



Minutes for January 9, 2020

Call to order: 6:31 pm

- Officers' Reports
 - President Report
 - Nothing to Report
 - Vice-President Report
 - Nothing other than Scholarship
 - Scholarship - Debbie
 - Revised application a little bit -
 - Removed transcript requirement
 - Checkboxes for organizations
 - Removed question on how will you continue with music?
 - Need 3 additional people for committee to help with selection and will need co-chairs. Will have it the directors post to their weekly newsletter to seek additional members. Laura/Directors will reach out to judges from last year to see if they want to do it again.
 - Will post on website ASAP
 - Winners will be listed a Pops Concert
 - Potential for removing the three Band, Choir Concert, Orchestra - discussion on removing that they apply to a specific 'group' - We will we leave as checkboxes so they can check all that apply.
 - Treasurer Report
 - Approximate account #'s -
 - \$90,000 in bank account
 - \$19,000 in student accounts
 - \$19,000 in general fund
 - \$30,000 in NYC trip
 - 179 names on trip list
 - \$906 in Tri-M
 - \$9,000 Middle School
 - \$4,000 in Marching Band
 - Secretary Report
 - Nothing to Report
 - Fundraising Chair
 - Spoke with Mark the coffee rep.
 - They started selling beef jerky, maybe for a spring option?
 - With the trip coming up and no one asking for more fundraisers, we are hesitant to do anything new.
 - Possible Papa John's Fundraiser again?
 - People liked it - good profit
 - If we do again, have kids pre-buy.
 - Was a good fundraiser.
 - Might shy away from because other sports teams doing
 - Suggestion on Stadium volunteers for various events - (Vicki ????)
 - Sign up and then the money is sent to the non-profit desig-nee of your choice.
 - Group is called S.A.V.E. - provide the information as a fundraising opportunity with the trip info?
 - Butterbraid/Coffee fundraiser did well.

- - Future Fundraisers for Spring 2020
 - Trip update
 - Will have a meeting before for meeting chaperones, \$ to bring, etc.
 - 3 separate buses, leaving at different times will bring the students to their flights
 - Will find out flight schedules in about 2 weeks - we will have a parent meeting after that.
 - Rootbeer Floats Sale
 - Everything is going well
 - Will be some spots open for Spring - March and May
 - Michelle will be stepping down before New York trip and Margie Sanders will be taking over - first concert in March will be Margie as coordinator.
 - Tri-M
 - Starting to think about Benefit Concert - March, Friday the 13 in the HS Auditorium
 - Billy Mcloughlin will be playing this year - money earned goes to scholarship fund
 - Symphonia will play with him for a few songs
 - He will also work with the kids
 - Kool 108 website to add to community events - June will do
 - Forest Lake Community Pages.
 - Lowdown
 - Scandia Paper
 - Lakes Area TV
 - Will want to start marketing this concert
 - Kelly will post on Social Media and the website
- Old Business
 - Director Tuxedos - Tuxes are ordered
- New Business
 - Bethel preparations - nothing to worry about at this point. - Rename as a suggestions to feature as Forest Lake Annual Concert at Bethel instead of just Bethel Concert (April 24, 2020)
 - Closer -strategies for getting the word out
 - Can we pre-sell tickets
 - Sell them online too
 - Get on Kool 108 and Community Events
 - Have 2 lines when they come in - one for already have tickets one for buy at the door.
 - Directors will let us know as we get closer.
 - Lobbying at Capitol over Spring Break - will discuss further at the February Meeting

Adjorn: 7:26 pm

Next meeting dates: All parents of Forest Lake Area Schools music students are members of FLAMB. They are invited and encouraged to attend monthly meetings on the second Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm at FLHS. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 9.

Contact the directors for any information or questions regarding the trip:

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