



Delaware Nepali Society

Executive Committee

Meeting Minutes

Meeting	Ad hoc - Executive Committee Meeting		
Date	09/29/2025	Location: Virtual	
Attendees	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rabi Khanal (President) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pramila Subedi (Vice-President) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bal Nepal (Secretary) <input type="checkbox"/> Gokarna Chalise (Joint-Secretary) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Santosh Kadel (Treasurer) <input type="checkbox"/> Aagya Adhikari (DVNP) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ram Khanal (DVNP) <input type="checkbox"/> Jonish Khanal (Sports and Recreation) <input type="checkbox"/> Aurash Tiwari (Sports and Recreation) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dinesh Neupane (Events and Culture) <input type="checkbox"/> Hum Lal Bhandari (Events and Culture) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sanjay Gupta Sagar (Professional Development and Communication) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prerana Khatiwada (Professional Development and Communication)		
Topic	Discussion and Conclusions	Actions & Follow-Up	Pending/Resolved
Movie day	<p>To bring a fresh twist to our festive celebrations this year, the Board of Directors (BOD) has decided to host a movie day instead of the usual party during the Dashain/Tihar season. This change was also suggested by several members of our community, and we're excited to try something a little different!</p> <p>The date and venue (movie theater) will be finalized based on venue availability. However, we are prioritizing the following dates: October 18 or 19. If those dates are unavailable, the backup options will be: November 1 or 2</p> <p>After reviewing a few recent Nepali movie suggestions — such as <i>Gunyo Cholo</i>, <i>Maitighar</i>, <i>Dukhi Aatma</i>, <i>Magne Raja</i>, and <i>Hari Bahadur Ko Jutta</i> — the BOD has chosen Hari Bahadur Ko Jutta for the screening. Since many of our children who were born or raised in the U.S. will be attending, we felt that a fun-filled, lighthearted movie would be more enjoyable than one with a heavy sentimental or philosophical theme.</p>	Action required	



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Entry Fees:

- FREE for all DNS lifetime and term members
- \$15 per person for non-members
- FREE for all children <18 years old

Donations & Acknowledgements

While we already have a donation format outlined in our previous meeting (refer to the May 14, 2025, meeting minutes), the BOD has agreed to gratefully accept donations from any organizations interested in this event. As a token of appreciation, all donors will be acknowledged, and their logos/company names will be featured on the official Movie flyer.

Registration & Movie Flyer

Once the date and venue are finalized, Prerana Khatiwada will prepare the event flyer and create a registration form on the DNS homepage to facilitate community sign-ups and event details.

Kids Volunteering

At the movie theater, interested kids will have the opportunity to volunteer by helping cross-check and validate online registrations against attendees present at the venue.

Action:

Rabi Khanal – will finalize the venue.



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	Dinesh Neupane – will reach out to the distributor to confirm how they can provide the movie (e.g., via pen drive or disk).		
Cookware Reimbursement	<p>During several DNS and privately hosted events, we had the pleasure of enjoying freshly prepared Nepali food through onsite cooking. For these occasions, both DNS-owned and personally-owned pots and pans were used.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To acknowledge the wear and tear of personal cookware used during DNS events, the DNS will reimburse \$111.99 to cover the cost associated with the use of a community member’s personal pot. <p>Action: Santosh Kadel will reimburse \$111.99.</p>	Action required	
Moment of Silence to Honor Lives Lost	In a heartfelt tribute, we observed a moment of silence during the meeting to honor the memory of Chet Gautam’s relative and all those who lost their lives during the Gen Z protest in Nepal. Our thoughts remain with the families and communities affected by this tragedy.		

Recorded By: Bal Nepal, DNS Secretary