



June 2, 2020 Virtual Meeting

Call to order

Jody Halley

- Meeting was called to order at 7:06 PM.

Approval of Minutes

Emily Johnson

- Meeting notes from May 2020 were compiled via email from the SMP Board and posted on the SMP website. Meeting minutes were approved and seconded.

President's Report

Jody Halley

- Thank you's:
 - To the 2019-2020 Executive Board: Dominique, Suzi, Carol, Kathy, Emily, Leanne, Karen, Michelle, Rhonda, Rebecca, and Ann.
 - To Steve and Ann Wiser for all of their IT and website work over the years.
 - To Rebecca for chairing our scholarship committee.
 - To our senior parents and students who have supported SMP.
 - To the committee chairs – thank you for all you did this year and we look forward to you continuing next year.
 - To the directors for an incredible year!
- We will be posting the awards from each group on the SMP facebook page soon.
- We are looking for the following volunteers immediately:
 - Concession volunteer coordinator
 - Tag Day Co – chair
 - Orchard and Middle school (band, choir and orchestra reps)
 - If interested in any of the above, please email president@solonmusicparents.org
- Future Dates:
 - Check out the SMP website calendar for future SMP dates.
 - Meetings will be the first Monday of the month unless there is a school conflict.
 - Save the date Band Bash – Sept 12th at 7pm and Tag Day - Sept 26th in the morning both events will involve all groups (students and parents) volunteering at the event.
- Friends of SMP
 - \$20 supports additional programming and scholarships that Solon Music Parents are able to offer to our students.

Vice President of Purchasing

Dominique Belcher

- I have created a list of all the vendors that we used this year.

Vice President of Communication

Suzi Castiglione

- no report

Vice President Fundraising

Carol Olszewski and Kathy Shaughnessy

- Thank you for all that helped and supported the fundraising efforts this year.

- We had a very successful year.
- We are looking for Co-chairs for Pasta Dinner and Tag Day.

Treasurer's Report

Michelle Williams

- Please turn in any reimbursement requests ASAP because we close the books June 30th. If you have a check from SMP, please deposit it ASAP.
- We exceeded our goals with Band Bash, Tag Day, and Pasta Dinner.
- We will be conservative for next year with budgeting because we don't know what the year will look like.
- To see updated budget, please email treasurer@solonmusicparents.org

Starlette Representative

Ann Wiser

- 14 Starlettes were chosen for next year - 8 returning and 6 new members. Team will be led by two captains.

Band Representative

Leanne Barron

- No report.

Choir Representative

Rebecca Egolf

- See Gary's report below.

Orchestra Representative

Carol for Karen McColl

- We will be switching our tux dry cleaning services from American Commodore to DO Summers. They did a nice job with the marching band uniforms so hoping they will do the same with the orchestra tuxes. I am currently working out the details so that we can send tuxes out in a week or two once they are all returned back to the school.
- Not sure how we are going to handle the uniform measurements in the fall. American Commodore always sent a couple representatives to measure all the boys and the freshmen girls but the company was sold last year. I want to find someone else who can handle the measurements so if anyone knows of someone who is skilled in this area please let me know.
 - Katy Miozzi's name was suggested as someone that may be able to help.

Director Reports

- Orchard

- Band

Stephanie DeLine

No report

Bettyjeane Quimby

Did a mixture of Flipgrid, videos, and video recordings as well as by section Google Meets.

Thank you for the financial support from SMP which was used to pay a music tutor.

- Choir

Heather Kleman

no report

- Orchestra

Tracy Matras

no report

- Middle School

- Choir

Stephanie Bettinger

no report

- Band

Rob Luce

Students are turning in videos to finish up the year.

I have not heard back from the administration about the Middle School Band Camp. I'm assuming that it is not going to happen.

- Orchestra

Gerry MacDougall

Learning experience with the middle school students. Have some innovative ideas going forward.

- High School
 - Starlettes Kelly Wilson
No report
 - Choir Gary Lewis
I had a 30 minute call with Kathy from Thomas Robes. She is going to generate a few samples and send them to the high school. That will take a few weeks. At that time, she will be able to provide a quote for 210 stoles.
The stoles will be a combination of blue/white/gold with the Solon SC. I'm very excited to see their designs!
 - Band Mark Mauldin
Nashville trip- about a month ago had contact with Bob Rodgers about refunds. They are still working on obtaining money back from vendors in order to give refunds.
We do not know what percentage of the refund we will be receiving.
Thank you to SMP for purchasing two plastic euphoniums for students that have disabilities.
Received a notice with guidance to return for high school marching band- directors meet tomorrow to see what's possible for next year.
Directors will meet to also discuss band camp.
Student officer elections were successful. They are ready to get to work.
 - Orchestra Gerry MacDougall
Managed to run elections through Google Forms and have two reps per class and elect senior officers.
Uniforms are being returned to the high school now.
Tonya Freedman will be starting with uniform inventory.
Senior video has been completed but not published yet.
Network is set up for mentoring next year.

Committee Reports

- Scholarship Committee
 - 8 readers
 - 9 students received scholarships for a total of \$6,000
 - After obtaining permission from students, some of the winning essays were shared with the SMP officers and directors.
 - Videos of three scholarship winners reading their essays were presented.

Old Business

- Nominating Committee Emily Johnson
The Nominating Committee proudly presents the following officers for 2020-2021:
President: Jody Halley
Vice President of Purchasing: Chrissy Mercer
Vice President of Fundraising: Carol Olszewski and Kathy Shaughnessy
Vice President of Communications: Emily Johnson
Secretary: Leah Stroom
Treasurer: Michelle Williams
Vice Treasurer: Rhonda Lockett
Band Representative: Krista Carlozzi

Choir Representative: Rebecca Egolf
Orchestra Representative: Karen McColl
Starlette Representative: Paulette Bias

New Business

- Motion was made by Rob Luce to move a total of \$8000 into the scholarship fund for next year. Motion was seconded by Rebecca Egolf.
 - Discussion:
 - Up to \$8000 into scholarship fund.
 - The amount will be up to \$8000 depending on the amount brought in by Friends of SMP.
 - Motion passed unanimously.
- Audit Committee Members Michelle Williams
 - Looking for 2 volunteers to serve. Will occur in July.
 - Erica Kanj and Amy Rothenfeld volunteered. Chrissy Mercer volunteered as an alternate.
- Officers for the 2020-2021 school year were installed.
- Dates for next year will be posted on SMP
 - Next meeting will be on Monday, August 3, at 7:00 PM
 - Band Bash is scheduled for Sept 12th at 7:00 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 8:02 PM