Lisa Scott reported on the Senior Party (June 1st, 7-10 PM).

There was a discussion about the T-shirts.

There are barely adequate funds to purchase the shirts.

Several logos for the shirts were distributed.

A sign-up sheet was circulated for volunteers to help with the party.

It was discussed if a fund raiser could be held for the Senior Party. It was decided that it was too late for a fund raiser.

Membership:

We have one new member.

Old Business:

There was a discussion regarding Dixie T-shirts (not to be confused with the Senior Party T-shirts)

The potential cost of the shirts was discussed. Dr. Evans stated that it may be possible to obtain a loan from school funds to get the project started.

It was decided that this should be a PTSA project.

A meeting with the school bookkeeper will be scheduled in the near future to discuss this subject.

It may be possible to have the shirts printed in-house.

The PTSA Meeting was adjourned and the SAC meeting was convened at 7:25 PM

Dr. Evans reported as follows:

There are School Improvement funds available. (\$5,068.83)

Dr. Evans agreed to have a process in place for recommendations to SAC by the next meeting.

There will be changes in the way school grades are to be determined.

GED certificates will no longer count toward the graduation rate.

Special Ed students will now be counted toward the graduation rate.

The percentage of students taking/passing standardized testing will now include all students.

Dr. Evans anticipates these changes will cause a lower score for all High Schools. He feels confident Dixie will retain a C grade.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 PM.

Next meeting: Tuesday, April 10, 2012 at 6:30 PM.