

Plymouth High School – Fine Arts Boosters
Monday, November 7, 2022 – Approved Minutes

Attendance: Laura Lorwick, Amanda Smith, Cody Wisman, Amy Hamer, Billie Rau, Trudy Cohn, Wendy Orth, Tammy Anhalt, Denise Olsen, Caren & Mark Johnson, Lori and Steven Crumley, Shawna Halle, Jack Colombo, Ryan Krippendorf, Beth & Mike Artery

Call to Order: This meeting was called to order by Mike Artery at 6:34pm

Secretary's Report: Review and approval of meeting minutes from December 6, 2021 and September 19, 2022. Approval of both: Motion – Caren Johnson, Second – Steven Crumley.

Treasurer's Report: Question about PHS Copier Contract. It was determined that FAB should be paying the monthly contract based on the Boosters previous agreement.

Teacher's Reports:

- A. **Amanda Smith** – New spotlights to be arriving soon. Fall concert was a big success. Winter concert coming up on December 19, 2022. Mistletones are up and running, with 6 performances already booked. Musical will be announced the week of November 14th. Applied for a grant for LED lights for the auditorium. Had conversation with Joe Brandl and Dan Mella regarding the choir risers. Was told to add it to the Choir budget for next year.
- B. **Allison Schwartz** – Unable to attend. Per Jack Colombo – Jolly Pranksters had their first show.
- C. **Jack Colombo** – Fall Play wrapped and was a successful show. One Act Play qualified for State and will have a “free rehearsal” on November 17th for family and friends.
- D. **Ryan Krippendorf** – Had a student receive a large scholarship to continue her art education in college. Art room upgrades being added to next years budget, but did mention that state funding has been frozen for 3 years and Essa money will run out next year. A referendum would be needed to get larger items. Upcoming events: Youth Art Show – March, Fine Arts Alumni Show – April & Senior Show – May.
- E. **Cody Wisman** – First concert is Monday, November 14th at 7:30pm. Alumni Pep Band Night is December 22, 2022. Had a budget meeting with Joe Brandl and Dan Mella regarding needs for new procession instruments. Was told to put it in the budget for next year. Has a join show with Amanda Smith for a Veterans Day Show.
- F. **Carter Kyzyzaniak** – Unable to attend. Mike Artery read email communication from Carter explaining upcoming expenses for Momentum Show Choir. Fixed Fees – Entrance Fees, Bussing, Advertising for Wisconsin Singers Show. Variable Fees – Costuming, Makeup, Music Arrangement. Singer/Dancer and Combo fees were discussed – Singer/Dancers pay \$150 and Combo Members now pay \$50. The only money Momentum receives from the district is Carter's salary. Shawna Halle went a got Carter from his practice to give a detailed breakdown of the fees he currently knows - \$2750.00 for music arrangement & \$1200.00 for entrance fees (4 shows @ \$300 each).
 - a. Motion to approve giving \$3950.00 to Momentum Show Choir – Steve Crumley, Second – Shawna Halle. All agree – majority.

New Business:

A. Fundraising:

- a. Acuity Auditorium – Subcommittee needed to begin a campaign to raise money for needed updates and repairs. Beth Artery, Wendy Orth, Laura Lorwick and Lori Crumley volunteered. We will also include Scott Bunyea in all communication. Denise Olsen also indicated interest later. Beth will send out a group email to begin.
- b. Programs for concerts and fine arts events – Selling corporate sponsorship for program insert. Need volunteers to create a subcommittee. Will add to Old Business at next meeting.

B. Election of Officers:

- a. With no one volunteering at this time, Mike Artery will remain on the Board acting as President/Treasurer. Will add to Old Business at the next meeting.

C. Scholarships:

- a. How many? How much? Process for applying? Requirements for applying? Will add to Old Business at next meeting.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, January 10th at 5:30pm in the band room

Meeting Adjourned by Mike Artery at 8:00pm