Maynard Music Association Fowler Meeting Minutes 10/7/15

Present: Christine Barilone, Annemarie Paczkowski, Bonnie Wilson, Annemarie Caloggero, Kevin Kozik, Stephanie Gavin, Christine Barilone, Ann Carroll Bundy

MMA Officers:

Director: Annemarie Packowski Co-Chair: Christine Barilone Treasure: Stephanie Gavin Clerk: Annemarie Caloggero

Motion: A motion was made to vote on the minutes from our previous meeting, 9/9/15.

Seconded: Bonnie Wilson Final Vote: Unanimous Motion Carried: Yes

Winter Concert

• Mr. Kozik is looking to hold the Fowler concert on Dec 16th, instead of December 9th given the conflict with the high school winter concert.

Financial Update

No change since last month.

Instrument Inventory

- Stephanie presented a list of instruments that MMA Fowler has purchased since spring 2010.
- There was discussion of conducting an instrument inventory at Fowler.
- Members also discussed how best to track instruments in the future, and establishing a plan for how damaged instruments will be repaired or replaced.

Important Dates

- Monday October 19th: 4th grade will meet with the HS band students for an instrument demonstration
- Wednesday October 21st: Instrument Night
- Wednesday December 16th: Potential date for winter concert
- Thursday December 10th: FASC chorus concert
- Thursday May 19th: Spring concert
- Friday May 20th: Great East Festival
- Thursday June 2nd: 4th grade concert

Agenda Items from Mr. Kozik

• Mr. Kozik reported that there will be a delay in starting the combined 6th and 7th grade rehearsals during the school day on Fridays. Therefore, until band can be worked into the

school day, starting Friday, October 23rd, Mr. Kozik will hold students immediately after school on the half days only for 45 minutes.

- Mr. Kozik asked for assistance in having the piano tuned.
- Mr. Kozik reported that he has approximately 14 students in each grade, 6th and 7th, for in school chorus.

Concert Attire

• All black, formal or informal attire is acceptable as long as students look presentable and are dressed appropriately and are following the Fowler dress code.

Jazz Band

- After school Jazz Band for grades 5-7 started today, Wednesday October 9th.
- A member raised a concern regarding the number of after school activities that conflict with jazz.

Next Meeting: Wednesday December 2nd, 7:00 in room B132 at the high school.