

RHAM MS / HS Music Booster Meeting Minutes

June 6, 2023

Meeting Called to order: 6:48 PM by Amy Harvill

In Attendance:

Amy Harvill, Ken Harvill, Paula King, Jeff Hooker, Anne Hooker, Marcelle Groves, Jennichelle Oatman, Brenda Bula, Kerrie Verrastro, Bailey McKiernan, Nick Kokus, Tracey Garbarino, Deb Fitzsimmons, Kathryn Assunto.

Secretary's Report:

Review of secretary's report given. Motion to approve with adjustment in amount cited for the Lion King field trip. Nick motioned to approve, Deb seconded. Minutes approved and on file.

Directors Updates:

HS Band-

Thank you for assistance with the Memorial Day parade and EOTA. Both events went smoothly. Graduation and finals will close out the year.

MS Band-

Thank you for assistance with Memorial Day and the spring concert. Lion King was a good experience for the kids. MS Jazz band performed at the Inquiry award ceremony.

MS and HS Choruses-

Thank you for assistance at EOTA. The addition of a volunteer coordinator was a positive.

Technology and Tri Music-

No news to report this month.

Treasurer's Report:

EOTA is not in the May report and will be included in the YTD expenses. Net revenue of \$2316.42 obtained from ETOA and will be split with the Art Department. Nick motioned to approve, Amy seconded. Report on file.

Booster Business-

Review of EOTA included the following observations and ideas for next year-

1. Have some chairs with backs for patrons who are handicapped, or have mobility issues. Perhaps reserving them for these patrons.
2. Clarify suggested contribution with a sign. Rham students and seniors are free.
3. We moved concessions purchased from earlier in the year to EOTA. This made it difficult to break out expense vs revenue for this item.
4. Continue tradition of buying shirts for incoming freshman.
5. Do not purchase any more coffee cups. 40 cups sold and it was mostly caffeinated. As urns are \$30 to rent, we may be able to alter this for next year.
6. Continue with volunteer coordinator.

Fundraising-

Lions Club offered Thursday pm and Friday for volunteer slots at Hebron Harvest Fair. This is a maybe due to school next morning and timing of Fridays slot. Devon is offering us a deal for parking and trash removal including free entrance to the fair. Trash removal will be \$12.00 per hour. Suggestions include gauging interest via Sign up Genesis. May be difficult to organize daytime Friday slots on a work/school day. Will attempt to try this with 10 kids for trash pickup. After discussion, ruled out Thursday parking commitment. Will pursue assisting with the Holiday Lights event this coming year. Thank you Marcelle for pursuing this. She will communicate with Devon our availability.

Basket Raffle needs a home for next year. Notes from this year have been organized by Deb.

We are scheduled to host ERMF in February of 2024. Will need to be proactive in planning. Dates include February 23 and 24. Snow day February 25.

Anne will continue in the role as volunteer coordinator.

Officers for next year-

President- Amy Harvill. Ken motioned to approve, Marcelle seconded.

Vice president- Paula King- Amy motioned to approve, Ken seconded

Secretary- Tracey to step down as secretary due to change in daughter's schedule. Jennichelle Oatman will assist until someone else can step in, Kerrie Verrastro offered to be a backup. This was discussed and reviewed as acceptable as it does not violate bylaws and allows the continued functioning of the position.

Treasurer- this position remains open. Directors and officers will continue to search for someone interested in this role. Until then, duties will need to be shared.

Motion made by Amy to adjourn at 7:43pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Tracey Garbarino

Secretary