



NORTHERN HIGHLANDS
Music and Performing Arts Association
Northern Highlands Regional High School
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Minutes of meeting held on Monday, February 11, 2019
Submitted by Deanine Sumner

Attendees: Lisa Monard, Gale Gunhus, Kristi Rutter, Deanine Sumner

Welcome and Introductions:

- Gale welcomed everyone to the meeting at 7:30 PM.

Fundraising/Membership: Lisa Monard

- **Wine Pairing**
- Fundraiser went very well. We made over \$5,000 and it was a lovely event.
- Wine orders are down from last year. We will resend the order form reminding MPAA members they have until February 28th to support us by ordering wine.
- Membership is at 106 families, \$5,510.00
- Plaque Fundraiser – now that the wine tasting is over we need to send out the plaque flyer through Constant contact, taking out “Patron of the Arts” so it appeals to everyone and not just the Music and Theater groups.

Theater: Laura Rokoszak

- The cyclorama track is in and should be installed shortly.
- Laura would like to get a gift card for a volunteer helping with hair and make-up.
- Laura will send Sign up Genius for Bake Sale requesting baked goods and Volunteers during intermission on all Play dates March 7, 8, 9 and 10.

Secretary’s Report: Deanine Sumner

- Minutes of the January 14th meeting were presented.
- Motion to approve by Lisa Monard, seconded by Deanine Sumner
– All Approved

A Capella:

- Semifinals March 23, 2019
- Deanine looking into Dinner service from the Mason Jar.
- Deanine sending Sign-up Genius for Baked goods and volunteers.
- Gale will reach out to Mr. Paster to discuss invoices we received for a cappella consultants since we have exhausted the approved budget of \$2,400 for the year.

Treasurer’s Report: Lisa Monard

- As of 2/10/19, there is \$32,812.78 + \$1,500 in the gambling account for a total of \$34,312.78. However, with earmarked spending (approved but not paid yet) \$4,350.00, total Funds available are \$29,962.78
- We had inflows from membership (\$125.00), donations (\$200), a cappella bake sale (\$280) and the wine tasting (\$5,481) this month. The wine bill has not been closed out yet.
- Lisa will cross check the list of seniors from the 3 departments and order the Senior Recognition pens for this year.

- Lisa will reach out to Jim Welton about the hall of fame ad for this year.

Deanine Sumner made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:25PM and Lisa Monard seconded
– All Approved.