

## MINUTES OF THE APRIL 23, 2012 FINE ARTS BOOSTERS MEETING

The meeting was called to order at 7:05pm. Members present included Natalie Haverdink, Gina Gallus, Melinda Luzbetak, Jay Heydlauff, and Mike Haverdink. Staff present included Kaaren Rogers and Greg Fisher.

The Fine Arts Awards night was discussed. It will be May 15 at 7:00pm in the West Gym at GHS. There will be an ice cream social afterward. Melinda will buy the ice cream and toppings. Gina will bring FAB napkins, and Melinda will bring FAB bowls and spoons leftover from last year. Last year, 100-120 were expected, and we had plenty of leftover ice cream and toppings. Kaaren expects possibly 250 this year. Several boosters are needed to help serve the ice cream. There may be a mini-FAB meeting just after the Fine Arts Award night/Ice Cream Social, to recruit officers and members.

So far only one student has applied for the FAB scholarship online; it is assumed that Mr. Jacobson has had more paper applications turned in to him. Melinda will collect these, make copies, and distribute anonymous applications to approximately 10 judges, including herself, Gina, Jay, and LeeAnn Meehan. Other possible judges were discussed. Let Melinda know if you are interested in helping judge the scholarship applications. The scholarship(s) will be awarded on May 14 at the High School Awards night by Jay Heydlauff.

Kaaren requested more large group chaperones for Saturday May 5, they only have one so far and need at least two. They also need someone to drive the van to the contest in Lake View. They will leave approximately 10:30am and will arrive back home around 4:00.

A few members wondered if meetings could be changed to Tuesday nights. This was good for some, not good for others. Two trial Tuesday night meetings will occur this summer to see if this change will work.

Jay will put FAB information in the June newsletter. Let him know if you have anything to put in it.

Possibilities were discussed for donated funds. Kaaren is looking into some ideas. Topic was tabled for a later meeting.

Mike gave a treasurer's report. We currently have approximately \$10,553.72 in our account. We will spend \$1100 on the euphonium and \$315 for accompanist Amanda Jennings. We will spend a couple thousand dollars on FAB scholarships, solo/ensemble medals, ice cream social expenses, and misc. awards. Mike would like to keep \$6000-7000 in the account for next fall.

Mike gave an update on the auditorium.

Jenni Thomas wrote an email thanking everyone who helped with solo contest and the judges' meals. She also mentioned that she needs a legal size file cabinet for the band music library at the middle school. Mr. Billings is ordering one, but she thinks she may need two. She wonders if anyone knows of one nobody is using. She also reported that the middle school Adventureland trip is Sat. May 19.

Mike Haverdink has offered to run for FAB president for next term, and Gina Gallus has agreed to run for VP of Memberships. Discussed possible candidates for VP of Volunteers, Secretary and Treasurer.

Meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:30pm. Next meetings are Monday May 21, Tuesday June 26, and Tuesday July 31. All meetings begin at 7:00pm and will be in the ICN room at Gilbert High School.