

**SPEDPAC Meeting Minutes**  
**September 14, 2011**

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- 1) Greeting/welcome/introduction of new members
- 2) Review of last year's accomplishments (fundraising, workshops)
- 3) Discussion of school district needs/interactions/funding requests over past year
- 4) Ideas/suggestions for workshops, trainings, focus areas in 2011-2012:
  - a. iPad Training: PM to further explore training options, finalize trainer
  - b. SPEDPAC presence at Beep Open House on 9/22: LG to contact Chris Lassonde to set up
  - c. Race to Nowhere film screening: LG to investigate
  - d. Laconia Institute film screening: SZ to forward her preliminary research info to PM to review while visiting Laconia this weekend
  - e. Teresa Bolick: PM to research new topics (SPEDPAC held a very successful Executive Functioning event with Teresa several years ago) and contact Teresa to check interest and availability
  - f. Social Bridges: VD/PM to contact for potential workshop to discuss their services
  - g. Social Skills classes for Girls: Next steps TBD
  - h. Legislative updates: PM to discuss with Moore Center contact
  - i. Moore Center presentation (need to more narrowly focus than last time as they presented an overwhelmingly large amount of info!): PM
  - j. Siblings of special needs children workshops: Next steps TBD
- 5) Suggestions/next steps for engagement with school district during upcoming school year:
  - a. Attempt further follow-up with Kathy Conlin on SPED iPad funding request (SPEDPAC needs to understand where iPads will be placed, for what specific purpose, etc. before distributing any funds): PM/LG
  - b. Request meeting with Molly at RBS to discuss ideas for how we can partner with both Integration and school district in upcoming year: LG/PM