

Fine Arts Boosters Meeting, April 2, 2015

Attendees: Mike Haverdink, Pam Vandenberg, Jane Weaver, Ed Engle, Sarah Day, Shelly Billings, Jen Weber, Laureen Borg, Becky Reger, Leo Timms, Kaaren Rogers, Byron Tinder, Natalie Haverdink and Diane Janvrin

Mike Haverdink, President opened the FAB meeting at 7:35 pm in the high school office conference room and the March minutes were approved.

SPRING PLAY

The spring play will be held on April 17 and 18 and the FAB will provide refreshments and ticket takers. Pam and Gina agreed to order the cookies and locate water or lemonade to serve. Laureen asked about serving homemade treats. FAB has been ordering Fareway cookies that are value priced and require less coordination for the FAB board. A member suggested we can also contact the west HyVee for food needs. Becky Reger and Shelly Billings volunteered to serve refreshments on Friday night and Gina Gallus will serve on Saturday night. Jane Weaver and Jen Weber will take tickets on Friday night. Diane Janvrin and Leo Timms will take tickets on Saturday night. Ticket takers should arrive around 6:15 with doors opening at 6:30.

TRACK CONCESSIONS

FAB made arrangements with the athletic boosters to provide volunteers for track concessions in exchange for the funds to purchase 10 band uniforms. We have four dates in April that need volunteers. On April 7 we must provide for six volunteers at three two-hour periods. (18 people) The first session is 4-6 pm. Discussion concerned the urgency of lining up volunteers for Tuesday and the need to send out a sign up. Leo agreed to send the sign-up genius form to his list of 100 people. Kaaren Rogers and Byron Tinder agreed to send an email to all band and choir parents 7th through 12 grades in order to assist in filling the volunteer posts. Volunteers need to be reminded that these work periods do not replace their athletic obligations to help with concessions.

LARGE GROUP CONTEST

Large Group music contest for 3A schools is scheduled for Gilbert High School on May 8 from 4 to 10 pm. Ten bands, one orchestra and numerous choral groups will perform for ratings. A junior high track meet is currently scheduled for this date and time but the athletic director is coordinating a date change so it will not interfere with the music contest. Parent volunteers are needed for concessions, room timers and announcers and runners. Discussion concerned providing complimentary refreshments for directors, accompanists and drivers. Six judges will be served meals from concessions which are reimbursed by the Music association. Laureen Borg and Shelly Billings volunteered to prepare gift bags for each judge.

Ed, Mike, Natalie, Shelly, Becky, Diane and Jane volunteered to help with the Large group contest and a meeting is scheduled April 13 to make plans. The meeting is scheduled for 5:30 on April 13.

REDEEMABLES

After-prom is sorting all redeemables and Pam Vandenberg drops them at Nevada Recycling three times a week. The After-prom group will continue with this through May, when Pam expects that the Spain Trip group will take over. The redeemables continue to bring \$300-400 per month.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Mike Haverdink updated the scholarship application form and it was sent to Paul Jacobsen. Two applications have been submitted and sent to Gina Gallus who is coordinating the FAB scholarship committee. Recommendations for scholarships are due May 2-7 and announcement of the winners will be at the May 18 awards night. Leo Timms agreed to take Mike Haverdink's place on the scholarship committee this year. Byron Tinder will make the awards night scholarship announcements. May 19 is the Fine Arts Awards and ice cream sundae night.

TREASURY

Ed Engle announced the FAB treasury is \$10,199 with no outstanding debts. We anticipate another \$4000 will be added from Gilbert Athletic Boosters (\$1300) and concessions receipts from large group contest. Mike will contact all fine arts personnel to submit material requests. We can then decide what our group can fund. FAB anticipates purchase of award pins and scholarships in the next few weeks.

Mrs. Rogers suggested the need for locked wardrobe costume storage. Building plans originally planned for this but it was not done. Mrs. Rogers will consult with Layne Billings and make recommendations to the FAB.

OFFICERS

Mike reminded the group that he will not serve as FAB president next year and the following positions were reviewed. Ed Engle will retire this year and Diane Janvrin agreed to take his place as treasurer. Gina Gallus will serve as membership chair and Jen Weber will take over from her next year. Pam coordinates volunteers and Shelly will work with her and take over this duty next year. Jane Weaver volunteered along with Laureen Borg to be co-president next year. Mike will help as needed.

Byron Tinder announced the small group contest results:

Gilbert participated in 85 events and received 61 ONE ratings, 20 TWO ratings and 4 THREE ratings. Six Gilbert acts received Best in Center rating.

Meeting Adjourned 8:35

Jane Weaver, Secretary