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Present: 12

Last Name First Name Acocella Terese Adams Suzanne Angeline Vincent Gaidos Nancy Garvey Linda Hackel Audrey Horsch Kathleen Parliyan Nisim Rys Connie Slack Jackie Smith Wynn Thompson Lynne

Motion to open meeting made by Connie Rys at 7:04 PM, seconded by Lynne Thompson. Motion to accept May 2017 minutes made by Connie R., seconded by Sue Adams.

# • Faculty Representation-Mr. Angeline

- Spring concerts I (May 11<sup>th</sup>) & II (May 18<sup>th</sup>); Well attended. Nice receptions afterward. Thanks to the many volunteers. As well as those who volunteered to assist at the Prism Concert and reception.
- Two parades; Clinton & Flemington. Golden Lions won the award for the best high school marching band at the Clinton First Aid Rescue Squad & Clinton Fire Department Parade (50<sup>th</sup> & 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversaries). Many alumni and alumni parents attended. Parade MC was a former band member. Different route then winter Holiday parade. NHHS marching band is always welcomed in Clinton. Flemington Memorial Day parade was a success.
- NHHS Governor's Educator of the Year; Mr. Angeline-Mr. Angeline was recognized at the County Luncheon at the Poly-Tech in May. He has been nominated along with the other counties' awardees for the New Jersey State Teacher of the year. The Finalist will be announced by the State in the Fall. Mr. Angeline attended media training day for public relations training. The NHHS string quartet performed at the luncheon also.
- o Drum major and section leader auditions upcoming.
- o 6/6; June Marching Band mini band camp and first rehearsal.

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- o 6/07 & 6/08; Choir auditions.
- 6/15; The Concert Band and Show Choir will be performing at graduation; business casual attire; 12pm
- o **Phillipsburg band festival**; traditional date is changed from a weeknight to Saturday, 9/23. Mr. Angeline has also planned for band to attend a band festival, Sunday, 10/29, at Bloomfield HS.
- o **Proposed NHMA meeting dates:** 9/5, 10/3, 11/7, 12/5, 1/9/18, 2/13, 3/13, 4/10, 5/8, & 6/4.
- Other upcoming dates: Freshman Tea-9/25, M. Band banquet-11/29, Christmas parade-12/1, Winter concerts-12/7 & 12/14, Spring musical-3/1-3/3/18, Prism concert-3/22, Spring concerts-5/10 & 5/17, Senior Music Banquet-5/23.
- o Mr. A will complete all of the facility's use forms for meetings, banquets, concerts, & Freshmen Tea.
- o **Marching Band Camp**; 7-10 Aug-Rehearsal week, 14-18 Aug-Band Camp week, 25 & 26 Aug-rehearsal & uniform distribution.
- o **First Performance**; Saturday, 9/9-first football game vs. Summit HS.
- Mr. A submitted a request for financial assistance from the NHMA to support two drums majors/two color guard captains scheduled to go to drum major/color guard camp 2017—same cost as 2016 camps; \$540.00 for each.
- 50/50 Raffles-scheduled for 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade band night (10/20) and 9/28
- o Plans for Friday pre-performance dinners, again next year.

**Corresponding Secretary – Suzanne Dzula Adams:** sent three sympathy cards to families of current students whose fathers recently passed away: Lombardo, Castaldo, and St. Pierre families. Received a thank you note from Garry Gilbert Scholarship recipient P. Horsch.

### Treasurer's Report – Audrey Hackel (see report)

**TOTAL INCOME:** \$ 1,412.00 (reference report dated May 8, 2017 thru June 5, 2017)

**TOTAL EXPENSES:** \$ 6,991.16 (reference report dated May 8, 2017 thru June 5, 2017)

Checking account balance as of 06/05/2017: \$ 4,600.84

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### Fundraising Report – Connie R:

- Spring Flower Sale: May 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> Connie R. reported herbs were donated. Total income was \$362—\$180 (expense); \$182 profit.
- **Donation Days/Bucket sale:** None; conflict with parade
- Stadium Seat cushions: Connie R. reported seat cushions will be sold at graduation. One for \$7.00, two for \$15.00
- Yankee Candle Fundraiser: Terese A. briefed no change in sales.
   Profit to date is \$600.00. NHMA will continue to sell online until 7/12/17.

Membership Report - Nancy G. No report.

**Updates and Information –** Connie stated NHMA Country Griddle fundraiser has ended. Establishment closed.

### **Open/New Business**

- Committee and Chairperson Positions for 2017/2018: Connie
  asked if Alexa Parliyan is still interested in position for Membership chair
  (still waiting to hear back). Nancy suggested the Membership chair attend
  Meet the Teachers nights to represent NHMA. Dana McDermott (unable
  to attend June NHMA meeting) has expressed interest in the Recording
  Secretary position; Sue Adams has volunteered to record meeting minutes
  until Dana learns. Fundraising chair position: still searching for volunteer.
- End of Year Custodial Gifts: Nancy G. demonstrated cooler bag gifts with music note theme, cookies, iced tea, cards, sun block; will include lottery tickets.
- **Band Camp assistance-**Connie will meet with Linda to prepare volunteer responsibilities. Terese will hand over continuity/procedures binder to Linda.
- Raffle Dates-Connie will confirm dates with Jen F and Mr. Flynn.

### **Recent Events**

- Spring concerts I (May 11<sup>th</sup>) & II (May 18<sup>th</sup>);
- **5/20**; **Parade** Golden Lions performed for the-125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the CFD and 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the CFA/Rescue Squad.
- 5/24; Banquet for music department Senior students
- 5/29; Memorial Day parade

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# **Upcoming Events**

- 6/6; Mini Band camp/first rehearsal
- 6/6; Uniform measuring
- 6/7 & 6/8; Choir Auditions
- 6/15; Graduation performances & seat cushion sales

## **Open Forum/Roundtable**

None

**Next Meeting:** September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 (Tuesday)

7:00pm, Choir Room (Room 131)

Motion to close meeting made by Connie R at 8:15 PM, seconded by Sue Adams Minutes prepared by: Terese Acocella