

Maynard Music Association
Joint Business Minutes
6-3-20

Present: Wouter Leeuwis, Bonnie Wilson, Stephanie Gavin, Renee Lilley, Cheryl Lucas, Marc Cryan, Sarah Johnson, Bill Freeman, Trish Gately, Annemarie Caloggero

Tonight's open meeting took place via Zoom.

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

May minutes have been approved and are ready to be posted.

Secretarial Update

- Website updates include information about Trish Gately's summer music program. Scholarships, awards to be posted after award ceremony.

Financial Update

- Fowler:
 - Working balance of approximately \$14,626.00
- MHS:
 - Working balance of approximately \$9,350.00

High School Chair

- Highlights for the 2019/20 school year include BTALC, Days with Pros, music survey, Masterclasses, scholarships for graduates
- The new Superintendent has kindly followed back up with MMA and is interested in meeting with officers end of this week.
- Musical sign toppers were added to the 2020 congratulation signs
- Tri M cords were given to seniors at senior pick up day
- MMA scholarships will be disseminated at the award ceremony on June 11th.
- MMA would like to submit an update to the local newspaper that features our musical seniors, including scholarships/awards.
- Casino Night

Recorded and Submitted by Annemarie Caloggero

- Given the current pandemic, it is not likely that we will be able to hold a live event. MMA is creating a subcommittee to review other fundraising options.
- Summer MMA work
 - Sub-committees are needed to
 - Update the By-Laws
 - Create an alternative plan for Casino Night
 - Officer meeting to review budget
 - Update Facebook account and set up Instagram account.
 - Prepare annual report
- Recognitions
 - This evening MMA recognized the work of two parents who have contributed tirelessly to our organization: Brenda O'Neil and Lynda Thayer. Both of these parents have assisted our organization for several years and are now celebrating the graduation of their youngest children.

Teacher Updates: Band, Chorus, Ensembles

- Trish Gately reported that the Master Classes which ran late May were well attended and the feedback from students, parents and the clinicians was positive. Both Trish and Kevin are interested in doing this again in the fall.
- Summer lessons
 - Lots of clinicians are offering virtual lessons during this pandemic
 - Could MMA put something out regarding who is available for summer lessons?
 - AVSM has gone virtual

Fowler Chair

- The 8th grade parting gift for Fowler is on hold. Funds have been raised, but due to the pandemic the class hasn't gathered as a group to decide what they want to purchase for the music program. These funds could be combined with next year's 8th grade class gift.
- Last years exiting 3rd graders had the opportunity of picking up their instrument early. Given the pandemic, is this still possible?
- More music classes are going to be offered at the Fowler next year. Questions still remain about the logistics of this.

Scholarship Committee

- 11 applications were reviewed, 7 students received scholarships.
- An additional scholarship was added via an online vote on 5/19/20 at the recommendation of the Scholarship Committee making a total of 7 scholarships.
- Scholarship Committee Chair recorded a video to be included in the virtual award night ceremony in mid June.

School Committee Meetings

- Meetings are being held virtually until otherwise stated : 6/4 @ 7:00

MMA Banquet

- Virtual banquet to be held on Sunday June 14th at 7:00
 - Awards/Certificates: Stephanie and Aly
 - Wills/Memories: Annemarie and Aly
 - Video: Annemarie and Molly
- MMA is creating gift bags that will be delivered to doorsteps a few days prior to the banquet to include
 - A \$25 gift card to Target
 - A monogramed blanket
 - Certificate of participation

Disney 2021

- No update at this time

MMA Elections

Motions:

A motion was made to elect Bonnie Wilson as MMA HS Chair for a two year term, ending in June 2022. This position will be listed as “President” with the Change of Directorship with the Commonwealth.

Seconded: Bill Freeman

Final vote: All in favor

Motion Carried: Yes

A motion was made to elect Stephanie Gavin as MMA High School Treasure for a two year term ending in June 2022. This position will be listed as the “Treasurer” on the Change of Directorship with the Commonwealth.

Seconded: Bill Freeman

Final vote: All in favor

Motion carried: Yes