

WABB meeting 04/02/2013 in band room. Call to order @ 7:05pm

Attending: Mr. Nickel, David Russell, Nancy McGinnis, Ruth Curfman, Pam Gealy, Leanna Zoeller, Jennifer Gordon, Randy Costello, Beth Pontius, Marianna Rand, Claudia Furlan, Wendy Campbell, Tom McKinley, Nancy Welker, Bo DiMuccio, Claire DiMuccio, Cherie Perrine.

Minutes for 03/12/2013 WABB meeting read and approved. MSA 1st Tom McKinley, 2nd Jennifer Gordon

Treasurer Report-Ruth Curfman

WABB \$13,194.41

Students \$10,911.13

McQuiston Memorial \$2,665.00

Total \$26,670.54

\$50 was sent to Mr. Priano for playing piano at the band banquet.

2012 WABB scholarship, which was won by Jocilyn Houk, was forfeited because she was not involved in a musical ensemble of any kind for her first semester of college, which is a requirement for earning the scholarship.

MSA to approve Treasurer Report. 1st Tom McKinley, 2nd Nancy McGinnis

Band Director's Report-Mr. Nickel

Disney band trip is scheduled for May 1-5, 2013. Mr. Nickel has met with Tom Presto about trip.

He would like to add educational workshops with the Walt Disney staff for sound track development and have the band front work with Disney choreographers. He will apply for the Main Street Electrical Parade. He plans on flying. Rough estimate of cost: \$800-\$850

The band uniform purchase order has been signed by Dr. Nicksick. Shipment of new uniforms should be by 2013 football season.

The bid was awarded to DeMoulin for ~ \$43,000 for 100 uniforms.

DeMoulin Uniform company came in to WAHS and measured the 9th-12th grade band members on 03/28/2013.

Uniform care tips will be updated for the band manual...proper care of white hats, no taking off coats on wet bleachers, care of plumes. Will be buying box for plume storage.

- Bandfront tryouts were 03/23/2013. They went well.
- Drum Major tryouts are 05/01/2013. There are 5 candidates this year.
- Bandarama - Thursday, May 9, 2013
- May Band Booster meeting – Tuesday, May 7, 2013
- New Bedford Memorial Day Parade - Saturday, May 25, 2013
- Neshannock Presbyterian Memorial Day Service - Monday, May 27, 2013
- Congratulations to the 4 WAHS students going to the PMEA State Festival April 17-20 in Erie, PA: All State Wind Ensemble - Josh Bonnici, Trumpet and Justin Krupa, Tuba; All State Orchestra – Elizabeth Deemer, Viola and Jarod Forsythe, French Horn.

Committee Reports

Scholarship committee – Barb Forsythe-chair, Lisa Russell and Jennifer Gordon. Will start reviewing applications as they are received.

Website – Tom McKinley

Band DVD – Tom McKinley, may be helped by Calvin Gealy-will sell for fundraiser

Publicity – Leanna Zoeller – State and Jazz band pics going in Globe

Uniforms – Claudia Furlan

Hoagie/Stromboli sale – Karen DiMuccio

Band Camp – Cherie Perrine and Nancy Welker – cost will probably be \$205 plus cost for busing, if necessary. May be around \$250. She is working on band camp packet.

2013-2014 WABB officers: President – Pam Gealy

Vice President – Marianna Rand

Secretary – Beth Pontius

Treasurers – Ruth Curfman and Randy Costello

Members at Large – Dave Russell and Jennifer Gordon

Audit – Leanna Zoeller

Shirts for PMEA students – Pam Gealy - ~\$150 for 4 shirts for PMEA students. Includes layout and embroidery.

MSA -1st Jennifer Gordon, 2nd Tom McKinley.

Tom McKinley mentioned that it was good to have Wilmington students in the Pit for the musical “Pajama Game” this year.

Adjourned at 7:40pm. Respectfully submitted, Leanna Zoeller, WABB Secretary