

Maynard Music Association

Joint Business Minutes

2-5-20

Present: Wauter Leeuwis, Bonnie Wilson, Stephanie Gavin, Marc Cryan, Kevin Kozik, Lisa Grimm, Brenda O'Neil, Renee Lilley, Annemarie Caloggero

MMA Officers:

Director: Bonnie Wilson

Co-Chair: Renee Lilley

Fowler Treasure: Bill Freeman

High School Treasure: Stephanie Gavin

Fowler Secretary: Marc Cryan

High School Secretary: Annemarie Caloggero

Webmaster: Vacant Position

January minutes have been reviewed and are ready to be posted along with the notes from our parent forum which followed our joint meeting on 1/8/20.

Secretarial Update

- Website Updates
 - A link to the MMA website has been added to the Maynard High School website under the tab "For Parents".
 - A link to the MMA website still needs to be added to Fowler and the district websites.

Financial Update

- Fowler:
 - Working balance of \$15,000.00
- MHS:
 - Working balance of \$14,000.00
 - Will set up a separate account for Tri M National Honor Society

Fowler Chair

- A suggestion was made to have 8th grade students sell baked goods at the 4th and 5th grade spring concert.
- Concern was raised regarding behavior of music students when they're not performing.
 - Could Dan provide a concert etiquette statement when introducing the band at the start of the concert?
 - Should we bring in high school students to help supervise at these times?
- The Scholarship Committee will come together soon: Fowler Volunteers Needed
- Jazz Café will take place on March 27th at 7:00 pm at Fowler. This is a Fowler and High School event: Parent volunteers needed.
- Tentative concert dates
 - May 27th grades 6th, 7th, 8th
 - May 29th Great East

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- June 3rd grades 4th and 5th
- Fowler would like to bring the Tri M National Honor Society to the middle school.

High School Update

- Advocacy
 - Parent forum last month was beneficial.
 - Info gathered at this event was brought to School Committee members. School Committee seems receptive and willing to collaborate with MMA for the best interest of our students.
 - The assistant superintendent had an opportunity to meet with students and parents after school to hear their concerns regarding her comments about the music program and to discuss the districts plans moving forward.
 - A survey was sent to all Maynard High School music alumni to gather information about their music experience at Maynard High School. These results were shared with School Committee.
- Upcoming Events:
 - 2/6/20: Parent/student Disney information night, 7:00 MHS Auditorium for all incoming 9th graders and current 9th-11th graders.
 - 2/7/20: Pops Night 7:00 pm at Fowler. Parent volunteers needed.
 - 2/28/20: 8th- 11th grade Tri M National Honor Society induction ceremony, 7:00, MHS
 - 3/27/20: Jazz Café 7:00 pm at Fowler. Parent volunteers needed.
 - 5/1/20: Solo & Ensemble Night
 - 5/2/20: Jazz/Wind Spring Art Walk
 - 5/13/20: Choral Concert
 - 5/20/20: Band Concert
 - TBA: Great East Festival
 - 5/25/20: Memorial Day Parade. Parent volunteers needed
 - 5/25/20: MMA Banquet
 - A committee of parents is needed to plan this event.
 - Parent volunteers needed for the day of the banquet as well.
 - **6/4/20: Senior Awards Night : New date**
 - 6/5/20: Graduation: Parent volunteers needed to assist in musical performance for graduation ceremony.
- Tri M Music Honor Society
 - Community service activities include painting the stage and mentorship for younger music students.

Disney 2021 Fundraising

- Looking for date for Music Palooza
 - Food trucks and music

Band Requests

- Request for increase of drum supplies at Fowler for a drum line initiative
 - Forward facing bass drums with cases and harnesses (5)
 - Sneers (4)
- Request for method and technique books for all band students. Approximate price \$6.95 per book
- Request for a Tri M banner and supplies for induction ceremony

Next Meeting: Wednesday March 4th, 7:00 Fowler library

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Motion: A motion was made to allocate up to \$300.00 for banner and supplies needed for the Tri M Honor Society induction ceremony for 8th-11th grade Fowler and high school students.

Second: Bonnie Wilson

Final Vote: 9/9 all in favor

Motion Carried: Yes