

State College Music Boosters Meeting  
April 17, 2019  
7 pm  
B050, State High

Attending:

Paul Leskowicz  
Hyeseon Kim  
Janie Schaumburg  
Toni Irvin  
Jim Henderson  
Heather Bodenschatz  
Elizabeth Bagley  
Kristen Lenze  
Carene Olsson  
Jeanette Condo  
Suzanne Neely

### **Introductions.**

#### **Officer Reports**

- President's Report: Suzanne mentioned Elijah performance with the Choral Society was soon, invited all to attend.
- Vice President's Report: Janie had no report.
- Secretary's Report: the minutes for the March 2019 meeting were approved.
- Treasurer's Report: Jim reported no activity in the past 3 weeks since the last meeting, the Ecwid account will be coming up as an expense for one month with the use of the service for the Music Formal ticket sales.

#### **Music Director's Report:**

- PMEA All States were fantastic, All State and All East events were incredible and included a private concert for the students by the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra.
- Adjudication in NYC was last week, still recovering! State high always does well in all categories and performs at a very high level, congrats to all.
- There are 5 weeks of non-stop concerts coming up!
- Piano fundraising project – the Boosters may want to think about a donation to this fund alongside other groups the school will be reaching out to for the funding of two pianos for the new space. This will be a large effort of the district to fund the 6' and 9' Steinway pianos. The District will be through donors, sponsors, and a capital campaign and collaboration with the Education Foundation. Piano will be on display for the choir concert on April 24<sup>th</sup>.
- There has been no official vote for the Memorial Field project or the lights on the south field.
- No update on the coordinator role either.

## **Tri-M Report:**

Lizzie Bagley (President)

- Music In Our Schools month went well. People were happy with the locations and there were no complaints about the sound. Spreading out was helpful.
- Tri-M board sent the physical artwork copy of the Music Formal team for printing on the tickets.
- Tri-M will be selling Music formal tickets at lunch starting on the M-F before the dance. Tri-M students can help sell tickets at concerts as well.
- Elections for Tri-M board are next month.
- Tri-M is going to pick up Adjudication trophies to take to the School Board meeting to say 'thank you' on May 6<sup>th</sup>.

## **Updates on New Business**

Family Fun Night

- Additional conversation regarding the event as a culmination of Marching Band Camp.
- Potentially music teachers in the district will help as well?
- Make sure it features not just band but vocal, orchestra and middle schools as well.
- There is potential for Tri-M students to run any events/games.
- Possibly after dinner so we don't have to do as much with food/dinner but more like carnival type snacks.
- We will ask for a thorough budget for the event.

Middle Level Music Review Committee--

- There is an open forum community meeting on 4/23 in the MNMS cafeteria at 7-8:0 pm.
- Austin would be happy to have any parents there to speak and show support, Hyeseon Kim may be able to attend.

## **Updates on Current Business**

Centre Gives

- Kim has print outs for advertising to have at the tables at concerts. Centre Gives is May 7&8.
- Kim will put a promo on Facebook as well.

Committee Chairs needed

- Suzanne noted that we still need a school Board committee chair as well as other chairs, as noted in the list.
- Hyeseon Kim took the Membership Chair for next year.
- Restaurants and Social Media are still open.

### Holiday Bazaar

- Discussion about the potential for the Barnes and Noble event to turn into the Holiday Bazaar event, planning now for what may occur this fall/winter.
- Feature music groups like B&N and invite other groups in the district to perform as well.
- We could reach out to other clubs and school groups to sell at the event.
- We can sell tables as a fundraiser to holiday craft vendors in the area.
- This could be another attempt to involve the elementary schools and middle schools as well.
- Roar store could be open as well.
- We may want to reachout to PFMS, they did something like this not long ago.
- Kim asked if we needed a food service permit? We will need to look into that.

### Elementary Ensembles Action Committee

- Admin meeting with 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> grades teachers is coming up, kind of in a holding pattern, but still in process.
- Admin is trying to be creative and solve problems but there are no outcomes yet, discussion may be on the April 22nd agenda.

### Music Formal

- Toni will be sending a Sign Up Genius for set up on Friday and chaperones and clean up on Saturday.
- 5 pm Friday for set up and clean up Saturday will be 10:30 -11:30 pm.

### **Adjournment.**

Minutes prepared by Janie Schaumburg

Next meeting Monday May 13 at 7 pm.