

NORTH HUNTERDON MUSIC ASSOCIATION Minutes

December 8, 2020

Note: This meeting was conducted through Zoom

Present: 14

Last Name	First Name
Fasciano	Jen
Holk	Melissa
Lipinski	Laura
McCormack	Jen
McDermott	Dana
McGrew	Dawn
Parliyan	Alexa
Patuto	Jen
Shustack	Anna
Smith	Karen
Wallace	Susan
Walsh	Ryan
Zengel	Leila
	Ade

Motion to open meeting at 7:00 p.m. made by Susan; seconded by Dana.
Motion to approve the November meeting minutes made by Karen; seconded by Jen F.

Treasurer Report – Alexa Parliyan

- 6 more memberships, plus \$276 cash deposit from Susan from leftover concession candy
- Melissa Holk gave a donation as a thank you to Susan for football ticket
- Will be asking Mr. Hopta how the Newport Jazz \$ will be spent. We should use it!

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- **TOTAL ACCOUNTS BALANCE** as of December 1, 2020:

		<u>Set Asides</u>	
Checking	\$ 3,924.34	Newport Jazz Fest	\$ 1,222.20
PayPal	0.00	Silver Oak (Prism)	500.00
Gaming	820.44	Hunterdon Music (Prism)	250.00
Total	\$ 4,744.78		\$1,972.20

Total Actual Balance: \$2,772.58

Fundraising Report – Dawn McGrew

- Flower Power
Made \$1,245 profit. **Big win and super easy.** Will do this again in the spring, as they have a nice selection available.
- Clothing Drive
Went off smoothly, although some rain so had to use the tent. Happily surprised how many donated. We get paid by the pound. Will contact company to find out our profit. We can do another drive in the spring.
- Mickman Brothers Holiday Wreaths
Not sure how we are doing here; won't know until January. We'll get at least a couple hundred dollars. Dawn will contact. End date: Dec. 20
- Shammy Shine Cards
Sold out!
- AmazonSmile
Ongoing. So easy! Funds go directly into our bank account. Remind people to get the link.
- Pampered Chef
We are looking good for a February time frame.

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Membership Report – Jen Fasciano

- We are at 65 and only two are unpaid. This is lower than last year.
- New Music Student Welcome Party/Freshman Tea
About 30 people came, so a pretty good turnout. Got five or six new members afterwards. Good representation from the freshman class. Karen's input was fantastic and went well. Mr. A put together video of kids playing together and it was great. Now need to send out a new membership appeal from the Directors. Since this year is crazy, we should continue to take new memberships. Maybe still have a hard deadline but with a welcoming attitude. Offer up that you can join all year, that memberships are always welcome, but for senior scholarship eligibility purposes must be by the hard deadline. Jen and Susan will work on putting it together to give to the teachers.

Updates and Information – Susan Wallace

- NHMA Newsletter
The Fall Newsletter is now the Holiday newsletter! Still have not received a letter from Mr. Angeline. Mrs. Cudworth and Mr. Hopta have sent theirs in. Please include a thank you to everyone who supported the bulb sale and put in what we made as profit, and include that we also had our clothing drive that went well. Change up the language a bit to reflect our very current activities. Great job!
- Faculty Christmas Gift
Group discussed options for giving the Directors something at Christmas as a thank you for all their hard work and dedication this year.

Open/New Business – Susan Wallace

- Silent Auction
We will hold off on this for now.

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- Prism Committee
Not sure if we will even have the concert. If we don't need to buy the lighting, we might not need to worry about the sponsors and tickets.
- Winter Musical
This is a go at this point; will be announced tomorrow. Planning to live-stream it for all.
- Marching Band Merchandise
Susan will check with directors and some students (band council?). We did this last year, but so far not this year.
- Question
How do the scholarships work? Jen F outlined each one for the group.

Happy Holidays to All!!

Next meeting will be recorded due to Dana's absence.

Motion to close meeting made by Susan at 8:02 p.m.; seconded by Dana.
Minutes prepared by: Dana McDermott

Next Meeting: January 12, 2021
Via Zoom at 7:00 PM