

State College Area School District Music Boosters Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, February 26, 2020 at 7:00 PM

Call to Order 7:00pm

SCAHS Room B050, Main Office Conference Room

Attending:

Janie Schaumburg

Terra Deyo

Debbie Anderson

Angie Hardyk

Alicia McDyre

Molly McAninch

Jim Henderson

Cathy Cohan

Paul Leskowicz

Introductions

Officer Reports:

a. President: Thanks to Angie Hardyk and Suzanne Neely for their help with the African American Music Festival luncheon. Thank you to Maureen Jones and Suzanne for PMEA Orchestra snacks for students and directors

b. Vice President: NA

c. Secretary: Corrections and approval of January 2020 meeting minutes, motion to approve by Angie Hardyk, second by Alicia McDyre, unanimously approved.

d. Treasurer: February - no expenses, Marching Band income from Band Shack \$331; New system for receipts - Request for Funds or Request for Reimbursement Forms need to accompany receipts; Deposits need to be counted and documented on form before handing money to Treasurer; will send forms to Jeanette Condo to put on website; deposited all Carter Freije-related checks into Music Boosters account; that money is in checking account for the time being

Music Coordinator's Report: Thank you to Angie Hardyk for helping with check-in as Medical Director for PMEA District Orchestra and Leigh Hurtz for helping with the Summer Youth Fair.

Tri-M Report: NA

Updates on Current Business:

a. Uniform Bag Purchases - Suzanne Neely - looking for a local company, since she's not being able to reach the California company that made the samples

b. Carter Freije Fund - \$4,296.00 deposited thus far; returned check to donor because it was written out to wrong organization - asked for a new check to be issued; Marsha Freije would like some guidance from Paul Leskowicz on how to use the Fund

New Business:

a. Committee Notes Request from Board - send email to coordinators requesting this information for successors

b. The Greek Restaurant Fundraiser - Katherine from the Greek reached out to have us hold Restaurant Night in April; need someone to head up the organizing and advertising; Terra will email all Boosters to ask for a volunteer

c. Membership Fee Discussion - bylaws state that we need to have a fee for members; suggestion made to include magnet with membership; need to communicate better what it is that Music Boosters does and let people know how they benefit; perhaps a letter could go out to music families asking what they want to volunteer for, or if they prefer not to volunteer, how much would they like to donate; different amount for different school levels, i.e. \$5 elementary, \$10 middle, \$20 high school; Paul suggested recognizing Booster families at concerts; should have Boosters table at every concert, in future add volunteer for that to the Sign-up Genius; add more Music Boosters info to the concert programs, even QR code that takes people to sign-up application

Committee Reports:

- *Music Teacher Appreciation* - Alicia McDyre / Christine Stangel - 5 open slots, 3 donors, so really only 2 open slots; we have runners for people who can't deliver their gifts; will send reminder email in beginning of March
- *Music Formal* - Toni Irvin/Angie Hardyk - May 30th; going to keep everyone upstairs, rather than letting them wander downstairs; food outside Performance Hall; working on decorations; SCASD Catering all set
- *Senior Gifts* - Leigh Hurtz - working on it
- *Centre Gives* - Hyeseon Kim - they're reviewing our application
- *Concert Refreshments*
SCAHS - Heather Bodenschatz (HS coordinator)/Angie Hardyk will do this for 2020-2021; MNMS - Libby Snyder; PFMS - Kristina Helmerich
- *Restaurant Fundraising* - **OPEN**

New Funding/Support Requests:

- a. Steinway Piano donation discussion - No Update from Mr. Clayton
- b. Debbie Anderson moved to reimburse Angie Hardyk \$117.84 for cookies for the African American Music Festival, Janie Schaumburg seconded; approved unanimously

Updates on Past Business:

- Students took Middle Level Review survey. Faculty and Parent surveys to come.
- Advocacy Chair - We will request that Darlene Nordoff go to Borough meetings negotiating agreement about the usage of the lights.

- Marching Band survey - Dr. O'Donnell asked if we could have Marching Band rehearsals at different times possibly; 60% of students who responded have something after school on M&W, which is ~25% of the band

Adjournment at 8:18pm

On the Calendar :

February 27 - 29 PMEA Regional Chorus

March 12-14 - PMEA Regional Orchestra

March 17 - State College Jazz Festival

March 26-28 - PMEA Regional Band

April 2-5 - Les Misérables at SCAHS

April 3 - ChorusFest for elementary

Next Music Boosters Business Meeting : March 25th, 2020