

THSPA Booster Club Meeting Minutes

12 DECEMBER 2018 / 4:30 PM / Conference Room

Attended:

MaryAnn Oram, Christina Merrill, Jenni Heiner, Tara Eaves, Drew Williams, Tanya Loman, Kareen Warnick, Annetta Olson, Deborah Avery, John Eaves

Welcome - MaryAnn Oram

- Beware of strange emails from MO, hacked list
- Money spending procedure is via phone only
- Vending Machine Sub List: need regulars to restock (supplies in cupboard in office)

Voting

- Approval of November 2018 meeting's minutes deferred to next month
- Increase candy prices from \$1.25 to \$1.50 TE proposed, DA seconded, motion passed
- Funds Request: CM made motion, JH seconded, all approved as written
 - UTA \$992 (Theatre)
 - SALT Dance intensive \$750 (Dance)
 - Art Production LA Trip \$500 (Art)
 - Collin Kartchner Parent Night/Assembly \$500 (school-wide)

Financial Report - Michelle Andes

- If anyone sees chocolate on sale, let Tara know so can build up budget
- Projected membership revenue was high
- Candy earnings are healthy

Board Report - Christina Merrill

- Call to action - board
- Alumni Association
- Vista/Tuacahn Connection - board meetings, etc.
- Tracking retention f/9th-10th

Admin Report - Drew Williams

- Reviewed experience with Disney's Shakespeare In Love, learning process
- Improvements: BB seating 50K Summer 2019, STEAM building (4-5 floors, state of art classroom/spaces) 4K Summer 2024, Tech Room (, Faculty Work/Collaborative Space (15K, Summer 2019)
- Arts School Network: campus tour and students showcase for 60+ students/teachers at 2020 annual ASN
- Faculty PD Opp (15K, ongoing/endowment)
- Development/Marketing (60K/year, ongoing)

STUCO

- El Cheapo Dance - 01/25, 7pm set-up 6pm, 2 parents needed 7pm-10pm, donate food (cookies, pretzels, etc) board games to be used during night just outside BB, water dispenser jugs (they'll provide water), they've got cups, napkins, plates, coordinate w/Ashley
- Pizza Pie Fundraiser - got out cards, announced several times but fundraiser didn't do well (6 people), better timing, maybe attach after performance/prom/preference

Studio/Committee Reports - past/upcoming events

Academics (Tiffany Moore) -

Ballroom/Community Council (Christine France) - 12/15 Holiday Ball 7pm, THSPA Entrada Dance Studio, formal/semi-formal attire, tickets online or at office (\$5 students, \$8 adults, \$25 family 4+)

Dance (Tanya Loman) - successful dance concert, fundraiser finishes tomorrow and it's gone well

Film/Animation (Elizabeth Boggs) - check out Vimeo account which now has content

Guitar/Band/Piano (Kareen Warnick) - Winter Exhibition 12/15 THSPA 6pm, attended class recitals which went well

Improv (Alisha Terry-Martin) - The team is working Mondays after school, prepping for competitions which will start in January. Keith says he will probably need some parent help as the time for competition gets closer. For now, he is asking for parent volunteers as chaperones when they travel to Vegas. He is planning for a couple of shows at the Electric Theatre this year (TBD). Competitions will be Saturday ins Vegas

Madrigals (Candace Hafen) - recent choir concert in Electric Theatre which sounded pretty good even if a little small, NAU conference coming up and looking for fundraisers

Musical Theatre (Tiffany McDonald) - PAC performed at STG and SLC Dickens Festival. All did exceptionally well and had a great time. Not sure if this will be an annual thing yet but both venues were very complimentary about our students, Disneyland in April

Orchestra (Michelle Andes) - also going to LA with PAC

Sound Engineering (Sadie Best) - Open Mic Night with Lyndy Butler as guest songwriter. Sadie can't make it (hosting STUCO Christmas party) and asked parents that wanted to attend to go and support.

Tech Theatre (Marci Miller) - no assistance needed right now but they'll need volunteers when musical rehearsals begin

Theatre (Michelle Hansen/Jenni Heiner) - Shakespeare In Love went really well. Working with Disney was great, tried gender swap which was effective. Got back a lot of audience feedback to forward on to Disney. Kids worked hard and did a great job.

Visual Art (Ricki Chambers) - Winter Exhibition 12/15 THSPA 6pm

Calendar Past Events

- Shakespeare in Love
- Dance Concert
- Dickens Festival, StG, SLC
- Ballroom Competition
- Choir Concert
- Pizza Pie Cafe - Booster Club General Fundraiser

Calendar Pending Events

Teacher Talent Night - Manager (Christine France?) and master of ceremonies (Ricki will help)

Calendar Upcoming Events

12/14 **Elephant Art Jam** 12:30-6:30pm, Art Studio

12/15 **Pre-Show Exhibition** by Art & Music Dept 6pm, THSPA Arts Building

Winter Exhibition 7pm THSPA dance with family/friends, appetizers, treats, hot chocolate, basket silent auction, ballroom formation team entertainment, special musical guests

Ballroom "All Wrapped Up Holiday Ball" 7:00pm, THSPA Entrada Dance Studio

12/17 **Piano Recital** 7pm-9pm, Arts Center Audio Lab
 12/18 **Minimum Day** 12:20pm Early Out
Dance Company Auditions 1pm-3:30pm
Madrigal Auditions 1pm Arts Center Musical Theatre Room
Open Mic Night
 12/19 **End of 2nd qtr** 12:20pm Early Out, Christmas Break

 01/03 **Begin of 3rd qtr**
 01/12 **Improv Competition** (Sunrise Mt.) 11am, Cheyenne (travel times 9am-5pm)
 01/26 **Improv Competition** (Mojave) 1pm, Chapparral (travel times 11am-7pm)

 02/01 **Improv Competition** (Legacy) 4pm, Legacy (travel times 4pm-11pm)
 02/04 **Improv Competition** (LVA) Assembly, THSPA
 02/07 **Parent Teacher Conference** (Treats)
 02/08 **Booster Club Movie Night** - Zathura?
 02/16 **Improv Competition** (LV HS) 2pm, Chapparral (travel times 12pm-8pm)
 02/16. Preference
 02/23 **Improv Competition** (Desert Pines) 10am, Arbor View (travel times 8am-4pm)

 03/02 **Improv Competition** (Rancho) 9am, Vegas (travel times 7am-3pm)
 Teacher Talent Show 7pm, Hafen

Recorded by Jenni Heiner