

## FBPO January 2017 Meeting Minutes

**In Attendance:** Jackie Corso, Rob Hanlon, Jodi Hanlon, Mona Spaid, Joe & Lisa Sanstrom, Eleanor Richards, Kathy Clarke, Cathy Liebenow, Doug Weglarz, Jean Daniell, Kent Krause, Dianna Weglarz, Laurel Spahn, Julie Westberg, Matt Neumann

Doug Weglarz called meeting to order at 7:04pm on January 12, 2017. Jodi Hanlon and Lisa Sanstrom seconded. (December minutes accepted/approved).

**Treasurer's Report: Rob Hanlon.** See Handout "FBPO Finance Overview January 12, 2017".

- Need to schedule the car wash.
- Behind on NOLA trip payments
- 17 Students still haven't paid for marching band
- Advertise for the Swing Dance Auction (on-line)
- Ask for an additional parking space for auction
- Equipment purchase priority for next year (end of year decision)

Income/Expenses: See Handout

Question: Money in the guard budget? \$1300 over budget, but we will have some savings d/t no winter guard.

Drum major stand not purchased. Will work on budgeting in the next couple of months.

**VP Report:** Lisa has binder for the Swing Dance.

**Secretary Report:** None

**Director's Report-** We had a phenomenal Holiday Concert. Check calendar for Pep Band Schedule. Jazz Band is in full swing. Invited to play at Arrowhead on 1/26/17--Mr. Klos will direct. MB uniforms have arrived; still need hats and gauntlets. Searching for color guard instructors. Falcon Fest date: 9/16/17. Have a Home Football game the night before FF. Band Camp July 31st-August 4th. First FB game is 9/1/17. Jazz Band and Jazz Ensemble are performing at Mundelein. Jazz Ensemble and the Combo are performing at Rolling Meadows Jazz Contests. Details for NOLA trip coming soon. (Also, need to encourage students (Jazz) to sell checkbooks.) Jazz Combos may play at Freshman Parent Night. Student groups will be there. February we will have future band student (current 8th graders) parent meeting combined with parent meeting. 8th graders try out for symphonic band on February 21st. Music for tryouts will be available soon. Announcement: Will Richards will be representing WN at ILMEA State Competition.

**President's Report:**

**Jazz Cafe** is 1/30/17. Lights have been purchased. Many ideas for hanging lights. Kathy has a couple of volunteers and will assign who is bringing what. Set up at 6pm.

Committee Reports:

**Swing Dance:** Need more people on committee. Eleanor will assist with running Swing Dance. Jodi helping with tickets. Penny Becker working on auction and wants to contact Jazz Radio Station. Rob suggests keeping ticket pricing the same. Encourage middle school parents to attend by giving them discounted tickets. Maybe \$5?. Can we include Swing Dance flier in 8th grade student packet? Get list of middle school families to coordinate discount. Put at a sign at Wheaton College? Let college student attend with discounted ticket. Kathy will call Sterba's about lessons. Ticket sales for Swing Dance; will students be pre-selling? Will they earn escrow? Jodi will do packets for students to sell tickets. Penny Becker would like to help with auction for Swing Dance. Already has some ideas for auction. Thinking about doing raffle items. Many rules with raffles--will look into it. Want to promote Swing Dance with COD and Wheaton College. Need to give middle school students more notice--tell them ahead of time.

**8th grade Band Packets:** Might need to update tri-fold flier.

**Old Business:** Jamba Juice finally paid us what we were owed: \$105. Offered us 200 Jamba Juices to sell at Swing Dance for which we could keep all profits. Sell them for \$2/piece? Would sell more if we didn't have soda at the Swing Dance. Also offering us a basket for the Swing Dance auction. Upcoming Wheaton North Day at Jamba Juice. That's My Pan check coming soon.

Joe Sanstrom motioned to adjourn meeting at 8:03pm Lisa Santrom and Jodi Hanlon seconded the motion..