# C.A.T.S. Wilmington High School Choral and Theatre Support Tuesday, November 12, 2013

## 1. Welcome/Sign In

- In Attendance: Louise Sainato, Debbie Tetreault, Peggy Speranza, Carol Burke, Rick Surette, Trisha Moulton, Cindy Maynard, John Grealish, Laurie Briere, Laura Richards, Beth Lawrenson, Diane Fitzpatrick, Robin Roman Wright
- Meeting began at approximately 7:01 pm.

# 2. **President's Report** – Louise Sainato

- Motion was made by John Grealish to approve the October minutes and seconded by Carol Burke. Motion was unanimously accepted.
- Thank you to all who helped with Battle of the Bands.
- Thank you to Laura, Carol and Monique for helping with Cookie Dough delivery. Suggestion for next year: just have the sellers pick up the Cookie Dough.
- Thank you to all who helped with Set Build and Super Saturday.
- Thank you to Trisha and Greg Moulton for buying pizza for the kids for Super Saturday.
- Good news: Sons of Italy donated \$300.
- Bill came for Police Detail for Battle of the Bands: \$120
- Arcadia
  - o Candy/Water sales ( we have enough for now)
  - o Photographer is scheduled for Tues, Nov 19 @ 6:15 pm
  - Picture Sales (need a volunteer to have photos developed and organized on display board)
  - o Need (4) 8 x 10 frames for Cast Photo: Trisha will buy the frames
  - o Raffle Kiss 108/1 for \$5 and 3 for \$10
  - o Real School of Music donated 4 free lessons (hold for future raffle)
  - o 50/50 raffle for all Arcadia shows except student night
  - o Publicity (posters): Need to hang more around town
  - o Flowers and message grams: Peggy will do flowers/Louise will do message grams
- Future performances:
  - o Winter Choral Concert Jan 16: Candy/Water Sales
  - o NE Voices Jan 31/Feb 1: Candy/Water Sales (granola bars)

### 3. **Luciana Report** – Not present – Asked Louise to reconfirm Arcadia details

- Arcadia:
  - o Night of show assistance: Trisha will assist with costumes
  - o Sign up sheet for help with each show was passed around

## 4. **Treasurer's Report** – Peggy Speranza

- Citizen's Account Balance Report was passed out
- Beginning Balance: \$3,522.95
- Ending Balance: \$5,863.65 (this includes \$1,444.20 choral balance)

# 5. Webmaster Report – Rick Surette

- Updated website: Arcadia, CATS mtg, Raffles
- Town Crier has started an Arts and Entertainment Section
- Will advertise Arcadia with WCTV, Patch, Wicked Local Wilmington, Advocate

## 6. Fundraising Discussion

- Market Basket Table: No time left to sell Kiss 108 raffle tickets
- Broadway Revue: January 12 tentative date
  - Church will donate the hall
  - Baked goods will be donated
  - Sound System needs to be worked out
- Dining for a Cause (99) Need to choose a date
  - Scratch ticket raffle basket
- Fro-Yo to Go/Panera/Chili's
- March-A-Pella V (Friday, March 14<sup>th</sup>)
  - o Louise sent requests to groups:
    - Ball in the House is in
    - Fermatta Town is also interested
    - Pitch Slapped is unavailable
    - Bridgewater State College is an option; Louise will look into other colleges
  - o Sub-Committee: This was helpful last year. Anyone interested in leading?

### 7. Old Business

- Do we need to have minutes/agenda on website? Good to have as reference
- Alumni E-mail fundraiser: 2 responses received
- Eastern Bank Donation Request? Peggy will look into
- Suggestion made to sell pieces of the stage as fundraiser for the Performing Arts Department
- By-Laws Change re: monthly mtg date: will discuss in future

### 8. Next Meeting Date

• December 19, 2013

### 9. Adjourn

• Motion was made to adjourn at 8:31 pm by Rick Surette and was seconded by John Grealish. Motion was unanimously accepted.