

# FHHS Choir Executive Board Meeting

## Minutes

Monday, July 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Executive Board Meeting called to order 6:00p

Conducted roll call and the following were in attendance:

1. Karey Fitzpatrick
2. Abrei Draney
3. Lea Anne Callanan
4. Edward Cargill
5. Rose Reihms
6. Dawn Osman
7. Tracie Crow
8. Annie Bauer
9. Amy Koehler

### **2020 Trip**

- Cruise trip denied by the district
- Choir will travel to **New York City** 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend of spring break (TBD)
  - Performance at Carnegie with clinician
  - More details to come

### **Fundraising:**

- Shoe Drive extended
  - Have approx. 700 pairs, need 2,500
  - Let's get the word out!
- Yankee candle in the fall
  - Will help fund NYC trip for participating students
- Concessions at Family Arena
  - 7-8 parent volunteers needed each time
  - Avg. \$100/night, guaranteed \$50
- Ideas for student opportunities to earn money through choir program:
  - Parents night out at elementary school
  - Carwash

### **Board Approved to Fund the Following:**

- CLC leadership workshop August 15<sup>th</sup> at Parkway Central HS (\$30/person) 9-10 people attending
- Robe cleaning (scheduled every other year)

- Piano
  - Shoe drive will help fund a new piano for the practice room, Boosters will cover the rest
- Tracie to make payment for Charms and website

#### **Choir Robes:**

- Robes cost about \$120 per; each year a robe or two goes missing
- Discussed assigning parent volunteers for robe checkout to ensure each robe goes home with the assigned student according to number for better accountability

#### **General Choir Fees:**

- For 19-20 school year, \$50 with an additional \$50 that can be waived by volunteering a total of 6 hours (-\$25 per every 3 volunteer hours served)
- Hardship applications available

#### **Contract Night:**

- **August 19<sup>th</sup>, 6:30p**
- Mentors/Buddies for parents: opt-in offer for new choir parents (assign to existing parents)
- Karey to update presentation, video for NYC

#### **Singer's Choice:**

- November 21<sup>st</sup> (preview night for FHSD staff and students), 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Theme: **Puttin' on the Ritz**
  - Golden Age of Hollywood glamour
- Tickets: presale? Discussion tabled
- Lea Anne to give handout to parents on contract night outlining needs for baskets
- Committees: Need clear descriptions of raffle/basket committee for preparation (i.e. gathering items/donations)

#### **Misc.**

- Website through FHHS Activities page
- Edward to include link of meeting minutes for parents
- Reviewed Board/Parent meeting dates

#### **Important Upcoming Dates:**

- **Contract Night Monday, August 19<sup>th</sup>**
  - Board members meet at **5:45p**, parent meeting **6:30p**
- **Fall Concert October 3<sup>rd</sup>**
- **Metro 8 Audition October 12<sup>th</sup>**
  - *All honors students required to audition this year*
  - **Singer's Choice November 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>**
- Next Scheduled Meeting:

**Monday, August 19<sup>th</sup>, 5:45p (Executive Board) 6:30p Contract Night**

Meeting Adjourned: 8:10p

Submitted by: Annie Bauer