**Maynard Music Association**

**Joint Business Minutes**

**3-4-20**

Present: Wouter Leeuwis, Bonnie Wilson, Stephanie Gavin, Kevin Kozik, Renee Lilley, Alexandria Waldren, Cheryl Lucas, Bill Freeman, Lynda Thayer 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

February minutes have been reviewed and are ready to be posted.

Secretarial Update

* Website Updates
  + A link to the MMA website has been added to the High School and Fowler sites under the tab “For Parents”. The district website is being revamped. MMA’s website will be added during the revamp process.

Financial Update

* Fowler:
  + Working balance of $14,000.00
    - Great East has been paid for
* MHS:
  + Working balance of $12,000.00
    - Paid deposit for Great East
    - Some outstanding expenses
    - Opened Tri M National Honor Society account through MMA

Fowler Chair

* Fine Arts Night is March 12 at 6:30.
  + MMA will create a basket to raffle
* Thank you notes to donors need to be written.
* An email was sent to Mr. Barth requesting any changes to the music program for the 2020/21 school year. Per his response, nothing is settled yet for next year.
* The Scholarship Committee will come together soon
  + Fowler parent Volunteers are needed for this committee
  + A suggestion to the committee is that they have students use paper applications vs electronic applications.
* Jazz Café will take place on March 27th from 6:00-8:00 pm in the Fowler auditorium. This is a Fowler and High School event. A sign up will come out soon for food/beverage donations and set up/clean up help.
* Tentative concert dates
  + May 27th grades 6th, 7th, 8th
  + May 29th Great East
  + 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
  + 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 administration and School Committee.
  + Follow up with administration regarding music positions for 2020/21 school year is needed.
  + The new superintendent has expressed interest in meeting with MMA officers.
  + School Committee Meetings: 3/5, 3/19, 4/2, 4/16, 5/7, 5/21, 6/4, 7:00 in the Fowler Library
* Upcoming Events:
  + Week of 3/2/20 Days with the Pros
  + 3/14/20 St. Patrick’s Day Sanctuary event to benefit MMA
  + 3/18/20 Induction ceremony for junior Tri M National Honor Society
  + 3/27/20: Jazz Café 6:00-8:00 pm at Fowler. Sign up coming out soon for parent volunteers.
  + 5/1/20: Solo & Ensemble Night
  + 5/2/20: Jazz/Wind Spring Art Walk
  + 5/13/20: Choral Concert
  + 5/20/20: Band Concert
  + 5/22/20: 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 are also 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 cleaning, repairing and painting the music stands.

Disney 2021 Fundraising

* Looking for date for Music Palooza
  + Food trucks and music

Next Meeting: Wednesday April 1st, 7:00 Fowler library

Motion: A motion was made to allocate up to $2,000.00 requested by the choral director to pay 10 string players to support the spring choral concert at the high school.

Second: Renee Lilly

Final Vote:   9/9 all opposed

Motion Carried:  No

Motion: A motion was made to purchase a ½ page MMA ad for $250.00 in this year’s Maynard High School yearbook.

Second: Renee Lilly

Final Vote:   9/9 all in favor

Motion Carried: yes