

NORTH HUNTERDON MUSIC ASSOCIATION Minutes

May 10, 2016

Amended June 6, 2016

Present: 13

Last Name	First Name
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Acocella	Terese
Dzula Adams	Suzanne
Edelsberg	Cathy
Edelsberg	Andrew
Gaidos	Nancy
Garvey	Linda
Hackel	Audrey
Mugnano	Terri
Rys	Connie
Rothstein	Claire
Slack	Jackie
Smith	Michelle
Thompson	Lynne

Motion to open meeting made by Cathy at 7:06 PM, seconded by Michelle. Motion to accept April 2016 minutes made by Lynne, seconded by Terri.

Faculty Representation: (Katie Meo at end of meeting)

Francesca Tangreti is eligible for All Eastern Choir Auditions. Emily Decker performed at the Education Association Gala @ Hunterdon Hills Playhouse.

Corresponding Secretary – Suzanne Dzula Adams

Request to send a thank you note and a gift card to Jim (JT) Takleszyn in recognition of his 6 years assisting with instrument movement for the marching band during home games. \$100 gift card. Vote: majority in favor.

Cathy sent thank you letters for Prism sponsors-- North Hunterdon Dental and Paul Phillips Eye.

Cathy sent thank you letters to seat cushion sponsors.

Treasurer's Report – Audrey Hackel

TOTAL INCOME: \$ 245.84 (reference report dated May 10, 2016)

TOTAL EXPENSES: \$ 452.91 (reference report dated May 10, 2016)

Checking account balance as of 5/10/2016: \$ 7,515.67

REVIEW & VOTE - Gary Gilbert Scholarship Applications

Gary Gilbert Scholarship-named after a former NHMA president. Offered to any Freshman, Sophomore or Junior to help with summer music education. Three

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applications. Grace Chen, Drum Lessons, \$300 (\$150 scholarship). Stephanie Sharp \$185 (\$185 scholarship) Hunterdon Youth Orchestra Camp. Brendan Talian \$475 (\$250 scholarship) Rock Band Camp. Unanimous vote.

Fundraising Report

- Gertrude Hawk Chocolates. Music Association will sell through August. Ms. Meo and choir students will sell September and October. NHMA to resume in November
- Spring Flower Sale. Not this season.
- Donation Days - Clinton Bagel Sunday, May 15th 8am-10am (Sue & Claire), 10am-12pm (Terri & Michelle). Ask Mr. Angeline about band recording.
- Stadium Seat Cushions—will be sold at graduation. Lynne & Terese volunteered to sell.

Membership Report – Nancy

- Process changes for Fall 2016. Please email any comments about online form, brochure, etc., to Nancy. Would like to have everything ready by July. Discussed possible discount on performance tickets as a perk of membership. Revisit at a later date. Hoping to use PayPay credit card reader at Meet the Teachers Night in Sept.

Updates and Information

- Volunteer HIB Training: <http://goo.gl/forms/0YiEbxFOW6>

Recent Events

- NJ All-State Choir Auditions - April 16. Congratulations to:
 - Rebecca Beswick Soprano 1, Treble Chorus (Freshman)
 - Brielle Burns Soprano 1, Treble Chorus (Junior)
 - Zoe Chang Soprano 2, Treble Chorus (Junior)
 - Madison McGourty Alto 1, Mixed Chorus (Sophomore)
 - Juliette Shore Soprano 1, Mixed Chorus (Sophomore)
 - Francesca Tangreti Soprano 1, Mixed Chorus (Sophomore) – Best NHHS score!
- A Scenes & Songs Cabaret - April 21-23. Two people every night. ~~Cathy~~, (removed Cathy E. from volunteer list) Jackie, Chris, +. Sold watermelon. \$238 profit. Sold Gertrude Hawk chocolates.
- Uniform Dry Cleaning Organization Days - April 26, April 28, May 10. Kids will need shoes for Memorial Day Parade.

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Open/New Business

- Committee and Chairperson Positions for 2016 – 2017. Welcome to Connie Rhys Rys (corrected spelling of last name)—incoming President, Terese Acocella—incoming Recording Secretary, Nisim Nasim Parliyan (corrected spelling of first name)—incoming Instrument Movement chair. Still need Fundraising Chair.
- End-of-Year Custodial Gifts. Nancy is putting together. Consider for next year having NHMA members donate items.
- NHMA Closet Clean-Out Day. First week of band camp. Aug. 10. 5 pm till done.
- Friday night band / color guard dinners—send form to students, collect forms, and give to Carini's Pizza & Pasta. Follow up with Carini's. Be onsite to monitor delivery and distribution. Claire Rothstein volunteered to be point person. No beverages. Kids provide their own. Terese to assist.
- Band equipment transportation at home games. Ask for help from the school. Put in school newsletter, E-notes, email blast.
- Senior Scholarships 6 @ \$500/each. To be announced by Mr. Angeline at Spring Banquet.

Upcoming Events

- Spring Concerts I & II - May 12 & 19 (NHMA dessert receptions)
 - Concert 1: Concert Choir, Concert Band, Chamber Choir, Wind Ensemble
 - Concert 2: Show Choir, Freshman Choir, Madrigal Singers, String Orchestra, Jazz Ensemble
- Clinton Bagel Scholarship Support Bucket Drive - May 14 & 15 (pending approval)
- Music Department Awards Banquet - May 25
- Flemington Memorial Day Parade - May 30. Ice pops and water
- Mini Band Camp - June 7
- Graduation (Show Choir and Concert Band) - June 15

Open Forum/Roundtable

Next Meeting :

June 7, 2016

7:00 PM Choir Room (Room 131)

Motion to close meeting made by Cathy at 8:38 PM, seconded by Michelle.

Minutes prepared by: Suzanne Dzula Adams