

Executive committee: Meeting January 20, 2015 7PM

In attendance: Joe Guidi, Ken Litwin, Stephen Oster, Barbara Oster, Jeanne White, Grace Cheney, Fran Wagner, Amy Davies
Meeting called to order: 7:05

Order: Discussion regarding music department funding for this year. List of requests from teachers for the purchases that would enhance the program was presented and with the success of the home show vote taken unanimously to fund them.

It was unanimously agreed to organize a collection to support Emily Fidlow.

SPF Music Boosters Meeting January 20, 2015

Meeting Called to order at 7:30 by Joe Guidi

Board members present: Joe Guidi, Ken Litwin, Stephen Oster, Barbara Oster, Jeanne White, Fran Wagner, Grace Cheney, Amy Davies, Julie Murphy, Dan Murphy

Executive Committee met prior to this meeting and discussed District grant requests. Total expenditures will come to approximately \$10,000. All schools will be represented with items from music PA system, bells, mallets, sheet music, music stands, etc.

New Business: New major fundraiser for next year. Music Department Reunion Fundraiser themed around sustained excellence. Hopefully, it will be chaired by Marica Zimmerman. Committee will work on it for next year.

Announced intention of a fund to raise money to support Emily Fidlow.

Steven Oster, Treasurer's report: This year so far Boosters has brought in \$9,900, within that Marching Band has brought in \$4,600. The extent of the home show's success is weather related and in the event of unexpected rain or lightning during future shows, the program for that year will be protected from the vagaries of the weather.

John Gillick: Middle school competitive season starts in February. TMS Jazz band is now meeting during a class time. March 7th is Day of Percussion at Terrill Middle School. Also, Terrill will again host the "Terrill in Tempo" Jazz competition.

Discussion of creating a newsletter that goes out to the district to keep everyone informed on a regular basis.

Choral Cabaret night Feb 11th

Durand Thomas: Pops concert January 28th. Four SPF students were selected for Region Band, performances in January. All State Auditions were last week; some students are expected to be selected for All State Bands as well.

- SPF Jazz Band Festival is Feb 27
- Moonglowers Jazz Festival is March 27th
- Students who are interested in participating in 2015 Marching Band season received an email requesting information about their participation for this fall.

Lisa Zimmerman, Trip Coordinator: So far 206 students going this year.

- Fundraising deadline Jan 25.
- Roommate signups on Feb 3
- Final payment due is February 12
- Bus signups: Feb 18 from 7-9 PM. (Must be paid in full with all forms notarized with copy of student ID to sign up for Bus.

Lucia Romero, Terrill Liaison: Choral students are involved in production of Annie Junior, participation by over 80 kids. Double casts all of the roles.

Gil Isaacs, Day of Percussion March 7: Met with Mr. Reo. We will be having a great digital presence before and after performance as a way to promote the show with sponsors. Look for Sign up genius emails.

Marcia Zimmerman, Barbara Oster Marching Band: Photo book 140 sold. Profit of about \$1 a book. Next week is the start of uniform returns.

Grace Cheney: Audition Dates for Cabaret night Auditions Jan 23rd to the 29th.

Amy Davies - Jazz Festivals: meeting next month. Look for Sign up genius emails.

Dan Murphy: discussed getting more photos and there was a discussion about using signup genius and including photographer as a one of the volunteer slots to encourage more photos at all of the events.

Motion to adjourn made by Lisa Zimmerman, 2nd by Amy Davies. Meeting adjourned 8:40 PM.