

## November 1, 2022 Meeting



Call to order

Carol Olszewski

- Meeting was called to order at 6:01 PM.

Approval of Minutes

Lori Toth

- Meeting notes from the October meeting posted on the SMP website. Meeting minutes were approved by Christa Bomeli.

President's Report

Carol Olszewski

- Thank you to Deb Brandt, Heidi Matlin, and Lesley Perlberg for all their help with running concessions for the fall season.
- Thank you to Christa Bomeli for running the Stoller Fundraiser. Pick up will be 11/12/22 from 9am-1:30pm.
- Thank you to Debbie Klein for running Band Senior night.
- Congratulations to all groups for their fall performances. Shout out to the middle school performers at MIM presents in October.
- We are in need of help for the March Jazz Fest Fundraiser. If you are interested in helping please contact Carol Olszewski or Christa Bomeli. We also need help with nominating committee from all music groups. Lori Toth will chair the committee so reach out to her if interested in being a part of that. We also need a chair and readers for the scholarship committee.

Vice President of Purchasing

Leslie Perlberg and Debra Brandt

- If we host a playoff we will keep you posted as we will need volunteers.

Vice President of Communication

Beth Roseman

- No report

Vice President Fundraising

Christa Bomeli

- Including the Stoller Fundraiser we have raised approximately \$2700 so far.

Treasurer's Report

Nitin Yoshi

- Rob Luce motioned and Christa Bomeli seconded to pass the budget. There may be a new line item coming up to show funds used to hire expert help during the school day.

Band Representative

Debbie Klein

- No report

Orchestra Representative

Gloria Liu

- No report

Choir Representative

Dana Lewis

- Thank you to SMP for the new gold tops for MIM. Madrigals will be performing at the tree lighting ceremony in Solon and on Fox 8 12/12/22 at 7:30pm and 9:00am. Also boys basketball will have national anthem singers for their games.

Starlette Representative

- No Report

Betsy

Director Reports

**Orchard:**

a. Band

Trent Siebert

We are getting help for percussion. Hiring Dr. Drew Andrietta to assist with 6th grade percussion and to run the 5th grade applications.

b. Choir

Heather Kleman

No report

c. Orchestra

Gerry MacDougall

See report under High School

**Middle School:**

a. Choir

Stephanie Bettinger

No Report

d. Band

Rob Luce

Middle school concert is right after this meeting. 7th and 8th grade jazz bands are starting to practice. 8th grade is finishing up the blue book. February 2nd is the next concert.

e. Orchestra

Gerry MacDougall

No Report

**High School**

e. Starlettes

Kelly Wilson

i. No report

f. Choir

Gary Lewis

i. No report

g. Band

Mark Mauldin

- i. HS Band concert auditions are due at midnight tonite. We be esated soon for 4 concert bands. The December concert each band will play 2 songs each. Jazz band audition information will post soon. There will also be a pep band for 5 girls and 5 boys Basketball games.
- h. Orchestra Gerry MacDougall
- i. Thank you to Mr. Mauldin for his help on a very successful concert on 10/6/22. To Mr. Luce and Mr. Mauldin for their playing contributions in the concert. Mr. Luce played french horn and Mr. Mauldin played in the Choir concert for Chichester Psalms.
  - ii. Thanks to Mr. Luce for his contributions as a conductor on the SMS concert on 10/27/22. This was a very good concert showing the strength of the younger students. He is very optimistic about the future of SMS and SHS with these students.
  - iii. Thanks to Treasurer Nitin Joshi for taking care of miscellaneous payments in a timely manner. It is great to have the financial support of SMP to bring in performers and guest teachers when needed.
  - iv. The Blue concert orchestra heads to BW this Friday to perform at the Northeast Ohio String Invitational. This is the first one ever.
  - v. Concert orchestras are diligently preparing for the holiday concerts scheduled for 12/1/22.

Committee Reports:

No Reports

**New Business:**

1. Looking at Mount Union for new location. There are many benefits to having it there. It will be the last full week of July again. Also getting a quote from Baldwin Wallace.

Meeting adjourned at 6:32pm

Next meeting is 12/5/22 at 7:00pm