

CHS OOMPAH MUSIC BOOSTER MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, March 16, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 by Peggy Sorenson, OOMPAH president. There were 13 total attendees.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: (Christy Worthman)

- The minutes from the February 16, 2017, meeting were presented and approved with corrections.

TREASURER'S REPORT: (Michelle Rasmussen)

- The March 2017 report budget was presented and approved. Michelle noted that students received \$15 per Cabaret ticket sold in their individual student accounts. Approximately, ½ of the students going to Boston have not fully paid for the trip, but no final payment is due because the final invoice is pending from the travel company. Students who already paid in full will be reimbursed for any overpayment or billed for outstanding amounts based on the final invoice.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **CABARET (Kim Fennington):** Cabaret was another big success! All accounts/final payments have been made.
- **PAPA JOHN'S FUNDRAISER:** All outstanding cards have been returned.

TEACHERS' REPORTS:

- Ms. Kurtz—
 - Bella Voce attended a workshop and performed at the University of Maryland in February.
 - Chamber Singers and Bella Voce performed at the Montgomery County festival today and received a score of all 1's which qualifies them for the State festival at Morgan State University in April. At an earlier County festival, Treble Singers also qualified for the State festival. The Concert Choir also received a very good score of 89 at the County festival.
 - Requested and received approval to pay \$200 to an accompanist for 2 rehearsals and festival performance.
- Mr. Orifici—
 - Instrumental festival canceled because of snow. New date didn't work with student schedules so Mr. Orifici exploring whether a college professor could come to CHS and provide performance feedback to students.
 - We will have an update on estimated CHS class size and staffing for the 2017-2018 school year at the April OOMPAH meeting.
 - Boston Trip—Travel company is arranging for 12 extra students to take the train to Boston with Mrs. Kurtz because the buses are full. The final trip invoice will incorporate this cost, which will be shared by all students going on the trip. Under a new requirement, all chaperones must take an online training course and be fingerprinted one-month before the trip. There will be a final parent meeting for the trip at CHS on April 18 at 6 pm. All forms and medications will be collected at this meeting.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT (Peggy Sorenson):

- Peggy asked that Board and Committee chairs consider their positions and fundraisers before the next OOMPAH meeting. The slate of officers and fundraisers for the next school year will be discussed at April's meeting. OOMPAH Board elections will be held at the May meeting. Several Board and fundraiser positions will be available for the 2017-2018 school year.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned by Peggy Sorenson at 7:40 pm.

NEXT MEETING: April 18, 2017, 7 pm (after parent meeting for Boston trip)