**UMPS Meeting Minutes**

**September 8, 2016**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Wendy Nielsen. Wendy welcomed everyone to the UMPS meeting and thanked them for attending. The UMPS board was introduced:

 Co-Presidents: Wendy Nielson and Therese Rilling

 Co-Secretaries: Sue Baker and Michelle Edwards

 Treasurer: Julie Bennett

 Individual Student Account Coordinator: Carrie St. John

 Communications Director: Shari Hanneman

 Fundraising Coordinator: Lori Kampstra

**Minutes**

Minutes from the June meeting were presented for review. A motion was made by Nancy Mason and was seconded by Julie Wieczorek to approve the minutes. Motion passed.

**Treasurers Report**

New report format. Thank you to Sue Koloske for coordinating the spaghetti dinner.

Expense-Drum Corp.

Income-Spaghetti dinner and 50/50 raffle proceeds, Newsies shirts, Music Yard signs, Drum Corp and Uniform fees.

A motion was made by Jeff Milani and was seconded by Sue Koloske to approve the Treasurer’s report, motion passed.

**Directors Reports**

Ms. Schlecht

* 10/13 Choir concert. Broadway music to include; Hair Spray, Lion King, Hamilton and Spam a Lot.
* The calendar and practice information is updated on the choir website.
* Ensemble includes 65 treble students.
* Ireland recap-pictures on website. Fantastic event. Performances were great.
* Choir will perform the National Anthem at the Homecoming football game.
* Spiritwear sale launches 9/15/16 and ends 9/29/16. Includes all music venues.
* Show choir apparel; shirts for all, black pants-boys, jazz pants-girls and character shoes.

Mr. Hull-not present. No report.

Mrs. Umhoefer

* Marching Band-good performances already. See growth every week. Energy is good.
* Weekly band e-mails contain the latest updates.
* UW Band day scheduled for Saturday 9/10. 60 people signed up. 10 Franklin alumni are in the UW marching band.
* 1st competition is 9/18. Schedule will be sent early this weekend. 4 bands signed up as of now. The band will perform for 15 minutes then will have a clinic after their performance. Morning rehearsal before performance.
* Jazz auditions are the week of 9/19. Orchestra students can try out. Sign up on the band site.
* Waukesha West and Greendale shows coming up.
* Uniforms-working with Stanbury to determine if we can get pieces of the uniform as it is not expected the full uniform will arrive for the 2016 season.
* Spring Trip-Wind Ensemble, Jazz Band and Show Choir will be traveling to sunny Orlando over Spring Break 2017. Trip will be Tuesday through Sunday. An information packet was distributed which contained the details of the trip. Prices based on 40 travelers. Fan packages are available. Contact Ms. Umhoefer for details. Fundraising opportunities will be available to apply towards the trip.

New Business

* UMPS VP-UMPS will look to fill the VP position in January.
* Chili dinner-held before Friday homecoming game. Hot dog dinners available also. Encourage presale of tickets for a discounted price. Therese is leading the event. Volunteer signup sheet will be distributed soon.
* Homecoming parade on Wednesday, October 5th.
* Marching Band-Sue Koloske made a motion to spend no more than $1,000 on a percussion cart for marching band, Judy Dornacher seconded, motion carried.
* Marching Band pit crew still looking for volunteers.
* Volunteer opportunities for parents and students:
	+ Marching Band pit crew
	+ Chili dinner
	+ Marching Band banquet
	+ Craft Fair-Fall
	+ Jazz Cabaret
	+ Craft Fair-Spring
* Fundraising opportunities-the district has provided guidance on the number of fundraisers groups may participate in. UMPS currently is proposing the following fundraisers: Yankee Candle, Marcus, Krispy Kreme, Butter Braids and a Community walk. More details to come.
* Super Fan shirts-anticipate placing another order.

There was a motion by Ann Wieczorek to adjourn, second by Christy Weissmann, motion approved.