



NORTH HUNTERDON MUSIC ASSOCIATION Minutes

Oct. 7, 2014

Present: Terese Acocella, Suzanne Adams, Joe Bieksha, Cathy Edelsberg, Lisa Franklin, Nancy Gaidos, Patricia Fitzgerald, Claire Rothstein, Lynne Thompson, Terri Mugnano, Monica Sharp, Michelle Smith, Mr. Angeline (12)

Motion to open meeting made by Cathy Edelsberg at 7:02 PM, seconded by Nancy Gaidos. Motion to accept Sept. 2014 minutes made by Patricia Fitzgerald, seconded by Nancy Gaidos.

Faculty Representation: Vince Angeline

Marching Band performed at first four football games. Freshman tea a great event—get information out about music program.

Upcoming events:

Saturday—away performance at 2 pm at Plainfield. 40 students to Oakwood Lanes. Mr. Andrews and Mr. Angeline will be presiding.

15th year at Columbus Day Parade in NYC on Monday, Oct. 13. 12 parent volunteers. Leave 9:45 AM. Vince Lombardi rest area for lunch.

Oct. 24: 7th & 8th Band Night.

Oct. 23: Phillipsburg Band Festival, 8:20 PM performance time.

Oct. 31, Halloween Parade at Hunterdon Development Center, Cracker Barrel for lunch (Need one or two band parents.) Bridgewater game that night.

Storage units are coming in two weeks. Oct. 21 & 22 installation. Need a crew of volunteer parents (5-6) the morning of Oct. 25, 9 a.m., to figure out how to store. Terri volunteered to organize event.

Corresponding Secretary: Sharon Tanzler

Sent out thank you cards to Horun, Labelle & Brinkerhoff Families. Sympathy card to Loeffler Family.

Treasurer's Report: Patricia Fitzgerald

TOTAL INCOME: \$855.00 (reference report dated 9/10 – 10/7)



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TOTAL EXPENSES: \$1,409.87 (reference report dated 9/10 – 10/7)

Checking account balance as of 10/7/2014: \$3,105.02

Gene Schaedel won 50/50 at football game on 10/2/14 receiving \$385.50.

Maintenance fee on TD Bank Gaming Account. Need to keep \$1,500 balance.
Can we move money from checking to gaming? Board vote needed. OK to move money.

Still have outstanding check from spring fundraiser.

Membership: Nancy Gaidos

106 members total. 36 new members. Many previous members haven't signed up yet. Online payment working well. Have to be a member to get a Gary Gilbert scholarship.

Fundraising Report

Joe Corbi-- delivery postponed. New date tba. Made approximately \$500.

After school bake sale (Lisa & Cathy). For every date you have to fill out a form and submit to school. Thursday, Oct. 30 is last date submitted.

Shop Rite donation day: Looking for a chair. Tabled at last meeting. Nancy volunteered to chair. Terri will co-chair. Lynne will give information to Nancy. Pick a date. Sunday? Early November? Oct. 26, Nov. 2, Nov. 16. If don't get any of those dates wait till spring.

Terri spoke to Goodfellas Pizza. Welcome to put a donation jar on the counter. Owner is a past band member.

Michelle suggested talking to Just Chill in Clinton. They had reached out to NHMA last year. Want musicians playing in front of store.

Lisa suggested contacting Clinton Bagel.

Applebees Flapjack Fundraiser, Sat. Dec., 20, 8 am to 10 am: Sell max. of 300 tickets. Request minimum of 100 tickets. Will charge for that whether we sell or not. Decide on price to charge for this year. \$12/ticket. Promote at band banquet. Online payment? Start advertising after Halloween.

Stadium Seats: 1 left.

Marching Band 007 T-shirt idea: Robin Calv working on.



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Button Maker (JP): No update.

Car Wash: Brian Plushanski said yes to a spring carwash in late April/or May--preferably a Sunday.

Dorney Tickets: table till spring

Music Note cookies--75. Sold for \$1/piece. Sold out.

Bandanas: Suzanne suggested stitched bandanas. Screen print rather than stitched. Nancy will ask a friend about pricing. Ask Mr. Deutsch about conflict.

Bowling fundraiser (Oakwood Lanes): Michelle. Spring event. \$5/head.

Recent Events:

Freshman Tea, Sept. 29. Thank you Sharon! 33 tables & standing room only. We thought we were going to run short on food but ended up giving three platters to custodians. *Notes for next year: Have more Board members attend to talk to the new families. Have more tables formally set up.*

10/2 football game raffle --\$771 total – profit \$385.50

Open/New Business:

Loeffler family – gift card donations

Choir Halloween Party—postpone till next year

7th/8th grade band night—pasta dinner

Silver Oak College Workshop, Sat. Dec. 6 at NHHS. Need two volunteers for concession table. Cathy and Lynne volunteered.

Fall Newsletter. Need list of sponsors. New deadline: Oct. 13. Need photos.

NHMA info table at HOME games

Band Assistance (Instrument Moving/3rd Quarter Snack): Purchased wagon. Tax free at Lowe's. Nancy will buy water at Costco.

Calendar Alert for October

Principal's Newsletter – November

Claire looking for volunteers for Homecoming Coat Check.



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Upcoming Football Games:

Saturday, Oct. 11—Plainfield (2 pm)

Friday, Oct. 17—Linden

Friday, Oct. 24—Home (Homecoming and 7th/8th Grade Band Night)

Friday, Oct. 31—Bridgewater

Friday, Nov. 7—Home (Milk Can Game)

Columbus Day Parade in NYC—Monday, Oct. 13

Phillipsburg Band Festival—Thursday, Oct. 23 at 6:30 PM

Homecoming Coat Check—Saturday, Oct. 25

Dinner for 7th / 8th grade band night. Same night as Spaghetti Dinner. Do that instead of pizza. Get count ahead of time. NHMA will write a check to cover 7th/8th graders. Mr. Angeline will cover the cost of band students' dinners.

Open Forum/Roundtable:

Next meeting set for 11/11/2014, at 7:00 PM, Room 131 Choir Room

Motion to close meeting made by Cathy Edelsberg at 8:37 PM, seconded by Terri.

Minutes prepared by: Suzanne Dzula Adams