

October 12, 2017: Gilbert Fine Arts Booster Meeting

1. Minutes from September were approved.
2. Funding Requests:
 - A. Virginia Beecher and Kaaren Rogers (HS Drama): They requested five new portable microphones at 150.00 each for a total of 750.00. A motion was given after discussion, a second and approval for the microphones for the musical.
 - B. Michele Jacobson (Intermediate Vocal): She requested music stands for the choir group at the Intermediate School total: 916.00. This was discussed, motioned, seconded, and approved.
 - C. Kristy Leinen (HS ART): She is recommending the boosters to buy an art case to display our school's art. Mike will investigate this with potential funding. We discussed the options at length and also discussed the location for the display to be placed in the school.
3. Seussical Items:
 - A. Intermission Treats: Shelly and Karen will prepare the cookies for intermission. We decided to have 15 dozen cookies of variety out each night.
 - B. Ticket takers: Jen is setting up a sign up genius for these spots. We would like two per night to man the tables. Also Jen will be at a table for membership as well.
 - C. Program: Sara Harbacheck will be doing our outlay for the program again this year. Diane called her after our meeting and she agreed to do it for us. We are thankful for her skilled service to this effort. Karen and Natalie will do the sponsors work for the program and Laureen will get the shout out sheets out at the school and online. Payment for the shout outs will be made at the office only with an envelope there. The ads will be offered at a variety of sizes for a variety of prices. The deadline for all of this to be done will be Friday, October 27 at noon. We need this time to then get it all to Sara and then to Alpha Copies.
 - D. We plan to seat about 600 each night!
4. Membership:
 - A. We now have 40 members now, with a total of 8100.00 total from the memberships so far. We hope to get more members at the musical weekend.
5. Redeemables:
 - A. Leo is now doing the Redeemables on his own, and would like to do it this way. He talked to us about his concerns of students making money as they come to work on the trash to be recycled. He feels this money ought to be made for only school trips or school functions, which would limit the seniors who may not have any trip or function to plan for. At this point, he will continue to do the redeemables. He tracks all the money on his own, with spreadsheets, for accountability. In the summer, the cheerleaders earned about 1500.00 and he hopes the thespian group will want to have several weeks to make money.
6. Treasurer's Report:
 - A. Our starting balance on September 13, 2017: 22, 577.98. After expenditures our balance estimate for November 1st is 19,560.86.
7. Our attendees at this meeting were: Laureen Borg; Diane Janvrin; Karin Wickert; Jen Weber; Leo Timms; Sonya Peterson; Byron Tinder. We will meet again in December.