

Leigh High School
Performing Arts Parents Association

Minutes of Regular Membership Monthly Meeting
Meeting Date: Monday, April 10, 2017
Call to Order: 7:03 pm
Conducted By: Stacey Taylor, President
Minutes: Sherry Sutterfield, Secretary

I. March 2017 MINUTES

Stacey Taylor

Opening: Discussion of agenda for meeting. February meeting minutes had two changes, corrections were made and the minutes were voted on and passed. March meeting minutes were not approved due to the fact that they hadn't been posted for ten days prior to this meeting. They were voted on and passed in the April meeting.

- Board member open positions
- PAPA scholarships
- Thespian trip
- Winter Guard and Winter Percussion

II. Winter Guard

Las Vegas Regionals – guard did not advance to the next level.
Final competition was at Independence High School and did well, received sixth place
Dance showcase coming up on May 12 and 13
Banquet
Encourage students to go to the middle schools to talk about the guard program

III. Winter Percussion

San Bernardino – placed 7th out of 11
James Logan – placed 2nd

IV. Board Nomination Committee

(Stacey Taylor, Randi Adams, Kristen, Ellis and Lisa McIntire)
Committee is having success getting people interested in positions. Some positions have several people interested so we will see if anyone is interested in another position.

Openings for Crab Feed, 5k Stampede, e-scri0pt, and Home and School liaison

V. Musical Theater – Thespian Trip

- Technical Theater Students - Three students competed and got a superior rating
- Musical Theater Students – 1st place in group musical theater
- Duet Musical Theater – 1st place and we were chosen as chapter select for California which means is the best performance in California which means we are going to International in Lincoln, Nebraska this summer
- Leigh Talks – performing for drug awareness at Leigh

All students that participated got either a superior or excellent rating so everyone did very well. Fundraising will begin soon for the trip to Nebraska.

Legally Blonde opening on Friday, April 14, preview night is Thursday, April 13

VI. PAPA Scholarships

April 25 or 28 at 3:30 deadline

Essay readers are Ron Blumstein, Dave Stenfort, Matt Yuen, Brian Reynolds, Jeff Lee and Ann Auld

VII. Home and School Club

Ann Auld

Continuing to work on the separation of PAPA from HSC. There was \$15,000 that was donated to very specific information about how it was to be distributed. They consulted with a CPA and explained how to handle it. The \$15,000 will be divided 25% math/science, 50% technology and 25% school welfare.

Grant request for \$1500 dimmer in the theater

Screenagers seminar – dealing with teenagers and screen usage

VIII. Band

Alex Christenson

We had two spectacular concerts that went really well. All three bands are going to festival this year. April 22 symphonic band, April 29 wind ensemble and concert band is going to a festival hosted by Del Mar on May 6.

Marching band meeting Wednesday, April 12. The schedule for the Fall season will be out early and there will be some changes. For the month of August we will have Friday rehearsals. The schedule will lighten up in November.

Auditions for Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band and Jazz 1 the second week of May. Audition material released the week of second week of April so they will have a month to practice. There are 100 hundred students signed up for Wind Ensemble. I have 30 signed up for Jazz and that doesn't include the 15 that will sign up as an activity so I will split it into two again. A lot more donations have come in for choir. Choir is going to Disneyland Memorial Day weekend.

IX. Treasury Report

Each of the programs are coming in on budget. The last two concerts brought in \$1463, which is down a little bit. We usually see about a \$1,000 a concert. Right now we have brought in more than we have spent by \$26. We still have a few concerts that will bring in more money. Marching band has about a \$6,000 carry over for next year. Matching gifts continue to trickle in.

Winter Percussion and Winter Guard are both on track to break even. Hopefully donations will continue to come in so we can pay it forward to next season.

Unrestricted funds for this year came to \$48,000 and all of that has been divvied up and we have spent \$32,000.

X. Communications

We need to clean up the Facebook pages for Winter Guard, Winter Percussion and Marching Band.

XI. Operations

The semi broke down on the way to the District Music Festival. The issue still needs to be resolved.

Cleaning up after winter activities and installing shelves in the trailer. Work day is April 29. Guard staff will be there to help.

Motion to adjourn meeting: 8:10 pm