

Maynard Music Association High School
Meeting Minutes
1/3/18

Present: Stephanie Gavin, Bonnie Wilson, Lynda Thayer, Annemarie Caloggero, Bill Freeman, Renee Lilley

MMA Officers:

Director: Bonnie Wilson

Co-Chair: Open Position

High School Treasure: Stephanie Gavin

High School Secretary: Annemarie Caloggero

Webmaster: Kurt Severance

Minutes from our December meeting stand as distributed and are ready to be posted.

Repairs/Bids

- At the request of the music director, a Bari Sax was taken to Osmun Music for a repair bid.
 - Before moving forward on this repair, MMA would like justification that there is an immediate need to repair this instrument.
- At our December meeting, and based on the request of a percussion student, MMA voted to spend \$1,100 to replace the existing drum set at the high school. Considering the student proposal, MMA has sought 2 additional quotes for a new drum with the addition of the following pieces:
 - 2 suspended cymbal stands
 - Additional drum heads
 - A cover
- At the music director's request, an Alto Clarinet was taken to Osmun for a repair assessment. The assessment totaled \$410.

Motion: A motion was made to spend \$410 to repair the Alto Clarinet at Osmun Music in Acton.

Seconded: Bill Freeman

Final Vote: 3 in favor

Abstained: 2

Motion Carried: No

Given that only 4 MMA members voted and 5 are needed to carry a vote, the vote was nonbinding. This lead MMA members to discuss the possibility of just repairing the register key on the Altro Clarinet which indicated on the Osmun quote would cost \$60. Repairing just the register key would make the instrument playable and would allow students to see if they liked playing the instrument before investing further funds on overhauling the instrument.

Recorded and Submitted by Annemarie Caloggero

Motion: A motion was made to spend \$60 to repair the register key on the Alto Clarinet at Osmun Music in Acton.

Seconded: Bill Freeman

Final Vote: 4 in favor

Abstained: 1

Motion Carried: Yes

Volunteers Needed

- MMA is looking for a **Banquet Coordinator** for our annual Banquet in May. This is a volunteer opportunity for parents with students in grades 9-11. If you are interested in coordinating this event, or you would like to volunteer in another capacity, please let us know.
- MMA is also in need of a parent or two to **coordinate the DDC trip** scheduled for next spring, 2019.

Next Meeting: Wednesday February 7th in the Fowler library. Fowler business @6:30, Joint business @ 7:30, High School business @ 8:00