

Sycamore High School Vocal Boosters

Meeting: October 27, 2014

6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Choir Room

Attendees: Ken Holdt, Julie Miller, Sarah Carl, Dan Carl, Amy Rosenberg, Rachel Smith,
Marianne O'Leary

MINUTES

Item: Secretary Report

Presenter: Marianne

Minutes from September 22, 2014 meeting approved as submitted.

Item: Treasurer Report

Presenter: Dan

1. The ending balance of the Boosters' checking account as of September 30, 2014 is \$16,946.50;
 2. Approximately \$3,454.94 in electronic funds currently in the Paypal account will be transferred to the Boosters' checking account.
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Item: Open House

Presenter: Julie

1. Open House is November 12th from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.;
2. The Boosters will send out postcards to current 8th grade Choral students. Amy presented samples of the postcard that will be mailed. Allegra Printing will print the postcards;
3. Jackie will be in charge of a Choral Program table that will be set up in the commons at the beginning of Open House. The table will later be moved to the Choir Room;
4. *Madrigal* will sing;
5. Amy will order name tags for the Booster Board.

Item: Variety Show Results

Presenter: Ken/Julie

1. Approximately 75 Variety Show tickets were sold online; 195 tickets were sold at the door and at lunch; and 17 tickets were sold to students/choral performers;
 2. The concessions stand made approximately \$202.00;
 3. Between ticket sales and concessions, the Variety Show raised \$2,987.00 for the Choral program;
 4. Ken reported that he was very pleased with the medley performance of the choral program choirs;
 5. Amy reported that she has submitted an article to the Suburban Press regarding the Variety Show.
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Item: Website

Presenter: Ken

Each Board member has a separate email account in order for members to communicate with us through the website. Ken will set up passwords and send them to the Board members.

Item: Fundraising

Presenter: Julie

1. It was decided that the Board will not pursue additional fundraising opportunities with companies that have contacted us;
 2. The Board will need to do a Patron drive.
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Item: Upcoming Performances

Presenter: Julie/Ken

1. The Winter Concert is scheduled for December 4, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.;
 2. Julie reported that all uniforms are ready.
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Item: New Members

Presenter: Ken

Ken will send an email to Choral parents to recruit new Board members for next school year. He will send the contact information for any interested person to Julie.

Item: Choir Trip

Presenter: Ken

Jackie has looked into ideas for a small one-day choir trip, and has suggested going to Kentucky Kingdom sometime in May, 2015. Ken is working with Administration to lock in an exact date.

The next Vocal Booster meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 24, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. in the Choir Room.