

C.A.T.S. Wilmington High School Choral and Theatre Support

Monday, May 19, 2014

1. Welcome/Sign In

- In Attendance: Louise Sainato, Debbie Tetreault, John Grealish, Carol Burke, Trisha Moulton, Rick Surette, Peggy Speranza, Diane Fitzpatrick, Laura Richards, Laurie Brier
- Meeting began at approximately 7:07 pm.

2. President's Report – Louise Sainato

- Motion was made by Rick to approve the April minutes and seconded by John Grealish. Motion was unanimously accepted.
- Thank you to everyone who helped with Dining for a Cause -- we raised \$142 in addition to \$150 from the Red Sox raffle.
- Thank you to everyone who helped with "The Mystery of Edwin Drood". It was a great success and lots of fun.
- Peggy Speranza has decided to continue on as treasurer next year. A vote was taken and she was unanimously voted in.
- Discussion was held on selling photos at productions. Is it worth the time and effort? Will discuss in the future.
- Carol will get a list of 8th grade students coming up to the high school. We would like to get more parents involved especially parents of incoming freshman.

3. Luciana Report:

Edwin Drood

- Thank you to everyone that helped. Very successful show.
- We are going to eliminate the matinee in the future.

Chorus Concert, May 28, 7:00

Cabaret, June 10

- Reception at 6:00, Ceremony at 6:30, Cabaret will start at 7:15.

New High School

- Have student ambassadors show people around the new school.

4. Treasurer's Report – Peggy Speranza

- Citizen's Account Balance – Report was passed out
- Beginning Balance: \$10,451.23
- "Mystery of Edwin Drood" Profit: \$1,250.58
- Ending Balance: \$11,513.42

5. Webmaster/Publicity Report – Rick Surette

- New website is up and running.
- Mr. L said there are access issues here at the high school.
- URL address is the same.
- Rick will move the photos and videos over to the new website.
- Rick would like pictures from Soundscape to put on the website.

6. **Future Performances**

Spring Choral Concert: May 28

- 50/50 raffle
- Candy/Water Sales

Cabaret: June 10

- Need people here by 5:30 to set up food.
- Laura will call Rizzos and AJs about pizza.
- John Grealish will pick up pizza.
- Debbie and Peggy will make Caesar Salad.
- Louise will bring juice boxes, napkins, plates and utensils
- Carol and Diane will make desserts.
- Laurie will bring a veggie platter.
- Trisha will bring cupcakes and tablecloths.

7. **Fundraising Discussion**

- Farmer's Market
 - Scheduled for 9/28/14. Just be informational. Have a schedule of upcoming shows.
 - Look into possibly having students perform.
- Dining for a Cause. Have a raffle ticket tree. Explore options of restaurants.
- Battle of the Bands 2014. Students enjoy it.
- Broadway Revue: September 14 or 21. Sunday afternoon. Will announce at Cabaret
- Selling plaques for seats in the new auditorium. To be discussed in the future.

8. **Old Business**

- Scholarship update
 - 18 applicants
 - WHS principal notified 5/19/14 via email and US Mail.

9. **Next Meeting Date**

- September 2014 (TBD)

10. **Adjourn**

- Motion was made to adjourn at 8:23 pm by Peggy and was seconded by Carol. Motion was unanimously accepted.