



Music Mentors Minutes



January 6, 2021

Meeting was called to order at 7:01 p.m.

Roll call of Executive Board and Committee chairpersons was completed.

No pertinent minutes from November meeting (December meeting was cancelled), no approval needed for the minutes.

Present: Mr. Poremba, Mr. McMurtrie, Angie Arslanian, Shelia Kaifesh, Kary Vogel, Carol Gommel, Meredith Everett, Ryan Marquis, Kim Bednarski, Jason Bednarski,

Absent: Debbie Dittebrand, Amy Freeman, Mrs. Karchefsky

Members Present : Michael Siskind

Treasurer's Report: Debbie Absent – Angie reporting. No major income nor expenses for the past couple months. A couple of Tag Day donations have come in, please continue to share the Tag Day information.

Directors Report:

Mr. Steve Poremba:

- Happy 2021!
- Staff and students working on a virtual performance project
- All other events on hold, we will be continuing on in the hybrid model for the time being, we will announce when there a changes made to the program (keeping hope for in person concerts in the spring)
- Solo & Ensemble and OMEA large group event will be converted to virtual events for this year
- Audio and technology equipment was purchased for the music departments through the MBOE budgets for the music department to assist with virtual learning
- Expressed how nice the new Music wing is and wishes that all of us could see it. IF you would like, please express your thanks to Mr. Porter and Mr. Crowe for all they have done for the music department for this renovation

Mr. Ben McMurtrie:

- Happy 2021

Mrs. Beth Karchefsky: Absent

President's Report: (Angie Arslanian):

- Happy 2021

- Information for Online Tag Day has been sent out, please continue to spread the word. This will remain open indefinitely for now

1st Vice President (Amy Freeman): ABS

2nd Vice President (Sheila Kaifesh): No report

Secretary (Kary Vogel):

- Panda Express Fundraiser is Friday, January 8th. Information has been sent out.

Uniforms: (Carol Gommel): No report

Hospitality (Meredith Everett): No report

Chaperones: (Colleen Beck): ABS

Website: (Ryan Marquis): Posted what he could to get tag day button started

Scholarship: (Kim Bednarski): **What** are we doing for scholarships? Angie will have more info in February

Service: (Jason Bednarski): No report

50/50 Raffle: (Matt Armstrong): ABS

Old Business: Nothing

New Business:

Carol Gommel – Are we doing Disney next year? Mr. Poremba will talk to travel agencies and school district later in this year to make a determination

Mr. Poremba – New music wing is so nice. Would be great for everyone to thank Mr. Porter and Mr. Crowe

First motion: Kim Bednarski Second Motion: Diane Gorbey

Meeting ended: 7:26